CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE

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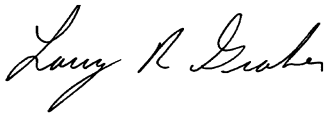
PLEASE READ THIS CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY

This Certificate of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "Certificate") is evidence of insurance provided under the Group Policy issued to the Group Policyholder (hereinafter referred to as "Policyholder"). This Certificate describes the essential features of such insurance.

Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc., in performing its obligations under the Group Policy, is acting only as a life insurer with respect to the Group Policy and is not in any way acting as a plan administrator, a plan sponsor or a plan trustee for the purposes of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or any other federal or state laws.

No coverage under the Group Policy is in effect until approved in writing by Us and issued and delivered to the Policyholder. All terms, conditions and other provisions of the Group Policy are governed by the laws of the state in which the Policyholder is located. All provisions on this and the following pages are part of this Certificate. The Group Policy is on file and available for review at the main office of the Policyholder.

The President and Secretary of Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc witness this Certificate:



Larry R. Graber
President



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Secretary

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

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SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

A. Administrative

1. Employer:	North Scott Community School District
2. Plan Number:	3468
3. Initial Plan Effective Date:	January 1, 2000
4. Revised Effective Date:	September 1, 2017
5. Evidence of Insurability Requirements:	Applies to Late Enrollees, Increases in Benefits and Amounts over Guarantee Issue Amounts
6. Eligible Class:	01 Superintendent
7. Minimum Hourly Work Requirement:	30 hours per week
8. Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage:	None
9. New Employee Eligibility Date:	Upon completion of the Waiting Period
10. Leaves / Layoffs:	Coverage with premium payment while on FMLA leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 12 months while on Paid or Unpaid Leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 15 days while on Military Leave
11. Employee Premium Contribution	
Employee Basic Insurance:	0%
12. Participation Requirements	
Employee Basic Insurance:	100%
13. Insurance Reduction Schedule	
Employee Basic Insurance:	Basic Life and Basic AD&D Insurance does not reduce and terminates at retirement.

B. Basic Life Insurance

Employee Basic Life:	$100,000
Guarantee Issue:	$100,000

C. Additional Benefits

1. Conversion of Insurance Benefit:	Included
2. Waiver of Premium Benefit:	Included
3. Living Benefit:	Included

D. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

1. Basic AD&D Insurance

Employee Basic AD&D Insurance:	Equal to Basic Life amount
Guarantee Issue:	Equal to Basic Life amount

I. DEFINITIONS

Active Work and **Actively at Work** are defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Annual Salary: Your current salary or wage from your Employer for the previous twelve months. Annual Salary does not include extra pay, annuity contributions, commissions, bonuses, overtime pay or any other extra compensation.

Contributory means that You pay all or a portion of the premium for insurance.

Disabled or **Disability** means:

1. during the first 24 months of the Disability period, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of Your own occupation and You are under the Regular Care of a Physician; or
2. after the first 24 months, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of any occupation for which You are qualified by education, training and experience, and You are under the Regular Care and Attendance of a Physician.

Eligible Class means an employment classification defined by the Employer and specified in the "Schedule of Benefits." You must be a member of an Eligible Class in order to be eligible for insurance under the Group Policy.

Eligible Dependent is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Eligible Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employer means an Employer (including approved affiliates and subsidiaries) participating in the Policyholder Trust to whom We have assigned a Plan Number and issued a Joinder Agreement.

Evidence of Insurability

1. Providing Evidence of Insurability means that a person applying for coverage under the Group Policy must:
   a) complete and sign Our Evidence of Insurability application and return the original application to Us. The application must be received by Us no later than 60 days from the date of signing; and
   b) authorize Us to obtain information about the applicant's health; and
   c) undergo a physical examination, if required by Us, which may include diagnostic testing; and
   d) provide any additional information about the applicant's insurability that We may reasonably require.
2. If any applicant is required to provide Evidence of Insurability, the applicant will be responsible for all costs associated with providing Evidence of Insurability.
3. In each case where Evidence of Insurability is required, We base Our decision whether to approve coverage on the information provided during the underwriting process. If We learn that the information relied on to approve coverage was incorrect, or that relevant information was omitted, We may retroactively rescind coverage and deny claims.

Group Policy (Policy) means the group insurance Policy issued by Us to the Policyholder under a specified Plan Number.

Guarantee Issue is the amount of coverage provided which is not subject to Evidence of Insurability.

Hospital means a legally operated Facility providing full-time medical care and treatment under the direction of a full-time staff of licensed Physicians, but not including rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes, homes for the aged and facilities primarily affording custodial, educational, or rehabilitative care.

Injury: Bodily Injury due to an Accident which: (1) results directly and independently of disease, bodily infirmity or any other causes; (2) solely, directly and independently of all other causes results in medical expense; (3) occurs after the effective date of the Insured Person's coverage; and (4) occurs while the Insured Person's coverage is in force. All Injuries sustained in any one Accident, including all related conditions and recurrent symptoms of these Injuries, are considered a single Injury.

Insured Person means an Eligible Employee, Eligible Dependent or Eligible Retiree whose coverage is in effect under the Group Policy.

Joinder Agreement means the document entered into between the Policyholder and the Employer describing the coverage requested by the Employer with respect to its Employees, which has been approved by Us and assigned a Plan Number.

Late Enrollee means an Employee or Dependent who applies for coverage under the Group Policy more than 31 days after becoming an Eligible Employee or Eligible Dependent.

Limiting Age means the Child age(s) shown in the definition of Child in the Eligibility for Insurance section.

Mental Disorder means any mental, emotional, behavioral, psychological, personality, cognitive, mood or stress related abnormality, disorder, disturbance, dysfunction or syndrome listed in the latest edition of the American Psychiatric Association Diagnostic and Statistical Manual or the International Classification of Disease.

Noncontributory means the Employer pays the entire premium for insurance.

Physical Disease means a Physical Disease entity or process that produces structural or functional changes in the body as diagnosed by a Physician. Physical Disease includes pregnancy and Mental Disorder.

Physician means a licensed medical professional under the laws of a state of the United States of America, acting within the scope of such license, who is permitted by law to prescribe medications and practice independent of supervision.

For the purpose of this Group Policy, Physician will not include the Insured Person’s Spouse, parent, brother, sister, or Child, including these members of a Spouse’s family.

Plan Effective Date means the date on which the Group Policy, with respect to the Employer, becomes effective.

Plan Number means the number used by Us to reference an Employer and the terms of coverage specified under the Group Policy and Joinder Agreement.

Prior Plan means the Employer’s group life insurance plan in effect on the day immediately preceding the Plan Effective Date.

Proof of Loss is defined in the “Claims Provisions” section.

Regular Care and Attendance means observation and treatment by a Physician as required by current standards of medicine for the Injury or Physical Disease causing a Disability, but in any event not less than one such observation per year.

Retire and **Retirement Date** means the earlier of:

1. the date You Retire as such term is defined by Your Employer;
2. the date You receive or become eligible to receive, as defined by the Employer, retirement benefits under any pension plan to which the Employer contributes,

3. or the date You receive or become eligible to receive retirement benefits under, and as defined by, any state or federal retirement plan or under the Social Security Act or Railroad Retirement Act.
4. the date You reach the age defined in the "Schedule of Benefits".

You and **Your** means the Eligible Employee.

Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" and "Schedule of Benefits".

We, Us and **Our** means Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc.

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II. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSURANCE

A. Employee Life Insurance Eligibility.
1. Employee Basic Life Insurance. To be eligible for Employee Basic Life Insurance under the Group Policy, You must satisfy the following requirements:

a) You must be an **Eligible Employee**.
(1) Employee means an individual who works for the Employer as a member of an Eligible Class and who is reported on the Employer's records for Social Security and tax withholding purposes.

b) You must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America or one of its territories.

c) You must be Actively at Work and capable of sustained Active Work.
(1) **Active Work** and **Actively at Work** mean working at Your Employer's usual place of business, and satisfying the Minimum Hourly Work Requirement. Actively at Work will include regularly scheduled days off, holidays, or vacation days, so long as You are capable of sustained Active Work on those days.
(2) Minimum Hourly Work Requirement means the work hours over a specified time period that are required of You by Your Employer in order to be eligible for coverage. Your Minimum Hourly Work Requirement is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".
(3) The Active Work requirement is waived during the time You are approved for benefits under the "Waiver of Premium Benefit" section.

d) You must have satisfied Your Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage.
(1) Waiting Period means the period of time that You must be Actively at Work as an Employee for Your coverage to become effective. Your Waiting Period is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

e) You cannot be a member of more than one Eligible Class.

f) You cannot be a, temporary or seasonal Eligible Employee, full-time member of the armed forces of any country, leased Eligible Employee, or independent contractor.

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III. BECOMING INSURED

A. To become an Insured Person under the Group Policy, an applicant must meet the following requirements as each may apply:
   1. If Evidence of Insurability is required, the applicant must provide such Evidence of Insurability and be approved for coverage by Us. The "Schedule of Benefits" specifies when Evidence of Insurability is required.
   2. If the insurance is Contributory insurance, the applicant must apply in writing and remit the required premiums.

B. Effective Dates
   1. Employee's Initial Enrollment
      a. Noncontributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability or which is subject to Evidence of Insurability and has been approved by Us, becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee, or as specified by your Employer. However, if You initially waive participation in such coverage and then later wish to participate, applications for Noncontributory insurance will be subject to Evidence of Insurability and will become effective as shown below.
      b. Contributory insurance subject to Evidence of Insurability, and Late Enrollee applications for coverage, become effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      c. Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability, if You apply prior to, or within 31 calendar days commencing on, the date You become an Eligible Employee, Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee. If You do not apply for Contributory insurance prior to, or within 31 days of becoming an Eligible Employee and subsequently wish to obtain such coverage, Evidence of Insurability will be required and Your coverage will become effective as provided in subsection b above.
   2. Increases in Insurance
      a. Evidence of Insurability Required. An increase of insurance that is subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      b. Evidence of Insurability Not Required. An increase of insurance that is not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective as follows:
         1) Based on change in Your classification, age or earnings on the date of such change;
   3. Decreases in Insurance
      a. A decrease in life insurance based on a change in Your classification, earnings, age or Your Dependent's age, becomes effective on the date of the change.
      b. Any other decrease in insurance becomes effective on the first day of the calendar month following the date Your Employer receives Your written request for the decrease, except that if such event occurs on the first day of a month, the decrease in coverage becomes effective on that day.
   4. Delayed Effective Date. If You are incapable of sustained Active Work due to Injury or Physical Disease on the day before the scheduled effective date of Your insurance or the effective date of a change in Your insurance, such insurance will not become effective until the day after You are capable of sustained Active Work and complete one day of Active Work as an Eligible Employee.
   5. If Your coverage ends, You may become covered again, subject to the following:
      a. If Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution while on an approved Family Medical Leave of absence, and then You return to Active Work and enroll for coverage within 31 days of the earlier of a) the end of the period of leave You and Your Employer agreed upon, or b) the end of the 12-week period following the date Your leave began, then the Waiting Period will be waived. Coverage is limited to what You had in effect prior to coverage ending or the coverage that is now available for Your Class, as determined by Us.

b. In all other cases, if Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution, You must provide Evidence of Insurability to become covered again.
c. In no event will insurance coverage be retroactive.
d. If You cease to be an Eligible Employee and coverage ends, and then You return to Active Work with the Employer again within 3 months, the Waiting Period will be waived on the first day of Your return to Active Work.

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IV. WHEN COVERAGE ENDS

A. Except as otherwise provided for under this Certificate, coverage will cease on the earliest of the following to occur:
1. the date the Group Policy terminates or the date Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy terminates;
2. the date You cease to be an Eligible Employee;
3. if premium is not paid when required, the last day of the period for which premium was paid;
4. the date You become eligible for coverage as an employee under another group term life insurance policy;
5. if You are a contract Eligible Employee not returning to work as an Eligible Employee the next contract year, the earlier of the following:
   a) the date You become employed with another employer;
   b) Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy;
   c) expiration of the current contract year;
6. Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy.
7. for AD&D coverage, the date Your corresponding life insurance ends, the date you are no longer Actively at Work, the date Your Waiver of Premium Benefit begins or Your Retirement Date.

B. Approved FMLA Leave of Absence – Contributory or Noncontributory Coverage
1. With regard to the Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) of 1993, as amended, the Employer and Employee must be eligible for FMLA in order to receive it. If You are on an approved FMLA leave, coverage will continue until the later of the leave period required by FMLA or the leave period required by applicable state law, provided that :
   a) The FMLA leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the FMLA leave; and
   b) The documentation of the advance approval of the FMLA leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
   c) FMLA leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during FMLA leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
   d) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

C. Paid Leave of Absence. If You are on a paid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
1. Noncontributory coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:

(1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
(2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
(3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

2. Contributory Coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on:
      (1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
      (2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
      (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
      (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

   c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a paid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

D. Unpaid Leave of Absence - If You are on an unpaid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leave of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
   (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
   (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
   (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
   (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during an unpaid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

E. Military Leave of Absence. If You are on a military leave of absence , coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a military leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave of absence; and

         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during such leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer; or
         (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

      c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a military leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

F. Termination or Amendment of the Group Policy and Employer Coverage

1. The Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Policyholder according to the terms of the Group Policy. Any such change or amendment may apply to current or future Employers and eligible persons covered under the Group Policy or to any separate classes or categories thereof. An Employer's coverage under the Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Employer according to the terms of the Group Policy.

2. We may change the Group Policy and any Employer's coverage under the Group Policy in whole or in part: (i) when any change or clarification in law or governmental regulation affects Our obligations under the Group Policy, or (ii) with the Policyholder's or Employer's consent.

3. We may terminate an Employer's coverage on any premium due date by giving the Employer not less than 60 days advance notice. An Employer may terminate coverage under the Group Policy in whole, and may terminate insurance for any class or group of eligible persons, at any time by giving Us advanced written notice at least 60 days prior to such termination. Insurance will terminate automatically for nonpayment of premium.

4. Benefits are limited to the terms of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy, including any valid amendments. No change or amendment of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will be valid unless it is approved in writing by one of Our executive officers and delivered to Your Employer. The Policyholder, Your Employer and their Eligible Employees or representatives have no right or authority to change or amend the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy or to waive any terms or provisions thereof without Our signed, written approval.

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V. LIFE INSURANCE - WAIVER OF PREMIUM BENEFIT

A. Waiver of Premium Definitions
   1. **Elimination Period** means the period of 9 months beginning on the date You become Disabled.
   2. **Life Insurance** under this Waiver of Premium Benefit means all of the Life Insurance, as listed in the Schedule of Benefits, in force under the Group Policy on the day before the day You become Disabled.
   3. **Proof of Disability** means documented clinical findings that prove that You are Disabled.

B. Waiver of Premium does not apply to AD&D Insurance.

C. Your Life Insurance will be continued as provided for under this section without payment of premium, if all of the following conditions are met:
   1. You become Disabled prior to age 60 while insured under the Group Policy;
   2. You remain Disabled without interruption for the duration of the Elimination Period;
   3. You provide Us with written notice of Your Disability within the later of 30 days after the end of Your Elimination Period or an approved leave of absence not to exceed 12 months;
   4. You provide Us with satisfactory written Proof of Disability within 12 months from the last day of the Elimination Period;
   5. Your claim is approved by Us.

D. When the Waiver of Premium Benefit Begins. If You qualify and are approved for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, Your premium will be waived beginning on the first day of the month immediately following the end of Your Elimination Period.

E. When Waiver of Premium Ends. Waiver of Premium ends on the earliest to occur of the following:
   1. The date You cease to be Disabled;
   2. The 91st day following the date We mail to You a request for additional Proof of Disability with which You fail to comply;
   3. The date You refuse to submit to a medical examination or to cooperate with Our chosen health care provider;

4. The date You refuse to submit to or undergo vocational rehabilitation (which determines employment opportunities, if any, for individuals with disabilities);
5. The date at which You've resided outside of the United States of America, or one of its territories during any 6 consecutive months for which premium had been waived;
6. The effective date of an individual life insurance policy issued to You under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

F. Premiums
1. Premium payment must continue until the later of the end of Your Elimination Period or the date Your claim for the Waiver of Premium Benefit is approved by Us.
2. If Your Waiver of Premium benefit terminates because You cease to be Disabled or You fail to submit to a medical exam or cooperate with the examiner, for coverage to continue, You must be an Eligible Employee and premiums must resume on the next premium due date, or You must continue coverage as provided for under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

G. Amount of Insurance
1. The amount of Life Insurance continued under the Waiver of Premium Benefit is the amount in effect on the day before You became Disabled, if you were Actively at Work.
2. Insurance will be reduced or terminated according to the Group Policy provisions in effect on the day before You became Disabled.
3. Your Life Insurance amount will not increase while Your Life Insurance premiums are being waived.

H. We will not waive premiums if Your Disability results from intentionally self-inflicted Injuries or Physical Diseases, while sane or insane, or from Your voluntary participation in an illegal activity.

I. If You die during the Elimination Period and are otherwise eligible for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, the Elimination Period will not apply.

J. We may require further Proof of Disability in intervals that are reasonable based on Your type of Disability.

K. Investigation Of Claim
With respect to benefits that are claimed during an Insured Person's lifetime, We may require him or her to undergo examination at reasonable intervals, at Our expense. Any such examinations will be conducted by appropriate Physician of Our choice. We may deny or suspend benefits if You fail to attend an examination, or do not give full effort and cooperation to the examiner.

VI. LIFE INSURANCE - LIVING BENEFIT

Terminally Ill and **Terminal Illness** mean a medical condition that is expected to result in Your death within 24 months.

A. If You become Terminally Ill while covered for life insurance under the Group Policy You may elect to receive the Living Benefit as provided for under this section.

B. The Living Benefit will be an amount equal to 50% of Your Employee Basic Life Insurance in effect on the date Your election is made, subject to a minimum of $5,000 and a maximum of $50,000. The amount payable will be equal to the Living Benefit less applicable amounts, if any, charged for an investment loss (interest) and administrative fees.

C. The payment will be made in one lump sum to You or to the payee You appropriately assign.

D. The Living Benefit will not be available if:

1. You have any portion of any Life Insurance or ownership rights thereof absolutely or irrevocably assigned or transferred;
2. You have made an irrevocable beneficiary designation;
3. the insurance proceeds are subject to a court order under a divorce decree, separate maintenance agreement or property settlement agreement;
4. You have filed for bankruptcy, unless You give Us written approval from the bankruptcy court for payment of the Living Benefit.

E. No payment will be made under this election unless and until We receive and approve of all of the following:
   1. Your signed and notarized election of this option on a form furnished by Us;
   2. signed and witnessed written statements of all irrevocable beneficiaries and assignees (and Spouse in marital property states) consenting to Your election of this option; and
   3. satisfactory written proof from a Physician other than Yourself or a member of Your or Your Spouse's immediate family that You have been diagnosed as being Terminally Ill and that You are of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

F. We may require a second opinion and examination of Your condition at Our own expense by a Physician of Our choice.

G. Payment of the Living Benefit will reduce correspondingly the face amount of Your life insurance benefits under the Group Policy. This will result in reduced life insurance proceeds payable to Your beneficiary at Your death. Furthermore, any amount of insurance that would otherwise be continued will be reduced proportionately, as will the maximum face amount available under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

H. Premium payments must continue to be paid for Your life insurance unless You qualify to have Your life insurance premium waived. The premium due will be based on the amount of insurance remaining in force after deducting the amount of the Living Benefit.

I. Payment of the Living Benefit will not affect the amount of, or change an existing beneficiary designation for, the AD&D Benefit, if any, in effect and kept in force under the Group Policy.

J. Your election together with Our payment of the Living Benefit constitute a valid and effective beneficiary designation change, but only with respect to the specified life insurance benefits, and only to the extent affected by the Living Benefit payment, and applicable interest and fees, if any, charged thereon.

K. Payment of the Living Benefit will be exempt from the claims of creditors and from legal process to the extent permitted by law.

L. All other provisions of the Group Policy, including the effective date provisions of any benefit increases and the provisions on benefit reductions because of amendments to the plan or benefit classification changes or Your attained age, remain valid and in effect. Any such life insurance benefit reduction will be calculated based on Your life insurance amount in effect immediately before the Living Benefit payment.

M. You are responsible for any tax consequences related to this benefit.

VII. LIFE INSURANCE CONVERSION BENEFIT

A. When Coverage Ends.
   1. If an Insured Person's coverage under the Policy ends, the Insured Person may, as described below, apply for Our individual life insurance policy without submitting Evidence of Insurability.
      a. The Insured Person must complete an application, pay the first premium, and send them to Us within the 31-day period immediately following the date coverage ends under the Policy (the Conversion Period).
      b. The individual policy will become effective on the first day following the date coverage under the Policy ends.
      c. The Insured Person may convert all or part of the amount of life insurance benefit, as shown in the "Schedule of Benefits".
   2. If an Insured Person has been insured under the Policy for at least five years and is no longer eligible due to cancellation of the Policy or cancellation of the class of insureds in which the Employee belonged, an Insured Person may convert the lesser of: (1) $10,000 or (2) all or part of the amount for which the Insured Person is no longer eligible for under the Policy.

B. Premiums.
   1. Premiums for such individual life policy will be based on: (1) Our usual rate for the amount and type of individual policy; (2) the Insured Person's class of risk; and (3) the Insured Person's attained age.
   2. If an Insured Person dies during the Conversion Period, the maximum amount of life insurance to which he or she would have been entitled to under such individual policy shall be payable as a claim under the Group Policy, whether or not application for the individual policy or the payment of the first premium has been made.
   3. The rights or benefits granted under this provision are in lieu of any other rights or benefits granted under the Group Policy.

VIII. ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

A. If an Insured Person has an Accident while insured for Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance and the Accident results in a Loss (as defined below), We will pay benefits according to the terms of the Group Policy after We receive Proof of Loss.

B. Eligibility. An Insured Person must be a member of a class that is eligible for AD&D coverage under the Group Policy as specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

C. Definitions for AD&D Insurance
   1. **Loss** means Loss of one or more of the body parts or bodily functions listed under "AD&D Benefit" below, or as otherwise provided for under this "Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance" section, which:
      a. is caused solely and directly by an Accident;
      b. occurs independently of all other causes;
      c. occurs within 90 days after the Accident; and
      d. while the Insured Person is covered under the Group Policy.
   2. **Accident:** A sudden, unexpected and unforeseen, identifiable event causing bodily Injury, directly produced by specific accidental contact with another body or object. The Accident must occur while You are covered under the Group Policy.
   3. With respect to a hand or foot, Loss means actual and permanent severance from the body at or above the wrist or ankle joint.
   4. With respect to sight, speech or hearing, Loss means entire and irrecoverable Loss of that function.

D. **AD&D Benefit.** The AD&D Benefit is equal to a percentage of the AD&D Insurance Amount in effect on the date of the Accident, subject to the AD&D Reduction Schedule provision set forth in the "Schedule of Benefits". The AD&D Insurance Amount is shown in the "Schedule of Benefits". The percentage is shown below.

Covered Losses:	Maximum Amount Payable
Loss of Life	100%
Loss of both Hands or both Feet	100%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot	50%
Loss of one Hand and one Foot	100%
Loss of Entire Sight of both Eyes	100%
Loss of Entire Sight in one Eye	50%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot and Entire Sight of one Eye	100%

E. Unless otherwise specified, no more than 100% of the applicable AD&D Insurance Amount will be paid for all Losses resulting from one Accident. If an age reduction applies, the benefit reduces on the date You attain that age.

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F. AD&D Insurance Exclusions. No AD&D Benefit is payable if the Loss is caused or contributed to by any of the following:

1. War or Act of War while you are in the military service . War means a state or period of declared or undeclared war whether civil or international, or any substantial armed conflict with organized forces of a military nature between nations, states or parties;
2. Suicide, attempted suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted Injury, while sane or insane;
3. Committing or attempting to commit a felony or assault, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot. Actively participating does not include being at the scene of a violent disorder or riot while performing Your official duties;
4. Any Injury sustained while under the voluntary use or consumption of any poison, illegal drugs, or controlled substance, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a Physician;
5. Physical Disease existing at the time of the Accident;
6. Medical negligence and malpractice;
7. Bacterial infections (except due to accidental food poisoning or caused by an accidental wound);
8. Any Loss incurred for which any government body or its agencies are liable while the insured is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves, of any state or country;
9. Any Loss incurred while operating, riding in or descending from any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a commercial aircraft.

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IX. CLAIMS PROVISIONS

A. Filing A Claim
   1. To file a claim for benefits under this Certificate, the claimant (depending on the benefit the claimant could be an Insured Person, a beneficiary or personal representative of an Insured Person) must provide Us with Proof of Loss in a timely manner. Or, upon receipt of written notice of claim, We will send the claimant a Claim Form for filing Proof of Loss. If the claimant does not receive such forms within 15 days after the giving of such notice, the claimant can send us, without the Claim Form, the written proof covering the occurrence.
   2. Proof of Loss.
      a. Proof of Loss must be provided in writing to Us, at the claimant's expense, within 90 days after the date of the loss if reasonably possible. If that is not reasonably possible, Proof of Loss must be provided

no later than one year after expiration of that 90-day period, or the claim will be denied. The time limits under this section shall not apply while the claimant lacks legal capacity.

b. **Proof of Loss** means satisfactory written proof that a loss occurred for which the Group Policy provides benefits, which is not subject to any exclusion, and which meets all other conditions for benefits. Proof of Loss includes any other information We may reasonably require in support of a claim for benefits under the Group Policy.

B. Notice of Decision on Claim

1. We will evaluate a claim for benefits promptly after We receive it. Within 30 days after We receive the claim We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on the claim; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the period to decide the claim for an additional 45 days.
2. If the claim is approved, We will pay benefits within 30 days after the Proof of Loss requirement is satisfied.
3. If We extend the period to decide the claim, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
4. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may decide the claim based on the information We have received.
5. If We deny any part of the claim, We will send the claimant a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision;
   b. reference to the parts of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based;
   c. a description of any additional information required to support the claim;
   d. information concerning the claimant's right to a review of Our decision.

C. Payment of Claims.

Upon receipt of proper Proof of Loss, benefits will be paid within 30 days. If any claims payment interest accrues, interest will be paid in the amount determined by the State in which the claims are incurred.

Death Claims: If an Insured Person dies while insured for life insurance under the Group Policy, We will pay benefits according to the "Schedule of Benefits", after We receive Proof of Loss, as follows.

1. The death benefit will be paid in a single sum or by any other method agreeable to Us and the beneficiary. Payment of the benefit will extinguish Our liability under the Group Policy for which the death benefit has been paid.
2. No Surviving Beneficiary. If You do not name a beneficiary, or if You are not survived by any named beneficiary, benefits will be paid to Your estate.
3. Dependent Benefits. Dependent Life Insurance benefits that are payable, but unpaid at the Insured Person's death, will be paid in equal shares to the first surviving class of the following, if the Eligible Employee is dead:
   a. The children of the Dependent.
   b. The parents of the Dependent.
   c. The Insured Person's estate.

   The following Dependent benefits, payable under the Group Policy, will be paid to the Eligible Employee if he or she is living:
   a. AD&D Insurance benefits;
   b. Life Insurance benefits;
   c. Supplemental Life Insurance benefits payable because of the death of Your insured Spouse or Child;
   d. Living Benefit.

4. Facility of Payment. If the benefits provided by the Group Policy are payable to the Insured Person's estate or to a beneficiary who is a minor or otherwise not legally competent to give a valid release, We may pay up to $500 to any person related to the Insured Person by blood or marriage. Any payment made in good

faith will fully release Us to the limit of the payment. If a beneficiary is a minor, or is not able to give a valid release for any payment of benefits made, We will pay the life proceeds to the legally appointed guardian. The guardian must provide Us with adequate written proof of such appointment. This provision does not prevent Us from making payment to or for the benefit of a minor beneficiary in accordance with the applicable state law. Payment made before We have received written notice at Our home office of a valid claim by some other person releases Us from further obligation.

D. Review Procedure.
1. If all or part of a claim is denied, the claimant may request a review. The claimant must request a review in writing within 60 days after receiving notice of the denial.
2. The claimant may send Us written comments or other items to support the claim. The claimant may review and receive copies of any non-privileged information that is relevant to the request for review. There will be no charge for such copies. Our review will include any written comments or other items the claimant submits to support the claim.
3. We will review the claim promptly after We receive the request. Within 60 days after We receive the request for review We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on review; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the review period for 60 days. If the extension is due to the claimant's failure to provide information necessary to decide the claim on review, the extended time period for review of the claim will not begin until the claimant provides the information or otherwise responds.
4. If We extend the review period, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim on review; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
5. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may conclude Our review of the claim based on the information We have received.
6. If We deny any part of the claim on review, the claimant will receive a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision.
   b. references to the provisions of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based.
   c. information concerning the claimant's right to receive, free of charge, copies of non-privileged documents and records relevant to the claim.
7. The Group Policy does not provide voluntary alternative dispute resolution options.

X. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Naming a Beneficiary.
1. At the time You became insured under the Group Policy, You should have named a beneficiary of the proceeds of Your life insurance on the enrollment form.

2. You may have named primary beneficiaries and secondary beneficiaries. A secondary beneficiary will become a primary beneficiary if the named primary beneficiary is not living at the time of Your death. Two or more surviving primary beneficiaries will share equally, unless You specify otherwise.

3. AD&D Insurance death benefits will be distributed according to the beneficiary designation of Your corresponding life insurance.

4. You may change Your beneficiary designation at any time, subject to the following:
   a) The designation must be made in writing on a form suitable to Us;
   b) The designation must be dated and signed by You (and by your Spouse where required by law);
   c) The designation must relate and refer to the insurance provided under the Group Policy;
   d) If applicable, We must have the written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries;
   e) You must not have assigned the ownership of Your insurance.

5. When a valid change of beneficiary is received by Us, the change will relate back to and take effect as of the date it was signed. This is the case whether You are alive or not when We receive the request. Even though the change of beneficiary will relate back to the date it was signed, it will be without prejudice to Us on account of any payment We have already made.

6. If We approve it, a written designation signed and dated by You under the Prior Plan will be accepted as Your beneficiary designation under the Group Policy.

B. Simultaneous Death Provision.

If a beneficiary dies on the same day You die, or within 120 hours from Your time of death, benefits will be paid as if that beneficiary had died before You, unless Proof of Loss with respect to Your death is delivered to Us before the date of the beneficiary's death.

C. Entire Contract, Changes

1. This Certificate, including the Enrollment Form, Group Policy and any Riders, Amendment or attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of Insurance. No change in this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of Our company and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or waive any of its provisions.

2. Except for those functions which the Group Policy specifically reserves to the Policyholder or Employer, We have authority to control, manage, and interpret the Group Policy, to administer claims and to resolve all questions arising in the administration, interpretation and application of the Group Policy.

3. Our authority includes, but is not limited to the following:
   a) the right to resolve all matters when a review has been requested;
   b) the right to establish and enforce rules and procedures for the administration of the Group Policy and any claim under it;
   c) the right to determine eligibility for insurance, entitlement to benefits, the amount of benefits payable and the sufficiency and the amount of information We may reasonably require to make determinations.

D. Incontestability of Insurance

1. Any statement made to obtain or to increase insurance is a representation and not a warranty.

2. No misrepresentation will be used as a basis for reducing or denying a claim or contesting the validity of insurance unless:
   a) the insurance would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given You or any other person claiming benefits a copy of the signed written instrument which contains the misrepresentation.

3. After insurance has been in effect for 2 years, during the lifetime of the Insured Person, We will not use a misrepresentation as a basis for reducing or denying a claim, unless it was a fraudulent misrepresentation.

E. Incontestability of the Group Policy or Employer Coverage under the Group Policy

1. No misrepresentation by the Policyholder or Your Employer will be used as a basis for denying a claim, or for denying the validity of the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy unless:
   a) the Group Policy would not have been issued or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given the Policyholder or Employer a copy of a written instrument signed by the Policyholder or Employer which contains the misrepresentation.

2. The validity of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will not be contested after it has been in force for 2 years, except for nonpayment of premium or fraudulent misrepresentations.

F. Clerical Error

1. Clerical error by Us, the Policyholder, Your Employer, or their respective Eligible Employees or representatives will not:
   a) cause a person to become insured under the Group Policy or a provision of it.
   b) invalidate insurance otherwise validly in force.
   c) continue insurance otherwise validly terminated.
   d) cause an Employer to obtain coverage under the Group Policy or a provision of it.

2. In the event that a clerical error results in an incorrect rate, We reserve the right to adjust the rate accordingly.

3. The payment of premium, by itself, will not obligate Us to provide benefits to anyone who is not eligible for coverage under the Group Policy.

4. Your Employer acts on its own behalf as Your agent, and not as Our agent. Your Employer has no authority to alter, expand or extend Our liability or to waive, modify or compromise any defense or right We may have under the Group Policy.

G. Misstatement

1. Age or Gender

If the age or gender, or both, of a person has been misstated, We will make an equitable adjustment of premiums, benefits or both. The adjustment will be based on:

   a) the amount of insurance based on the correct age and gender; and
   b) the difference between the premiums paid and the premiums which would have been paid if the age and gender had been correctly stated.

2. A legal action may not be brought to recover on this Certificate within 60 days after written Proof of Loss has been given as required. No such action may be brought after 3 years from the time written proof was required to be given.

H. Assignment

An Insured may not assign any of his or her rights, privileges or benefits under the Group Policy, unless approved by Us.

I. Conformity With State Laws

If any provision of this Certificate is contrary to any law to which it is subject, such provision is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such law.

CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE

North Scott Community School District
Eldridge, Iowa
Administrators

Administered by:
NATIONAL INSURANCE SERVICES
of Wisconsin, Inc.

MADISON NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, INC.
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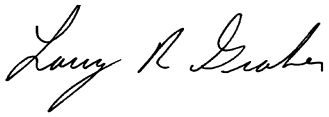
PLEASE READ THIS CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY

This Certificate of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "Certificate") is evidence of insurance provided under the Group Policy issued to the Group Policyholder (hereinafter referred to as "Policyholder"). This Certificate describes the essential features of such insurance.

Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc., in performing its obligations under the Group Policy, is acting only as a life insurer with respect to the Group Policy and is not in any way acting as a plan administrator, a plan sponsor or a plan trustee for the purposes of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or any other federal or state laws.

No coverage under the Group Policy is in effect until approved in writing by Us and issued and delivered to the Policyholder. All terms, conditions and other provisions of the Group Policy are governed by the laws of the state in which the Policyholder is located. All provisions on this and the following pages are part of this Certificate. The Group Policy is on file and available for review at the main office of the Policyholder.

The President and Secretary of Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc witness this Certificate:



Larry R. Graber
President



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Secretary

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

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SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

A. Administrative

1. Employer:	North Scott Community School District
2. Plan Number:	3468
3. Initial Plan Effective Date:	January 1, 2000
4. Revised Effective Date:	September 1, 2017
5. Evidence of Insurability Requirements:	Applies to Late Enrollees, Increases in Benefits and Amounts over Guarantee Issue Amounts
6. Eligible Class:	02 Administrators
7. Minimum Hourly Work Requirement:	30 hours per week
8. Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage:	None
9. New Employee Eligibility Date:	Upon completion of the Waiting Period
10. Leaves / Layoffs:	Coverage with premium payment while on FMLA leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 12 months while on Paid or Unpaid Leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 15 days while on Military Leave
11. Employee Premium Contribution	
Employee Basic Insurance:	0%
12. Participation Requirements	
Employee Basic Insurance:	100%
13. Insurance Reduction Schedule	
Employee Basic Insurance:	Basic Life and Basic AD&D Insurance does not reduce and terminates at retirement.

B. Basic Life Insurance

Employee Basic Life:	$95,000
Guarantee Issue:	$95,000

C. Additional Benefits

1. Conversion of Insurance Benefit:	Included
2. Waiver of Premium Benefit:	Included
3. Living Benefit:	Included

D. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

1. Basic AD&D Insurance

Employee Basic AD&D Insurance:	Equal to Basic Life amount
Guarantee Issue:	Equal to Basic Life amount

I. DEFINITIONS

Active Work and **Actively at Work** are defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Annual Salary: Your current salary or wage from your Employer for the previous twelve months. Annual Salary does not include extra pay, annuity contributions, commissions, bonuses, overtime pay or any other extra compensation.

Contributory means that You pay all or a portion of the premium for insurance.

Disabled or **Disability** means:

1. during the first 24 months of the Disability period, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of Your own occupation and You are under the Regular Care of a Physician; or
2. after the first 24 months, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of any occupation for which You are qualified by education, training and experience, and You are under the Regular Care and Attendance of a Physician.

Eligible Class means an employment classification defined by the Employer and specified in the "Schedule of Benefits." You must be a member of an Eligible Class in order to be eligible for insurance under the Group Policy.

Eligible Dependent is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Eligible Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employer means an Employer (including approved affiliates and subsidiaries) participating in the Policyholder Trust to whom We have assigned a Plan Number and issued a Joinder Agreement.

Evidence of Insurability

1. Providing Evidence of Insurability means that a person applying for coverage under the Group Policy must:
   a) complete and sign Our Evidence of Insurability application and return the original application to Us. The application must be received by Us no later than 60 days from the date of signing; and
   b) authorize Us to obtain information about the applicant's health; and
   c) undergo a physical examination, if required by Us, which may include diagnostic testing; and
   d) provide any additional information about the applicant's insurability that We may reasonably require.
2. If any applicant is required to provide Evidence of Insurability, the applicant will be responsible for all costs associated with providing Evidence of Insurability.
3. In each case where Evidence of Insurability is required, We base Our decision whether to approve coverage on the information provided during the underwriting process. If We learn that the information relied on to approve coverage was incorrect, or that relevant information was omitted, We may retroactively rescind coverage and deny claims.

Group Policy (Policy) means the group insurance Policy issued by Us to the Policyholder under a specified Plan Number.

Guarantee Issue is the amount of coverage provided which is not subject to Evidence of Insurability.

Hospital means a legally operated Facility providing full-time medical care and treatment under the direction of a full-time staff of licensed Physicians, but not including rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes, homes for the aged and facilities primarily affording custodial, educational, or rehabilitative care.

Injury: Bodily Injury due to an Accident which: (1) results directly and independently of disease, bodily infirmity or any other causes; (2) solely, directly and independently of all other causes results in medical expense; (3) occurs after the effective date of the Insured Person's coverage; and (4) occurs while the Insured Person's coverage is in force. All Injuries sustained in any one Accident, including all related conditions and recurrent symptoms of these Injuries, are considered a single Injury.

Insured Person means an Eligible Employee, Eligible Dependent or Eligible Retiree whose coverage is in effect under the Group Policy.

Joinder Agreement means the document entered into between the Policyholder and the Employer describing the coverage requested by the Employer with respect to its Employees, which has been approved by Us and assigned a Plan Number.

Late Enrollee means an Employee or Dependent who applies for coverage under the Group Policy more than 31 days after becoming an Eligible Employee or Eligible Dependent.

Limiting Age means the Child age(s) shown in the definition of Child in the Eligibility for Insurance section.

Mental Disorder means any mental, emotional, behavioral, psychological, personality, cognitive, mood or stress related abnormality, disorder, disturbance, dysfunction or syndrome listed in the latest edition of the American Psychiatric Association Diagnostic and Statistical Manual or the International Classification of Disease.

Noncontributory means the Employer pays the entire premium for insurance.

Physical Disease means a Physical Disease entity or process that produces structural or functional changes in the body as diagnosed by a Physician. Physical Disease includes pregnancy and Mental Disorder.

Physician means a licensed medical professional under the laws of a state of the United States of America, acting within the scope of such license, who is permitted by law to prescribe medications and practice independent of supervision.

For the purpose of this Group Policy, Physician will not include the Insured Person’s Spouse, parent, brother, sister, or Child, including these members of a Spouse’s family.

Plan Effective Date means the date on which the Group Policy, with respect to the Employer, becomes effective.

Plan Number means the number used by Us to reference an Employer and the terms of coverage specified under the Group Policy and Joinder Agreement.

Prior Plan means the Employer’s group life insurance plan in effect on the day immediately preceding the Plan Effective Date.

Proof of Loss is defined in the “Claims Provisions” section.

Regular Care and Attendance means observation and treatment by a Physician as required by current standards of medicine for the Injury or Physical Disease causing a Disability, but in any event not less than one such observation per year.

Retire and **Retirement Date** means the earlier of:

1. the date You Retire as such term is defined by Your Employer;
2. the date You receive or become eligible to receive, as defined by the Employer, retirement benefits under any pension plan to which the Employer contributes,

3. or the date You receive or become eligible to receive retirement benefits under, and as defined by, any state or federal retirement plan or under the Social Security Act or Railroad Retirement Act.
4. the date You reach the age defined in the "Schedule of Benefits".

You and **Your** means the Eligible Employee.

Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" and "Schedule of Benefits".

We, Us and **Our** means Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc.

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II. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSURANCE

A. Employee Life Insurance Eligibility.
1. Employee Basic Life Insurance. To be eligible for Employee Basic Life Insurance under the Group Policy, You must satisfy the following requirements:

a) You must be an **Eligible Employee**.
(1) Employee means an individual who works for the Employer as a member of an Eligible Class and who is reported on the Employer's records for Social Security and tax withholding purposes.

b) You must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America or one of its territories.

c) You must be Actively at Work and capable of sustained Active Work.
(1) **Active Work** and **Actively at Work** mean working at Your Employer's usual place of business, and satisfying the Minimum Hourly Work Requirement. Actively at Work will include regularly scheduled days off, holidays, or vacation days, so long as You are capable of sustained Active Work on those days.
(2) Minimum Hourly Work Requirement means the work hours over a specified time period that are required of You by Your Employer in order to be eligible for coverage. Your Minimum Hourly Work Requirement is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".
(3) The Active Work requirement is waived during the time You are approved for benefits under the "Waiver of Premium Benefit" section.

d) You must have satisfied Your Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage.
(1) Waiting Period means the period of time that You must be Actively at Work as an Employee for Your coverage to become effective. Your Waiting Period is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

e) You cannot be a member of more than one Eligible Class.

f) You cannot be a, temporary or seasonal Eligible Employee, full-time member of the armed forces of any country, leased Eligible Employee, or independent contractor.

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III. BECOMING INSURED

A. To become an Insured Person under the Group Policy, an applicant must meet the following requirements as each may apply:
   1. If Evidence of Insurability is required, the applicant must provide such Evidence of Insurability and be approved for coverage by Us. The "Schedule of Benefits" specifies when Evidence of Insurability is required.
   2. If the insurance is Contributory insurance, the applicant must apply in writing and remit the required premiums.

B. Effective Dates
   1. Employee's Initial Enrollment
      a. Noncontributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability or which is subject to Evidence of Insurability and has been approved by Us, becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee, or as specified by your Employer. However, if You initially waive participation in such coverage and then later wish to participate, applications for Noncontributory insurance will be subject to Evidence of Insurability and will become effective as shown below.
      b. Contributory insurance subject to Evidence of Insurability, and Late Enrollee applications for coverage, become effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      c. Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability, if You apply prior to, or within 31 calendar days commencing on, the date You become an Eligible Employee, Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee. If You do not apply for Contributory insurance prior to, or within 31 days of becoming an Eligible Employee and subsequently wish to obtain such coverage, Evidence of Insurability will be required and Your coverage will become effective as provided in subsection b above.
   2. Increases in Insurance
      a. Evidence of Insurability Required. An increase of insurance that is subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      b. Evidence of Insurability Not Required. An increase of insurance that is not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective as follows:
         1) Based on change in Your classification, age or earnings on the date of such change;
   3. Decreases in Insurance
      a. A decrease in life insurance based on a change in Your classification, earnings, age or Your Dependent's age, becomes effective on the date of the change.
      b. Any other decrease in insurance becomes effective on the first day of the calendar month following the date Your Employer receives Your written request for the decrease, except that if such event occurs on the first day of a month, the decrease in coverage becomes effective on that day.
   4. Delayed Effective Date. If You are incapable of sustained Active Work due to Injury or Physical Disease on the day before the scheduled effective date of Your insurance or the effective date of a change in Your insurance, such insurance will not become effective until the day after You are capable of sustained Active Work and complete one day of Active Work as an Eligible Employee.
   5. If Your coverage ends, You may become covered again, subject to the following:
      a. If Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution while on an approved Family Medical Leave of absence, and then You return to Active Work and enroll for coverage within 31 days of the earlier of a) the end of the period of leave You and Your Employer agreed upon, or b) the end of the 12-week period following the date Your leave began, then the Waiting Period will be waived. Coverage is limited to what You had in effect prior to coverage ending or the coverage that is now available for Your Class, as determined by Us.

b. In all other cases, if Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution, You must provide Evidence of Insurability to become covered again.
c. In no event will insurance coverage be retroactive.
d. If You cease to be an Eligible Employee and coverage ends, and then You return to Active Work with the Employer again within 3 months, the Waiting Period will be waived on the first day of Your return to Active Work.

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IV. WHEN COVERAGE ENDS

A. Except as otherwise provided for under this Certificate, coverage will cease on the earliest of the following to occur:
1. the date the Group Policy terminates or the date Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy terminates;
2. the date You cease to be an Eligible Employee;
3. if premium is not paid when required, the last day of the period for which premium was paid;
4. the date You become eligible for coverage as an employee under another group term life insurance policy;
5. if You are a contract Eligible Employee not returning to work as an Eligible Employee the next contract year, the earlier of the following:
   a) the date You become employed with another employer;
   b) Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy;
   c) expiration of the current contract year;
6. Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy.
7. for AD&D coverage, the date Your corresponding life insurance ends, the date you are no longer Actively at Work, the date Your Waiver of Premium Benefit begins or Your Retirement Date.

B. Approved FMLA Leave of Absence – Contributory or Noncontributory Coverage
1. With regard to the Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) of 1993, as amended, the Employer and Employee must be eligible for FMLA in order to receive it. If You are on an approved FMLA leave, coverage will continue until the later of the leave period required by FMLA or the leave period required by applicable state law, provided that :
   a) The FMLA leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the FMLA leave; and
   b) The documentation of the advance approval of the FMLA leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
   c) FMLA leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during FMLA leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
   d) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

C. Paid Leave of Absence. If You are on a paid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
1. Noncontributory coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:

(1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
(2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
(3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

2. Contributory Coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on:
      (1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
      (2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
      (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
      (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

   c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a paid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

D. Unpaid Leave of Absence - If You are on an unpaid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leave of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
   (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
   (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
   (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
   (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during an unpaid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

E. Military Leave of Absence. If You are on a military leave of absence , coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a military leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave of absence; and

         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during such leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer; or
         (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

      c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a military leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

F. Termination or Amendment of the Group Policy and Employer Coverage

1. The Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Policyholder according to the terms of the Group Policy. Any such change or amendment may apply to current or future Employers and eligible persons covered under the Group Policy or to any separate classes or categories thereof. An Employer's coverage under the Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Employer according to the terms of the Group Policy.

2. We may change the Group Policy and any Employer's coverage under the Group Policy in whole or in part: (i) when any change or clarification in law or governmental regulation affects Our obligations under the Group Policy, or (ii) with the Policyholder's or Employer's consent.

3. We may terminate an Employer's coverage on any premium due date by giving the Employer not less than 60 days advance notice. An Employer may terminate coverage under the Group Policy in whole, and may terminate insurance for any class or group of eligible persons, at any time by giving Us advanced written notice at least 60 days prior to such termination. Insurance will terminate automatically for nonpayment of premium.

4. Benefits are limited to the terms of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy, including any valid amendments. No change or amendment of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will be valid unless it is approved in writing by one of Our executive officers and delivered to Your Employer. The Policyholder, Your Employer and their Eligible Employees or representatives have no right or authority to change or amend the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy or to waive any terms or provisions thereof without Our signed, written approval.

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V. LIFE INSURANCE - WAIVER OF PREMIUM BENEFIT

A. Waiver of Premium Definitions
   1. **Elimination Period** means the period of 9 months beginning on the date You become Disabled.
   2. **Life Insurance** under this Waiver of Premium Benefit means all of the Life Insurance, as listed in the Schedule of Benefits, in force under the Group Policy on the day before the day You become Disabled.
   3. **Proof of Disability** means documented clinical findings that prove that You are Disabled.

B. Waiver of Premium does not apply to AD&D Insurance.

C. Your Life Insurance will be continued as provided for under this section without payment of premium, if all of the following conditions are met:
   1. You become Disabled prior to age 60 while insured under the Group Policy;
   2. You remain Disabled without interruption for the duration of the Elimination Period;
   3. You provide Us with written notice of Your Disability within the later of 30 days after the end of Your Elimination Period or an approved leave of absence not to exceed 12 months;
   4. You provide Us with satisfactory written Proof of Disability within 12 months from the last day of the Elimination Period;
   5. Your claim is approved by Us.

D. When the Waiver of Premium Benefit Begins. If You qualify and are approved for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, Your premium will be waived beginning on the first day of the month immediately following the end of Your Elimination Period.

E. When Waiver of Premium Ends. Waiver of Premium ends on the earliest to occur of the following:
   1. The date You cease to be Disabled;
   2. The 91st day following the date We mail to You a request for additional Proof of Disability with which You fail to comply;
   3. The date You refuse to submit to a medical examination or to cooperate with Our chosen health care provider;

4. The date You refuse to submit to or undergo vocational rehabilitation (which determines employment opportunities, if any, for individuals with disabilities);
5. The date at which You've resided outside of the United States of America, or one of its territories during any 6 consecutive months for which premium had been waived;
6. The effective date of an individual life insurance policy issued to You under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

F. Premiums
1. Premium payment must continue until the later of the end of Your Elimination Period or the date Your claim for the Waiver of Premium Benefit is approved by Us.
2. If Your Waiver of Premium benefit terminates because You cease to be Disabled or You fail to submit to a medical exam or cooperate with the examiner, for coverage to continue, You must be an Eligible Employee and premiums must resume on the next premium due date, or You must continue coverage as provided for under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

G. Amount of Insurance
1. The amount of Life Insurance continued under the Waiver of Premium Benefit is the amount in effect on the day before You became Disabled, if you were Actively at Work.
2. Insurance will be reduced or terminated according to the Group Policy provisions in effect on the day before You became Disabled.
3. Your Life Insurance amount will not increase while Your Life Insurance premiums are being waived.

H. We will not waive premiums if Your Disability results from intentionally self-inflicted Injuries or Physical Diseases, while sane or insane, or from Your voluntary participation in an illegal activity.

I. If You die during the Elimination Period and are otherwise eligible for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, the Elimination Period will not apply.

J. We may require further Proof of Disability in intervals that are reasonable based on Your type of Disability.

K. Investigation Of Claim
With respect to benefits that are claimed during an Insured Person's lifetime, We may require him or her to undergo examination at reasonable intervals, at Our expense. Any such examinations will be conducted by appropriate Physician of Our choice. We may deny or suspend benefits if You fail to attend an examination, or do not give full effort and cooperation to the examiner.

VI. LIFE INSURANCE - LIVING BENEFIT

Terminally Ill and **Terminal Illness** mean a medical condition that is expected to result in Your death within 24 months.

A. If You become Terminally Ill while covered for life insurance under the Group Policy You may elect to receive the Living Benefit as provided for under this section.

B. The Living Benefit will be an amount equal to 50% of Your Employee Basic Life Insurance in effect on the date Your election is made, subject to a minimum of $5,000 and a maximum of $50,000. The amount payable will be equal to the Living Benefit less applicable amounts, if any, charged for an investment loss (interest) and administrative fees.

C. The payment will be made in one lump sum to You or to the payee You appropriately assign.

D. The Living Benefit will not be available if:

1. You have any portion of any Life Insurance or ownership rights thereof absolutely or irrevocably assigned or transferred;
2. You have made an irrevocable beneficiary designation;
3. the insurance proceeds are subject to a court order under a divorce decree, separate maintenance agreement or property settlement agreement;
4. You have filed for bankruptcy, unless You give Us written approval from the bankruptcy court for payment of the Living Benefit.

E. No payment will be made under this election unless and until We receive and approve of all of the following:
   1. Your signed and notarized election of this option on a form furnished by Us;
   2. signed and witnessed written statements of all irrevocable beneficiaries and assignees (and Spouse in marital property states) consenting to Your election of this option; and
   3. satisfactory written proof from a Physician other than Yourself or a member of Your or Your Spouse's immediate family that You have been diagnosed as being Terminally Ill and that You are of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

F. We may require a second opinion and examination of Your condition at Our own expense by a Physician of Our choice.

G. Payment of the Living Benefit will reduce correspondingly the face amount of Your life insurance benefits under the Group Policy. This will result in reduced life insurance proceeds payable to Your beneficiary at Your death. Furthermore, any amount of insurance that would otherwise be continued will be reduced proportionately, as will the maximum face amount available under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

H. Premium payments must continue to be paid for Your life insurance unless You qualify to have Your life insurance premium waived. The premium due will be based on the amount of insurance remaining in force after deducting the amount of the Living Benefit.

I. Payment of the Living Benefit will not affect the amount of, or change an existing beneficiary designation for, the AD&D Benefit, if any, in effect and kept in force under the Group Policy.

J. Your election together with Our payment of the Living Benefit constitute a valid and effective beneficiary designation change, but only with respect to the specified life insurance benefits, and only to the extent affected by the Living Benefit payment, and applicable interest and fees, if any, charged thereon.

K. Payment of the Living Benefit will be exempt from the claims of creditors and from legal process to the extent permitted by law.

L. All other provisions of the Group Policy, including the effective date provisions of any benefit increases and the provisions on benefit reductions because of amendments to the plan or benefit classification changes or Your attained age, remain valid and in effect. Any such life insurance benefit reduction will be calculated based on Your life insurance amount in effect immediately before the Living Benefit payment.

M. You are responsible for any tax consequences related to this benefit.

VII. LIFE INSURANCE CONVERSION BENEFIT

A. When Coverage Ends.
   1. If an Insured Person's coverage under the Policy ends, the Insured Person may, as described below, apply for Our individual life insurance policy without submitting Evidence of Insurability.
      a. The Insured Person must complete an application, pay the first premium, and send them to Us within the 31-day period immediately following the date coverage ends under the Policy (the Conversion Period).
      b. The individual policy will become effective on the first day following the date coverage under the Policy ends.
      c. The Insured Person may convert all or part of the amount of life insurance benefit, as shown in the "Schedule of Benefits".
   2. If an Insured Person has been insured under the Policy for at least five years and is no longer eligible due to cancellation of the Policy or cancellation of the class of insureds in which the Employee belonged, an Insured Person may convert the lesser of: (1) $10,000 or (2) all or part of the amount for which the Insured Person is no longer eligible for under the Policy.

B. Premiums.
   1. Premiums for such individual life policy will be based on: (1) Our usual rate for the amount and type of individual policy; (2) the Insured Person's class of risk; and (3) the Insured Person's attained age.
   2. If an Insured Person dies during the Conversion Period, the maximum amount of life insurance to which he or she would have been entitled to under such individual policy shall be payable as a claim under the Group Policy, whether or not application for the individual policy or the payment of the first premium has been made.
   3. The rights or benefits granted under this provision are in lieu of any other rights or benefits granted under the Group Policy.

VIII. ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

A. If an Insured Person has an Accident while insured for Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance and the Accident results in a Loss (as defined below), We will pay benefits according to the terms of the Group Policy after We receive Proof of Loss.

B. Eligibility. An Insured Person must be a member of a class that is eligible for AD&D coverage under the Group Policy as specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

C. Definitions for AD&D Insurance
   1. **Loss** means Loss of one or more of the body parts or bodily functions listed under "AD&D Benefit" below, or as otherwise provided for under this "Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance" section, which:
      a. is caused solely and directly by an Accident;
      b. occurs independently of all other causes;
      c. occurs within 90 days after the Accident; and
      d. while the Insured Person is covered under the Group Policy.
   2. **Accident:** A sudden, unexpected and unforeseen, identifiable event causing bodily Injury, directly produced by specific accidental contact with another body or object. The Accident must occur while You are covered under the Group Policy.
   3. With respect to a hand or foot, Loss means actual and permanent severance from the body at or above the wrist or ankle joint.
   4. With respect to sight, speech or hearing, Loss means entire and irrecoverable Loss of that function.

D. **AD&D Benefit.** The AD&D Benefit is equal to a percentage of the AD&D Insurance Amount in effect on the date of the Accident, subject to the AD&D Reduction Schedule provision set forth in the "Schedule of Benefits". The AD&D Insurance Amount is shown in the "Schedule of Benefits". The percentage is shown below.

Covered Losses:	Maximum Amount Payable
Loss of Life	100%
Loss of both Hands or both Feet	100%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot	50%
Loss of one Hand and one Foot	100%
Loss of Entire Sight of both Eyes	100%
Loss of Entire Sight in one Eye	50%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot and Entire Sight of one Eye	100%

E. Unless otherwise specified, no more than 100% of the applicable AD&D Insurance Amount will be paid for all Losses resulting from one Accident. If an age reduction applies, the benefit reduces on the date You attain that age.

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F. AD&D Insurance Exclusions. No AD&D Benefit is payable if the Loss is caused or contributed to by any of the following:

1. War or Act of War while you are in the military service . War means a state or period of declared or undeclared war whether civil or international, or any substantial armed conflict with organized forces of a military nature between nations, states or parties;
2. Suicide, attempted suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted Injury, while sane or insane;
3. Committing or attempting to commit a felony or assault, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot. Actively participating does not include being at the scene of a violent disorder or riot while performing Your official duties;
4. Any Injury sustained while under the voluntary use or consumption of any poison, illegal drugs, or controlled substance, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a Physician;
5. Physical Disease existing at the time of the Accident;
6. Medical negligence and malpractice;
7. Bacterial infections (except due to accidental food poisoning or caused by an accidental wound);
8. Any Loss incurred for which any government body or its agencies are liable while the insured is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves, of any state or country;
9. Any Loss incurred while operating, riding in or descending from any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a commercial aircraft.

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IX. CLAIMS PROVISIONS

A. Filing A Claim
   1. To file a claim for benefits under this Certificate, the claimant (depending on the benefit the claimant could be an Insured Person, a beneficiary or personal representative of an Insured Person) must provide Us with Proof of Loss in a timely manner. Or, upon receipt of written notice of claim, We will send the claimant a Claim Form for filing Proof of Loss. If the claimant does not receive such forms within 15 days after the giving of such notice, the claimant can send us, without the Claim Form, the written proof covering the occurrence.
   2. Proof of Loss.
      a. Proof of Loss must be provided in writing to Us, at the claimant's expense, within 90 days after the date of the loss if reasonably possible. If that is not reasonably possible, Proof of Loss must be provided

no later than one year after expiration of that 90-day period, or the claim will be denied. The time limits under this section shall not apply while the claimant lacks legal capacity.

b. **Proof of Loss** means satisfactory written proof that a loss occurred for which the Group Policy provides benefits, which is not subject to any exclusion, and which meets all other conditions for benefits. Proof of Loss includes any other information We may reasonably require in support of a claim for benefits under the Group Policy.

B. Notice of Decision on Claim

1. We will evaluate a claim for benefits promptly after We receive it. Within 30 days after We receive the claim We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on the claim; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the period to decide the claim for an additional 45 days.
2. If the claim is approved, We will pay benefits within 30 days after the Proof of Loss requirement is satisfied.
3. If We extend the period to decide the claim, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
4. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may decide the claim based on the information We have received.
5. If We deny any part of the claim, We will send the claimant a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision;
   b. reference to the parts of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based;
   c. a description of any additional information required to support the claim;
   d. information concerning the claimant's right to a review of Our decision.

C. Payment of Claims.

Upon receipt of proper Proof of Loss, benefits will be paid within 30 days. If any claims payment interest accrues, interest will be paid in the amount determined by the State in which the claims are incurred.

Death Claims: If an Insured Person dies while insured for life insurance under the Group Policy, We will pay benefits according to the "Schedule of Benefits", after We receive Proof of Loss, as follows.

1. The death benefit will be paid in a single sum or by any other method agreeable to Us and the beneficiary. Payment of the benefit will extinguish Our liability under the Group Policy for which the death benefit has been paid.
2. No Surviving Beneficiary. If You do not name a beneficiary, or if You are not survived by any named beneficiary, benefits will be paid to Your estate.
3. Dependent Benefits. Dependent Life Insurance benefits that are payable, but unpaid at the Insured Person's death, will be paid in equal shares to the first surviving class of the following, if the Eligible Employee is dead:
   a. The children of the Dependent.
   b. The parents of the Dependent.
   c. The Insured Person's estate.

   The following Dependent benefits, payable under the Group Policy, will be paid to the Eligible Employee if he or she is living:
   a. AD&D Insurance benefits;
   b. Life Insurance benefits;
   c. Supplemental Life Insurance benefits payable because of the death of Your insured Spouse or Child;
   d. Living Benefit.

4. Facility of Payment. If the benefits provided by the Group Policy are payable to the Insured Person's estate or to a beneficiary who is a minor or otherwise not legally competent to give a valid release, We may pay up to $500 to any person related to the Insured Person by blood or marriage. Any payment made in good

faith will fully release Us to the limit of the payment. If a beneficiary is a minor, or is not able to give a valid release for any payment of benefits made, We will pay the life proceeds to the legally appointed guardian. The guardian must provide Us with adequate written proof of such appointment. This provision does not prevent Us from making payment to or for the benefit of a minor beneficiary in accordance with the applicable state law. Payment made before We have received written notice at Our home office of a valid claim by some other person releases Us from further obligation.

D. Review Procedure.
1. If all or part of a claim is denied, the claimant may request a review. The claimant must request a review in writing within 60 days after receiving notice of the denial.
2. The claimant may send Us written comments or other items to support the claim. The claimant may review and receive copies of any non-privileged information that is relevant to the request for review. There will be no charge for such copies. Our review will include any written comments or other items the claimant submits to support the claim.
3. We will review the claim promptly after We receive the request. Within 60 days after We receive the request for review We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on review; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the review period for 60 days. If the extension is due to the claimant's failure to provide information necessary to decide the claim on review, the extended time period for review of the claim will not begin until the claimant provides the information or otherwise responds.
4. If We extend the review period, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim on review; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
5. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may conclude Our review of the claim based on the information We have received.
6. If We deny any part of the claim on review, the claimant will receive a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision.
   b. references to the provisions of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based.
   c. information concerning the claimant's right to receive, free of charge, copies of non-privileged documents and records relevant to the claim.
7. The Group Policy does not provide voluntary alternative dispute resolution options.

X. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Naming a Beneficiary.
1. At the time You became insured under the Group Policy, You should have named a beneficiary of the proceeds of Your life insurance on the enrollment form.

2. You may have named primary beneficiaries and secondary beneficiaries. A secondary beneficiary will become a primary beneficiary if the named primary beneficiary is not living at the time of Your death. Two or more surviving primary beneficiaries will share equally, unless You specify otherwise.

3. AD&D Insurance death benefits will be distributed according to the beneficiary designation of Your corresponding life insurance.

4. You may change Your beneficiary designation at any time, subject to the following:
   a) The designation must be made in writing on a form suitable to Us;
   b) The designation must be dated and signed by You (and by your Spouse where required by law);
   c) The designation must relate and refer to the insurance provided under the Group Policy;
   d) If applicable, We must have the written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries;
   e) You must not have assigned the ownership of Your insurance.

5. When a valid change of beneficiary is received by Us, the change will relate back to and take effect as of the date it was signed. This is the case whether You are alive or not when We receive the request. Even though the change of beneficiary will relate back to the date it was signed, it will be without prejudice to Us on account of any payment We have already made.

6. If We approve it, a written designation signed and dated by You under the Prior Plan will be accepted as Your beneficiary designation under the Group Policy.

B. Simultaneous Death Provision.

If a beneficiary dies on the same day You die, or within 120 hours from Your time of death, benefits will be paid as if that beneficiary had died before You, unless Proof of Loss with respect to Your death is delivered to Us before the date of the beneficiary's death.

C. Entire Contract, Changes

1. This Certificate, including the Enrollment Form, Group Policy and any Riders, Amendment or attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of Insurance. No change in this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of Our company and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or waive any of its provisions.

2. Except for those functions which the Group Policy specifically reserves to the Policyholder or Employer, We have authority to control, manage, and interpret the Group Policy, to administer claims and to resolve all questions arising in the administration, interpretation and application of the Group Policy.

3. Our authority includes, but is not limited to the following:
   a) the right to resolve all matters when a review has been requested;
   b) the right to establish and enforce rules and procedures for the administration of the Group Policy and any claim under it;
   c) the right to determine eligibility for insurance, entitlement to benefits, the amount of benefits payable and the sufficiency and the amount of information We may reasonably require to make determinations.

D. Incontestability of Insurance

1. Any statement made to obtain or to increase insurance is a representation and not a warranty.

2. No misrepresentation will be used as a basis for reducing or denying a claim or contesting the validity of insurance unless:
   a) the insurance would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given You or any other person claiming benefits a copy of the signed written instrument which contains the misrepresentation.

3. After insurance has been in effect for 2 years, during the lifetime of the Insured Person, We will not use a misrepresentation as a basis for reducing or denying a claim, unless it was a fraudulent misrepresentation.

E. Incontestability of the Group Policy or Employer Coverage under the Group Policy

1. No misrepresentation by the Policyholder or Your Employer will be used as a basis for denying a claim, or for denying the validity of the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy unless:
   a) the Group Policy would not have been issued or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given the Policyholder or Employer a copy of a written instrument signed by the Policyholder or Employer which contains the misrepresentation.

2. The validity of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will not be contested after it has been in force for 2 years, except for nonpayment of premium or fraudulent misrepresentations.

F. Clerical Error

1. Clerical error by Us, the Policyholder, Your Employer, or their respective Eligible Employees or representatives will not:
   a) cause a person to become insured under the Group Policy or a provision of it.
   b) invalidate insurance otherwise validly in force.
   c) continue insurance otherwise validly terminated.
   d) cause an Employer to obtain coverage under the Group Policy or a provision of it.

2. In the event that a clerical error results in an incorrect rate, We reserve the right to adjust the rate accordingly.

3. The payment of premium, by itself, will not obligate Us to provide benefits to anyone who is not eligible for coverage under the Group Policy.

4. Your Employer acts on its own behalf as Your agent, and not as Our agent. Your Employer has no authority to alter, expand or extend Our liability or to waive, modify or compromise any defense or right We may have under the Group Policy.

G. Misstatement

1. Age or Gender

If the age or gender, or both, of a person has been misstated, We will make an equitable adjustment of premiums, benefits or both. The adjustment will be based on:

   a) the amount of insurance based on the correct age and gender; and
   b) the difference between the premiums paid and the premiums which would have been paid if the age and gender had been correctly stated.

2. A legal action may not be brought to recover on this Certificate within 60 days after written Proof of Loss has been given as required. No such action may be brought after 3 years from the time written proof was required to be given.

H. Assignment

An Insured may not assign any of his or her rights, privileges or benefits under the Group Policy, unless approved by Us.

I. Conformity With State Laws

If any provision of this Certificate is contrary to any law to which it is subject, such provision is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such law.

CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE

North Scott Community School District
Eldridge, Iowa
Teachers Bargaining Unit

Administered by:
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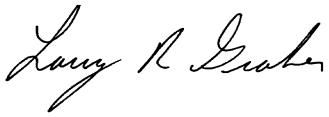
PLEASE READ THIS CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY

This Certificate of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "Certificate") is evidence of insurance provided under the Group Policy issued to the Group Policyholder (hereinafter referred to as "Policyholder"). This Certificate describes the essential features of such insurance.

Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc., in performing its obligations under the Group Policy, is acting only as a life insurer with respect to the Group Policy and is not in any way acting as a plan administrator, a plan sponsor or a plan trustee for the purposes of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or any other federal or state laws.

No coverage under the Group Policy is in effect until approved in writing by Us and issued and delivered to the Policyholder. All terms, conditions and other provisions of the Group Policy are governed by the laws of the state in which the Policyholder is located. All provisions on this and the following pages are part of this Certificate. The Group Policy is on file and available for review at the main office of the Policyholder.

The President and Secretary of Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc witness this Certificate:



Larry R. Graber
President



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Secretary

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

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SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

A. Administrative

1. Employer:	North Scott Community School District
2. Plan Number:	3468
3. Initial Plan Effective Date:	January 1, 2000
4. Revised Effective Date:	September 1, 2017
5. Evidence of Insurability Requirements:	Applies to Late Enrollees, Increases in Benefits and Amounts over Guarantee Issue Amounts
6. Eligible Class:	03 Teachers Bargaining Unit
7. Minimum Hourly Work Requirement:	30 hours per week
8. Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage:	None
9. New Employee Eligibility Date:	Upon completion of the Waiting Period
10. Leaves / Layoffs:	Coverage with premium payment while on FMLA leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 12 months while on Paid or Unpaid Leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 15 days while on Military Leave
11. Employee Premium Contribution	
Employee Basic Insurance:	0%
12. Participation Requirements	
Employee Basic Insurance:	100%
13. Insurance Reduction Schedule	
Employee Basic Insurance:	Basic Life and Basic AD&D Insurance does not reduce and terminates at retirement.

B. Basic Life Insurance

Employee Basic Life:	$50,000
Guarantee Issue:	$50,000

C. Additional Benefits

1. Conversion of Insurance Benefit:	Included
2. Waiver of Premium Benefit:	Included
3. Living Benefit:	Included

D. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

1. Basic AD&D Insurance

Employee Basic AD&D Insurance:	Equal to Basic Life amount
Guarantee Issue:	Equal to Basic Life amount

I. DEFINITIONS

Active Work and **Actively at Work** are defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Annual Salary: Your current salary or wage from your Employer for the previous twelve months. Annual Salary does not include extra pay, annuity contributions, commissions, bonuses, overtime pay or any other extra compensation.

Contributory means that You pay all or a portion of the premium for insurance.

Disabled or **Disability** means:

1. during the first 24 months of the Disability period, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of Your own occupation and You are under the Regular Care of a Physician; or
2. after the first 24 months, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of any occupation for which You are qualified by education, training and experience, and You are under the Regular Care and Attendance of a Physician.

Eligible Class means an employment classification defined by the Employer and specified in the "Schedule of Benefits." You must be a member of an Eligible Class in order to be eligible for insurance under the Group Policy.

Eligible Dependent is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Eligible Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employer means an Employer (including approved affiliates and subsidiaries) participating in the Policyholder Trust to whom We have assigned a Plan Number and issued a Joinder Agreement.

Evidence of Insurability

1. Providing Evidence of Insurability means that a person applying for coverage under the Group Policy must:
   a) complete and sign Our Evidence of Insurability application and return the original application to Us. The application must be received by Us no later than 60 days from the date of signing; and
   b) authorize Us to obtain information about the applicant's health; and
   c) undergo a physical examination, if required by Us, which may include diagnostic testing; and
   d) provide any additional information about the applicant's insurability that We may reasonably require.
2. If any applicant is required to provide Evidence of Insurability, the applicant will be responsible for all costs associated with providing Evidence of Insurability.
3. In each case where Evidence of Insurability is required, We base Our decision whether to approve coverage on the information provided during the underwriting process. If We learn that the information relied on to approve coverage was incorrect, or that relevant information was omitted, We may retroactively rescind coverage and deny claims.

Group Policy (Policy) means the group insurance Policy issued by Us to the Policyholder under a specified Plan Number.

Guarantee Issue is the amount of coverage provided which is not subject to Evidence of Insurability.

Hospital means a legally operated Facility providing full-time medical care and treatment under the direction of a full-time staff of licensed Physicians, but not including rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes, homes for the aged and facilities primarily affording custodial, educational, or rehabilitative care.

Injury: Bodily Injury due to an Accident which: (1) results directly and independently of disease, bodily infirmity or any other causes; (2) solely, directly and independently of all other causes results in medical expense; (3) occurs after the effective date of the Insured Person's coverage; and (4) occurs while the Insured Person's coverage is in force. All Injuries sustained in any one Accident, including all related conditions and recurrent symptoms of these Injuries, are considered a single Injury.

Insured Person means an Eligible Employee, Eligible Dependent or Eligible Retiree whose coverage is in effect under the Group Policy.

Joinder Agreement means the document entered into between the Policyholder and the Employer describing the coverage requested by the Employer with respect to its Employees, which has been approved by Us and assigned a Plan Number.

Late Enrollee means an Employee or Dependent who applies for coverage under the Group Policy more than 31 days after becoming an Eligible Employee or Eligible Dependent.

Limiting Age means the Child age(s) shown in the definition of Child in the Eligibility for Insurance section.

Mental Disorder means any mental, emotional, behavioral, psychological, personality, cognitive, mood or stress related abnormality, disorder, disturbance, dysfunction or syndrome listed in the latest edition of the American Psychiatric Association Diagnostic and Statistical Manual or the International Classification of Disease.

Noncontributory means the Employer pays the entire premium for insurance.

Physical Disease means a Physical Disease entity or process that produces structural or functional changes in the body as diagnosed by a Physician. Physical Disease includes pregnancy and Mental Disorder.

Physician means a licensed medical professional under the laws of a state of the United States of America, acting within the scope of such license, who is permitted by law to prescribe medications and practice independent of supervision.

For the purpose of this Group Policy, Physician will not include the Insured Person’s Spouse, parent, brother, sister, or Child, including these members of a Spouse’s family.

Plan Effective Date means the date on which the Group Policy, with respect to the Employer, becomes effective.

Plan Number means the number used by Us to reference an Employer and the terms of coverage specified under the Group Policy and Joinder Agreement.

Prior Plan means the Employer’s group life insurance plan in effect on the day immediately preceding the Plan Effective Date.

Proof of Loss is defined in the “Claims Provisions” section.

Regular Care and Attendance means observation and treatment by a Physician as required by current standards of medicine for the Injury or Physical Disease causing a Disability, but in any event not less than one such observation per year.

Retire and **Retirement Date** means the earlier of:

1. the date You Retire as such term is defined by Your Employer;
2. the date You receive or become eligible to receive, as defined by the Employer, retirement benefits under any pension plan to which the Employer contributes,

3. or the date You receive or become eligible to receive retirement benefits under, and as defined by, any state or federal retirement plan or under the Social Security Act or Railroad Retirement Act.
4. the date You reach the age defined in the "Schedule of Benefits".

You and **Your** means the Eligible Employee.

Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" and "Schedule of Benefits".

We, Us and **Our** means Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc.

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II. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSURANCE

A. Employee Life Insurance Eligibility.
1. Employee Basic Life Insurance. To be eligible for Employee Basic Life Insurance under the Group Policy, You must satisfy the following requirements:

a) You must be an **Eligible Employee**.
(1) Employee means an individual who works for the Employer as a member of an Eligible Class and who is reported on the Employer's records for Social Security and tax withholding purposes.

b) You must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America or one of its territories.

c) You must be Actively at Work and capable of sustained Active Work.
(1) **Active Work** and **Actively at Work** mean working at Your Employer's usual place of business, and satisfying the Minimum Hourly Work Requirement. Actively at Work will include regularly scheduled days off, holidays, or vacation days, so long as You are capable of sustained Active Work on those days.
(2) Minimum Hourly Work Requirement means the work hours over a specified time period that are required of You by Your Employer in order to be eligible for coverage. Your Minimum Hourly Work Requirement is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".
(3) The Active Work requirement is waived during the time You are approved for benefits under the "Waiver of Premium Benefit" section.

d) You must have satisfied Your Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage.
(1) Waiting Period means the period of time that You must be Actively at Work as an Employee for Your coverage to become effective. Your Waiting Period is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

e) You cannot be a member of more than one Eligible Class.

f) You cannot be a, temporary or seasonal Eligible Employee, full-time member of the armed forces of any country, leased Eligible Employee, or independent contractor.

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III. BECOMING INSURED

A. To become an Insured Person under the Group Policy, an applicant must meet the following requirements as each may apply:
   1. If Evidence of Insurability is required, the applicant must provide such Evidence of Insurability and be approved for coverage by Us. The "Schedule of Benefits" specifies when Evidence of Insurability is required.
   2. If the insurance is Contributory insurance, the applicant must apply in writing and remit the required premiums.

B. Effective Dates
   1. Employee's Initial Enrollment
      a. Noncontributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability or which is subject to Evidence of Insurability and has been approved by Us, becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee, or as specified by your Employer. However, if You initially waive participation in such coverage and then later wish to participate, applications for Noncontributory insurance will be subject to Evidence of Insurability and will become effective as shown below.
      b. Contributory insurance subject to Evidence of Insurability, and Late Enrollee applications for coverage, become effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      c. Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability, if You apply prior to, or within 31 calendar days commencing on, the date You become an Eligible Employee, Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee. If You do not apply for Contributory insurance prior to, or within 31 days of becoming an Eligible Employee and subsequently wish to obtain such coverage, Evidence of Insurability will be required and Your coverage will become effective as provided in subsection b above.
   2. Increases in Insurance
      a. Evidence of Insurability Required. An increase of insurance that is subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      b. Evidence of Insurability Not Required. An increase of insurance that is not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective as follows:
         1) Based on change in Your classification, age or earnings on the date of such change;
   3. Decreases in Insurance
      a. A decrease in life insurance based on a change in Your classification, earnings, age or Your Dependent's age, becomes effective on the date of the change.
      b. Any other decrease in insurance becomes effective on the first day of the calendar month following the date Your Employer receives Your written request for the decrease, except that if such event occurs on the first day of a month, the decrease in coverage becomes effective on that day.
   4. Delayed Effective Date. If You are incapable of sustained Active Work due to Injury or Physical Disease on the day before the scheduled effective date of Your insurance or the effective date of a change in Your insurance, such insurance will not become effective until the day after You are capable of sustained Active Work and complete one day of Active Work as an Eligible Employee.
   5. If Your coverage ends, You may become covered again, subject to the following:
      a. If Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution while on an approved Family Medical Leave of absence, and then You return to Active Work and enroll for coverage within 31 days of the earlier of a) the end of the period of leave You and Your Employer agreed upon, or b) the end of the 12-week period following the date Your leave began, then the Waiting Period will be waived. Coverage is limited to what You had in effect prior to coverage ending or the coverage that is now available for Your Class, as determined by Us.

b. In all other cases, if Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution, You must provide Evidence of Insurability to become covered again.
c. In no event will insurance coverage be retroactive.
d. If You cease to be an Eligible Employee and coverage ends, and then You return to Active Work with the Employer again within 3 months, the Waiting Period will be waived on the first day of Your return to Active Work.

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IV. WHEN COVERAGE ENDS

A. Except as otherwise provided for under this Certificate, coverage will cease on the earliest of the following to occur:
1. the date the Group Policy terminates or the date Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy terminates;
2. the date You cease to be an Eligible Employee;
3. if premium is not paid when required, the last day of the period for which premium was paid;
4. the date You become eligible for coverage as an employee under another group term life insurance policy;
5. if You are a contract Eligible Employee not returning to work as an Eligible Employee the next contract year, the earlier of the following:
   a) the date You become employed with another employer;
   b) Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy;
   c) expiration of the current contract year;
6. Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy.
7. for AD&D coverage, the date Your corresponding life insurance ends, the date you are no longer Actively at Work, the date Your Waiver of Premium Benefit begins or Your Retirement Date.

B. Approved FMLA Leave of Absence – Contributory or Noncontributory Coverage
1. With regard to the Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) of 1993, as amended, the Employer and Employee must be eligible for FMLA in order to receive it. If You are on an approved FMLA leave, coverage will continue until the later of the leave period required by FMLA or the leave period required by applicable state law, provided that :
   a) The FMLA leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the FMLA leave; and
   b) The documentation of the advance approval of the FMLA leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
   c) FMLA leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during FMLA leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
   d) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

C. Paid Leave of Absence. If You are on a paid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
1. Noncontributory coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:

(1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
(2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
(3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

2. Contributory Coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on:
      (1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
      (2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
      (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
      (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

   c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a paid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

D. Unpaid Leave of Absence - If You are on an unpaid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leave of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
   (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
   (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
   (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
   (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during an unpaid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

E. Military Leave of Absence. If You are on a military leave of absence , coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a military leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave of absence; and

         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during such leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer; or
         (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

      c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a military leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

F. Termination or Amendment of the Group Policy and Employer Coverage

1. The Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Policyholder according to the terms of the Group Policy. Any such change or amendment may apply to current or future Employers and eligible persons covered under the Group Policy or to any separate classes or categories thereof. An Employer's coverage under the Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Employer according to the terms of the Group Policy.

2. We may change the Group Policy and any Employer's coverage under the Group Policy in whole or in part: (i) when any change or clarification in law or governmental regulation affects Our obligations under the Group Policy, or (ii) with the Policyholder's or Employer's consent.

3. We may terminate an Employer's coverage on any premium due date by giving the Employer not less than 60 days advance notice. An Employer may terminate coverage under the Group Policy in whole, and may terminate insurance for any class or group of eligible persons, at any time by giving Us advanced written notice at least 60 days prior to such termination. Insurance will terminate automatically for nonpayment of premium.

4. Benefits are limited to the terms of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy, including any valid amendments. No change or amendment of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will be valid unless it is approved in writing by one of Our executive officers and delivered to Your Employer. The Policyholder, Your Employer and their Eligible Employees or representatives have no right or authority to change or amend the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy or to waive any terms or provisions thereof without Our signed, written approval.

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V. LIFE INSURANCE - WAIVER OF PREMIUM BENEFIT

A. Waiver of Premium Definitions
   1. **Elimination Period** means the period of 9 months beginning on the date You become Disabled.
   2. **Life Insurance** under this Waiver of Premium Benefit means all of the Life Insurance, as listed in the Schedule of Benefits, in force under the Group Policy on the day before the day You become Disabled.
   3. **Proof of Disability** means documented clinical findings that prove that You are Disabled.

B. Waiver of Premium does not apply to AD&D Insurance.

C. Your Life Insurance will be continued as provided for under this section without payment of premium, if all of the following conditions are met:
   1. You become Disabled prior to age 60 while insured under the Group Policy;
   2. You remain Disabled without interruption for the duration of the Elimination Period;
   3. You provide Us with written notice of Your Disability within the later of 30 days after the end of Your Elimination Period or an approved leave of absence not to exceed 12 months;
   4. You provide Us with satisfactory written Proof of Disability within 12 months from the last day of the Elimination Period;
   5. Your claim is approved by Us.

D. When the Waiver of Premium Benefit Begins. If You qualify and are approved for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, Your premium will be waived beginning on the first day of the month immediately following the end of Your Elimination Period.

E. When Waiver of Premium Ends. Waiver of Premium ends on the earliest to occur of the following:
   1. The date You cease to be Disabled;
   2. The 91st day following the date We mail to You a request for additional Proof of Disability with which You fail to comply;
   3. The date You refuse to submit to a medical examination or to cooperate with Our chosen health care provider;

4. The date You refuse to submit to or undergo vocational rehabilitation (which determines employment opportunities, if any, for individuals with disabilities);
5. The date at which You've resided outside of the United States of America, or one of its territories during any 6 consecutive months for which premium had been waived;
6. The effective date of an individual life insurance policy issued to You under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

F. Premiums
1. Premium payment must continue until the later of the end of Your Elimination Period or the date Your claim for the Waiver of Premium Benefit is approved by Us.
2. If Your Waiver of Premium benefit terminates because You cease to be Disabled or You fail to submit to a medical exam or cooperate with the examiner, for coverage to continue, You must be an Eligible Employee and premiums must resume on the next premium due date, or You must continue coverage as provided for under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

G. Amount of Insurance
1. The amount of Life Insurance continued under the Waiver of Premium Benefit is the amount in effect on the day before You became Disabled, if you were Actively at Work.
2. Insurance will be reduced or terminated according to the Group Policy provisions in effect on the day before You became Disabled.
3. Your Life Insurance amount will not increase while Your Life Insurance premiums are being waived.

H. We will not waive premiums if Your Disability results from intentionally self-inflicted Injuries or Physical Diseases, while sane or insane, or from Your voluntary participation in an illegal activity.

I. If You die during the Elimination Period and are otherwise eligible for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, the Elimination Period will not apply.

J. We may require further Proof of Disability in intervals that are reasonable based on Your type of Disability.

K. Investigation Of Claim
With respect to benefits that are claimed during an Insured Person's lifetime, We may require him or her to undergo examination at reasonable intervals, at Our expense. Any such examinations will be conducted by appropriate Physician of Our choice. We may deny or suspend benefits if You fail to attend an examination, or do not give full effort and cooperation to the examiner.

VI. LIFE INSURANCE - LIVING BENEFIT

Terminally Ill and **Terminal Illness** mean a medical condition that is expected to result in Your death within 24 months.

A. If You become Terminally Ill while covered for life insurance under the Group Policy You may elect to receive the Living Benefit as provided for under this section.

B. The Living Benefit will be an amount equal to 50% of Your Employee Basic Life Insurance in effect on the date Your election is made, subject to a minimum of $5,000 and a maximum of $50,000. The amount payable will be equal to the Living Benefit less applicable amounts, if any, charged for an investment loss (interest) and administrative fees.

C. The payment will be made in one lump sum to You or to the payee You appropriately assign.

D. The Living Benefit will not be available if:

1. You have any portion of any Life Insurance or ownership rights thereof absolutely or irrevocably assigned or transferred;
2. You have made an irrevocable beneficiary designation;
3. the insurance proceeds are subject to a court order under a divorce decree, separate maintenance agreement or property settlement agreement;
4. You have filed for bankruptcy, unless You give Us written approval from the bankruptcy court for payment of the Living Benefit.

E. No payment will be made under this election unless and until We receive and approve of all of the following:
   1. Your signed and notarized election of this option on a form furnished by Us;
   2. signed and witnessed written statements of all irrevocable beneficiaries and assignees (and Spouse in marital property states) consenting to Your election of this option; and
   3. satisfactory written proof from a Physician other than Yourself or a member of Your or Your Spouse's immediate family that You have been diagnosed as being Terminally Ill and that You are of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

F. We may require a second opinion and examination of Your condition at Our own expense by a Physician of Our choice.

G. Payment of the Living Benefit will reduce correspondingly the face amount of Your life insurance benefits under the Group Policy. This will result in reduced life insurance proceeds payable to Your beneficiary at Your death. Furthermore, any amount of insurance that would otherwise be continued will be reduced proportionately, as will the maximum face amount available under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

H. Premium payments must continue to be paid for Your life insurance unless You qualify to have Your life insurance premium waived. The premium due will be based on the amount of insurance remaining in force after deducting the amount of the Living Benefit.

I. Payment of the Living Benefit will not affect the amount of, or change an existing beneficiary designation for, the AD&D Benefit, if any, in effect and kept in force under the Group Policy.

J. Your election together with Our payment of the Living Benefit constitute a valid and effective beneficiary designation change, but only with respect to the specified life insurance benefits, and only to the extent affected by the Living Benefit payment, and applicable interest and fees, if any, charged thereon.

K. Payment of the Living Benefit will be exempt from the claims of creditors and from legal process to the extent permitted by law.

L. All other provisions of the Group Policy, including the effective date provisions of any benefit increases and the provisions on benefit reductions because of amendments to the plan or benefit classification changes or Your attained age, remain valid and in effect. Any such life insurance benefit reduction will be calculated based on Your life insurance amount in effect immediately before the Living Benefit payment.

M. You are responsible for any tax consequences related to this benefit.

VII. LIFE INSURANCE CONVERSION BENEFIT

A. When Coverage Ends.
   1. If an Insured Person's coverage under the Policy ends, the Insured Person may, as described below, apply for Our individual life insurance policy without submitting Evidence of Insurability.
      a. The Insured Person must complete an application, pay the first premium, and send them to Us within the 31-day period immediately following the date coverage ends under the Policy (the Conversion Period).
      b. The individual policy will become effective on the first day following the date coverage under the Policy ends.
      c. The Insured Person may convert all or part of the amount of life insurance benefit, as shown in the "Schedule of Benefits".
   2. If an Insured Person has been insured under the Policy for at least five years and is no longer eligible due to cancellation of the Policy or cancellation of the class of insureds in which the Employee belonged, an Insured Person may convert the lesser of: (1) $10,000 or (2) all or part of the amount for which the Insured Person is no longer eligible for under the Policy.

B. Premiums.
   1. Premiums for such individual life policy will be based on: (1) Our usual rate for the amount and type of individual policy; (2) the Insured Person's class of risk; and (3) the Insured Person's attained age.
   2. If an Insured Person dies during the Conversion Period, the maximum amount of life insurance to which he or she would have been entitled to under such individual policy shall be payable as a claim under the Group Policy, whether or not application for the individual policy or the payment of the first premium has been made.
   3. The rights or benefits granted under this provision are in lieu of any other rights or benefits granted under the Group Policy.

VIII. ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

A. If an Insured Person has an Accident while insured for Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance and the Accident results in a Loss (as defined below), We will pay benefits according to the terms of the Group Policy after We receive Proof of Loss.

B. Eligibility. An Insured Person must be a member of a class that is eligible for AD&D coverage under the Group Policy as specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

C. Definitions for AD&D Insurance
   1. **Loss** means Loss of one or more of the body parts or bodily functions listed under "AD&D Benefit" below, or as otherwise provided for under this "Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance" section, which:
      a. is caused solely and directly by an Accident;
      b. occurs independently of all other causes;
      c. occurs within 90 days after the Accident; and
      d. while the Insured Person is covered under the Group Policy.
   2. **Accident:** A sudden, unexpected and unforeseen, identifiable event causing bodily Injury, directly produced by specific accidental contact with another body or object. The Accident must occur while You are covered under the Group Policy.
   3. With respect to a hand or foot, Loss means actual and permanent severance from the body at or above the wrist or ankle joint.
   4. With respect to sight, speech or hearing, Loss means entire and irrecoverable Loss of that function.

D. **AD&D Benefit.** The AD&D Benefit is equal to a percentage of the AD&D Insurance Amount in effect on the date of the Accident, subject to the AD&D Reduction Schedule provision set forth in the "Schedule of Benefits". The AD&D Insurance Amount is shown in the "Schedule of Benefits". The percentage is shown below.

Covered Losses:	Maximum Amount Payable
Loss of Life	100%
Loss of both Hands or both Feet	100%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot	50%
Loss of one Hand and one Foot	100%
Loss of Entire Sight of both Eyes	100%
Loss of Entire Sight in one Eye	50%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot and Entire Sight of one Eye	100%

E. Unless otherwise specified, no more than 100% of the applicable AD&D Insurance Amount will be paid for all Losses resulting from one Accident. If an age reduction applies, the benefit reduces on the date You attain that age.

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F. AD&D Insurance Exclusions. No AD&D Benefit is payable if the Loss is caused or contributed to by any of the following:

1. War or Act of War while you are in the military service . War means a state or period of declared or undeclared war whether civil or international, or any substantial armed conflict with organized forces of a military nature between nations, states or parties;
2. Suicide, attempted suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted Injury, while sane or insane;
3. Committing or attempting to commit a felony or assault, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot. Actively participating does not include being at the scene of a violent disorder or riot while performing Your official duties;
4. Any Injury sustained while under the voluntary use or consumption of any poison, illegal drugs, or controlled substance, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a Physician;
5. Physical Disease existing at the time of the Accident;
6. Medical negligence and malpractice;
7. Bacterial infections (except due to accidental food poisoning or caused by an accidental wound);
8. Any Loss incurred for which any government body or its agencies are liable while the insured is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves, of any state or country;
9. Any Loss incurred while operating, riding in or descending from any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a commercial aircraft.

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IX. CLAIMS PROVISIONS

A. Filing A Claim
   1. To file a claim for benefits under this Certificate, the claimant (depending on the benefit the claimant could be an Insured Person, a beneficiary or personal representative of an Insured Person) must provide Us with Proof of Loss in a timely manner. Or, upon receipt of written notice of claim, We will send the claimant a Claim Form for filing Proof of Loss. If the claimant does not receive such forms within 15 days after the giving of such notice, the claimant can send us, without the Claim Form, the written proof covering the occurrence.
   2. Proof of Loss.
      a. Proof of Loss must be provided in writing to Us, at the claimant's expense, within 90 days after the date of the loss if reasonably possible. If that is not reasonably possible, Proof of Loss must be provided

no later than one year after expiration of that 90-day period, or the claim will be denied. The time limits under this section shall not apply while the claimant lacks legal capacity.

b. **Proof of Loss** means satisfactory written proof that a loss occurred for which the Group Policy provides benefits, which is not subject to any exclusion, and which meets all other conditions for benefits. Proof of Loss includes any other information We may reasonably require in support of a claim for benefits under the Group Policy.

B. Notice of Decision on Claim

1. We will evaluate a claim for benefits promptly after We receive it. Within 30 days after We receive the claim We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on the claim; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the period to decide the claim for an additional 45 days.
2. If the claim is approved, We will pay benefits within 30 days after the Proof of Loss requirement is satisfied.
3. If We extend the period to decide the claim, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
4. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may decide the claim based on the information We have received.
5. If We deny any part of the claim, We will send the claimant a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision;
   b. reference to the parts of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based;
   c. a description of any additional information required to support the claim;
   d. information concerning the claimant's right to a review of Our decision.

C. Payment of Claims.

Upon receipt of proper Proof of Loss, benefits will be paid within 30 days. If any claims payment interest accrues, interest will be paid in the amount determined by the State in which the claims are incurred.

Death Claims: If an Insured Person dies while insured for life insurance under the Group Policy, We will pay benefits according to the "Schedule of Benefits", after We receive Proof of Loss, as follows.

1. The death benefit will be paid in a single sum or by any other method agreeable to Us and the beneficiary. Payment of the benefit will extinguish Our liability under the Group Policy for which the death benefit has been paid.
2. No Surviving Beneficiary. If You do not name a beneficiary, or if You are not survived by any named beneficiary, benefits will be paid to Your estate.
3. Dependent Benefits. Dependent Life Insurance benefits that are payable, but unpaid at the Insured Person's death, will be paid in equal shares to the first surviving class of the following, if the Eligible Employee is dead:
   a. The children of the Dependent.
   b. The parents of the Dependent.
   c. The Insured Person's estate.

   The following Dependent benefits, payable under the Group Policy, will be paid to the Eligible Employee if he or she is living:
   a. AD&D Insurance benefits;
   b. Life Insurance benefits;
   c. Supplemental Life Insurance benefits payable because of the death of Your insured Spouse or Child;
   d. Living Benefit.

4. Facility of Payment. If the benefits provided by the Group Policy are payable to the Insured Person's estate or to a beneficiary who is a minor or otherwise not legally competent to give a valid release, We may pay up to $500 to any person related to the Insured Person by blood or marriage. Any payment made in good

faith will fully release Us to the limit of the payment. If a beneficiary is a minor, or is not able to give a valid release for any payment of benefits made, We will pay the life proceeds to the legally appointed guardian. The guardian must provide Us with adequate written proof of such appointment. This provision does not prevent Us from making payment to or for the benefit of a minor beneficiary in accordance with the applicable state law. Payment made before We have received written notice at Our home office of a valid claim by some other person releases Us from further obligation.

D. Review Procedure.
1. If all or part of a claim is denied, the claimant may request a review. The claimant must request a review in writing within 60 days after receiving notice of the denial.
2. The claimant may send Us written comments or other items to support the claim. The claimant may review and receive copies of any non-privileged information that is relevant to the request for review. There will be no charge for such copies. Our review will include any written comments or other items the claimant submits to support the claim.
3. We will review the claim promptly after We receive the request. Within 60 days after We receive the request for review We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on review; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the review period for 60 days. If the extension is due to the claimant's failure to provide information necessary to decide the claim on review, the extended time period for review of the claim will not begin until the claimant provides the information or otherwise responds.
4. If We extend the review period, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim on review; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
5. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may conclude Our review of the claim based on the information We have received.
6. If We deny any part of the claim on review, the claimant will receive a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision.
   b. references to the provisions of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based.
   c. information concerning the claimant's right to receive, free of charge, copies of non-privileged documents and records relevant to the claim.
7. The Group Policy does not provide voluntary alternative dispute resolution options.

X. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Naming a Beneficiary.
1. At the time You became insured under the Group Policy, You should have named a beneficiary of the proceeds of Your life insurance on the enrollment form.

2. You may have named primary beneficiaries and secondary beneficiaries. A secondary beneficiary will become a primary beneficiary if the named primary beneficiary is not living at the time of Your death. Two or more surviving primary beneficiaries will share equally, unless You specify otherwise.

3. AD&D Insurance death benefits will be distributed according to the beneficiary designation of Your corresponding life insurance.

4. You may change Your beneficiary designation at any time, subject to the following:
   a) The designation must be made in writing on a form suitable to Us;
   b) The designation must be dated and signed by You (and by your Spouse where required by law);
   c) The designation must relate and refer to the insurance provided under the Group Policy;
   d) If applicable, We must have the written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries;
   e) You must not have assigned the ownership of Your insurance.

5. When a valid change of beneficiary is received by Us, the change will relate back to and take effect as of the date it was signed. This is the case whether You are alive or not when We receive the request. Even though the change of beneficiary will relate back to the date it was signed, it will be without prejudice to Us on account of any payment We have already made.

6. If We approve it, a written designation signed and dated by You under the Prior Plan will be accepted as Your beneficiary designation under the Group Policy.

B. Simultaneous Death Provision.

If a beneficiary dies on the same day You die, or within 120 hours from Your time of death, benefits will be paid as if that beneficiary had died before You, unless Proof of Loss with respect to Your death is delivered to Us before the date of the beneficiary's death.

C. Entire Contract, Changes

1. This Certificate, including the Enrollment Form, Group Policy and any Riders, Amendment or attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of Insurance. No change in this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of Our company and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or waive any of its provisions.

2. Except for those functions which the Group Policy specifically reserves to the Policyholder or Employer, We have authority to control, manage, and interpret the Group Policy, to administer claims and to resolve all questions arising in the administration, interpretation and application of the Group Policy.

3. Our authority includes, but is not limited to the following:
   a) the right to resolve all matters when a review has been requested;
   b) the right to establish and enforce rules and procedures for the administration of the Group Policy and any claim under it;
   c) the right to determine eligibility for insurance, entitlement to benefits, the amount of benefits payable and the sufficiency and the amount of information We may reasonably require to make determinations.

D. Incontestability of Insurance

1. Any statement made to obtain or to increase insurance is a representation and not a warranty.

2. No misrepresentation will be used as a basis for reducing or denying a claim or contesting the validity of insurance unless:
   a) the insurance would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given You or any other person claiming benefits a copy of the signed written instrument which contains the misrepresentation.

3. After insurance has been in effect for 2 years, during the lifetime of the Insured Person, We will not use a misrepresentation as a basis for reducing or denying a claim, unless it was a fraudulent misrepresentation.

E. Incontestability of the Group Policy or Employer Coverage under the Group Policy

1. No misrepresentation by the Policyholder or Your Employer will be used as a basis for denying a claim, or for denying the validity of the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy unless:
   a) the Group Policy would not have been issued or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given the Policyholder or Employer a copy of a written instrument signed by the Policyholder or Employer which contains the misrepresentation.

2. The validity of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will not be contested after it has been in force for 2 years, except for nonpayment of premium or fraudulent misrepresentations.

F. Clerical Error

1. Clerical error by Us, the Policyholder, Your Employer, or their respective Eligible Employees or representatives will not:
   a) cause a person to become insured under the Group Policy or a provision of it.
   b) invalidate insurance otherwise validly in force.
   c) continue insurance otherwise validly terminated.
   d) cause an Employer to obtain coverage under the Group Policy or a provision of it.

2. In the event that a clerical error results in an incorrect rate, We reserve the right to adjust the rate accordingly.

3. The payment of premium, by itself, will not obligate Us to provide benefits to anyone who is not eligible for coverage under the Group Policy.

4. Your Employer acts on its own behalf as Your agent, and not as Our agent. Your Employer has no authority to alter, expand or extend Our liability or to waive, modify or compromise any defense or right We may have under the Group Policy.

G. Misstatement

1. Age or Gender

If the age or gender, or both, of a person has been misstated, We will make an equitable adjustment of premiums, benefits or both. The adjustment will be based on:

   a) the amount of insurance based on the correct age and gender; and
   b) the difference between the premiums paid and the premiums which would have been paid if the age and gender had been correctly stated.

2. A legal action may not be brought to recover on this Certificate within 60 days after written Proof of Loss has been given as required. No such action may be brought after 3 years from the time written proof was required to be given.

H. Assignment

An Insured may not assign any of his or her rights, privileges or benefits under the Group Policy, unless approved by Us.

I. Conformity With State Laws

If any provision of this Certificate is contrary to any law to which it is subject, such provision is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such law.

CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE

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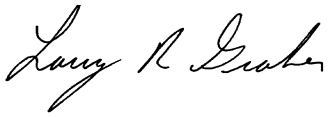
PLEASE READ THIS CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY

This Certificate of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "Certificate") is evidence of insurance provided under the Group Policy issued to the Group Policyholder (hereinafter referred to as "Policyholder"). This Certificate describes the essential features of such insurance.

Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc., in performing its obligations under the Group Policy, is acting only as a life insurer with respect to the Group Policy and is not in any way acting as a plan administrator, a plan sponsor or a plan trustee for the purposes of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or any other federal or state laws.

No coverage under the Group Policy is in effect until approved in writing by Us and issued and delivered to the Policyholder. All terms, conditions and other provisions of the Group Policy are governed by the laws of the state in which the Policyholder is located. All provisions on this and the following pages are part of this Certificate. The Group Policy is on file and available for review at the main office of the Policyholder.

The President and Secretary of Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc witness this Certificate:



Larry R. Graber
President



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Secretary

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

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SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

A. Administrative

1.	Employer:	North Scott Community School District
2.	Plan Number:	3468
3.	Initial Plan Effective Date:	January 1, 2000
4.	Revised Effective Date:	September 1, 2017
5.	Evidence of Insurability Requirements:	Applies to Late Enrollees, Increases in Benefits and Amounts over Guarantee Issue Amounts
6.	Eligible Class:	04 Middle-Management and Confidential Secretaries
7.	Minimum Hourly Work Requirement:	30 hours per week
8.	Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage:	None
9.	New Employee Eligibility Date:	Upon completion of the Waiting Period
10.	Leaves / Layoffs:	Coverage with premium payment while on FMLA leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 12 months while on Paid or Unpaid Leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 15 days while on Military Leave
11.	Employee Premium Contribution	
	Employee Basic Insurance:	0%
12.	Participation Requirements	
	Employee Basic Insurance:	100%
13.	Insurance Reduction Schedule	
	Employee Basic Insurance:	Basic Life and Basic AD&D Insurance does not reduce and terminates at retirement.

B. Basic Life Insurance

Employee Basic Life:	$25,000
Guarantee Issue:	$25,000

C. Additional Benefits

1.	Conversion of Insurance Benefit:	Included
2.	Waiver of Premium Benefit:	Included
3.	Living Benefit:	Included

D. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

1. Basic AD&D Insurance

Employee Basic AD&D Insurance:	Equal to Basic Life amount
Guarantee Issue:	Equal to Basic Life amount

I. DEFINITIONS

Active Work and **Actively at Work** are defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Annual Salary: Your current salary or wage from your Employer for the previous twelve months. Annual Salary does not include extra pay, annuity contributions, commissions, bonuses, overtime pay or any other extra compensation.

Contributory means that You pay all or a portion of the premium for insurance.

Disabled or **Disability** means:

1. during the first 24 months of the Disability period, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of Your own occupation and You are under the Regular Care of a Physician; or
2. after the first 24 months, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of any occupation for which You are qualified by education, training and experience, and You are under the Regular Care and Attendance of a Physician.

Eligible Class means an employment classification defined by the Employer and specified in the "Schedule of Benefits." You must be a member of an Eligible Class in order to be eligible for insurance under the Group Policy.

Eligible Dependent is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Eligible Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employer means an Employer (including approved affiliates and subsidiaries) participating in the Policyholder Trust to whom We have assigned a Plan Number and issued a Joinder Agreement.

Evidence of Insurability

1. Providing Evidence of Insurability means that a person applying for coverage under the Group Policy must:
   a) complete and sign Our Evidence of Insurability application and return the original application to Us. The application must be received by Us no later than 60 days from the date of signing; and
   b) authorize Us to obtain information about the applicant's health; and
   c) undergo a physical examination, if required by Us, which may include diagnostic testing; and
   d) provide any additional information about the applicant's insurability that We may reasonably require.
2. If any applicant is required to provide Evidence of Insurability, the applicant will be responsible for all costs associated with providing Evidence of Insurability.
3. In each case where Evidence of Insurability is required, We base Our decision whether to approve coverage on the information provided during the underwriting process. If We learn that the information relied on to approve coverage was incorrect, or that relevant information was omitted, We may retroactively rescind coverage and deny claims.

Group Policy (Policy) means the group insurance Policy issued by Us to the Policyholder under a specified Plan Number.

Guarantee Issue is the amount of coverage provided which is not subject to Evidence of Insurability.

Hospital means a legally operated Facility providing full-time medical care and treatment under the direction of a full-time staff of licensed Physicians, but not including rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes, homes for the aged and facilities primarily affording custodial, educational, or rehabilitative care.

Injury: Bodily Injury due to an Accident which: (1) results directly and independently of disease, bodily infirmity or any other causes; (2) solely, directly and independently of all other causes results in medical expense; (3) occurs after the effective date of the Insured Person's coverage; and (4) occurs while the Insured Person's coverage is in force. All Injuries sustained in any one Accident, including all related conditions and recurrent symptoms of these Injuries, are considered a single Injury.

Insured Person means an Eligible Employee, Eligible Dependent or Eligible Retiree whose coverage is in effect under the Group Policy.

Joinder Agreement means the document entered into between the Policyholder and the Employer describing the coverage requested by the Employer with respect to its Employees, which has been approved by Us and assigned a Plan Number.

Late Enrollee means an Employee or Dependent who applies for coverage under the Group Policy more than 31 days after becoming an Eligible Employee or Eligible Dependent.

Limiting Age means the Child age(s) shown in the definition of Child in the Eligibility for Insurance section.

Mental Disorder means any mental, emotional, behavioral, psychological, personality, cognitive, mood or stress related abnormality, disorder, disturbance, dysfunction or syndrome listed in the latest edition of the American Psychiatric Association Diagnostic and Statistical Manual or the International Classification of Disease.

Noncontributory means the Employer pays the entire premium for insurance.

Physical Disease means a Physical Disease entity or process that produces structural or functional changes in the body as diagnosed by a Physician. Physical Disease includes pregnancy and Mental Disorder.

Physician means a licensed medical professional under the laws of a state of the United States of America, acting within the scope of such license, who is permitted by law to prescribe medications and practice independent of supervision.

For the purpose of this Group Policy, Physician will not include the Insured Person’s Spouse, parent, brother, sister, or Child, including these members of a Spouse’s family.

Plan Effective Date means the date on which the Group Policy, with respect to the Employer, becomes effective.

Plan Number means the number used by Us to reference an Employer and the terms of coverage specified under the Group Policy and Joinder Agreement.

Prior Plan means the Employer’s group life insurance plan in effect on the day immediately preceding the Plan Effective Date.

Proof of Loss is defined in the “Claims Provisions” section.

Regular Care and Attendance means observation and treatment by a Physician as required by current standards of medicine for the Injury or Physical Disease causing a Disability, but in any event not less than one such observation per year.

Retire and **Retirement Date** means the earlier of:

1. the date You Retire as such term is defined by Your Employer;
2. the date You receive or become eligible to receive, as defined by the Employer, retirement benefits under any pension plan to which the Employer contributes,

3. or the date You receive or become eligible to receive retirement benefits under, and as defined by, any state or federal retirement plan or under the Social Security Act or Railroad Retirement Act.
4. the date You reach the age defined in the "Schedule of Benefits".

You and **Your** means the Eligible Employee.

Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" and "Schedule of Benefits".

We, Us and **Our** means Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc.

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II. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSURANCE

A. Employee Life Insurance Eligibility.
1. Employee Basic Life Insurance. To be eligible for Employee Basic Life Insurance under the Group Policy, You must satisfy the following requirements:

a) You must be an **Eligible Employee**.
(1) Employee means an individual who works for the Employer as a member of an Eligible Class and who is reported on the Employer's records for Social Security and tax withholding purposes.

b) You must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America or one of its territories.

c) You must be Actively at Work and capable of sustained Active Work.
(1) **Active Work** and **Actively at Work** mean working at Your Employer's usual place of business, and satisfying the Minimum Hourly Work Requirement. Actively at Work will include regularly scheduled days off, holidays, or vacation days, so long as You are capable of sustained Active Work on those days.
(2) Minimum Hourly Work Requirement means the work hours over a specified time period that are required of You by Your Employer in order to be eligible for coverage. Your Minimum Hourly Work Requirement is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".
(3) The Active Work requirement is waived during the time You are approved for benefits under the "Waiver of Premium Benefit" section.

d) You must have satisfied Your Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage.
(1) Waiting Period means the period of time that You must be Actively at Work as an Employee for Your coverage to become effective. Your Waiting Period is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

e) You cannot be a member of more than one Eligible Class.

f) You cannot be a, temporary or seasonal Eligible Employee, full-time member of the armed forces of any country, leased Eligible Employee, or independent contractor.

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III. BECOMING INSURED

A. To become an Insured Person under the Group Policy, an applicant must meet the following requirements as each may apply:
   1. If Evidence of Insurability is required, the applicant must provide such Evidence of Insurability and be approved for coverage by Us. The "Schedule of Benefits" specifies when Evidence of Insurability is required.
   2. If the insurance is Contributory insurance, the applicant must apply in writing and remit the required premiums.

B. Effective Dates
   1. Employee's Initial Enrollment
      a. Noncontributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability or which is subject to Evidence of Insurability and has been approved by Us, becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee, or as specified by your Employer. However, if You initially waive participation in such coverage and then later wish to participate, applications for Noncontributory insurance will be subject to Evidence of Insurability and will become effective as shown below.
      b. Contributory insurance subject to Evidence of Insurability, and Late Enrollee applications for coverage, become effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      c. Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability, if You apply prior to, or within 31 calendar days commencing on, the date You become an Eligible Employee, Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee. If You do not apply for Contributory insurance prior to, or within 31 days of becoming an Eligible Employee and subsequently wish to obtain such coverage, Evidence of Insurability will be required and Your coverage will become effective as provided in subsection b above.
   2. Increases in Insurance
      a. Evidence of Insurability Required. An increase of insurance that is subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      b. Evidence of Insurability Not Required. An increase of insurance that is not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective as follows:
         1) Based on change in Your classification, age or earnings on the date of such change;
   3. Decreases in Insurance
      a. A decrease in life insurance based on a change in Your classification, earnings, age or Your Dependent's age, becomes effective on the date of the change.
      b. Any other decrease in insurance becomes effective on the first day of the calendar month following the date Your Employer receives Your written request for the decrease, except that if such event occurs on the first day of a month, the decrease in coverage becomes effective on that day.
   4. Delayed Effective Date. If You are incapable of sustained Active Work due to Injury or Physical Disease on the day before the scheduled effective date of Your insurance or the effective date of a change in Your insurance, such insurance will not become effective until the day after You are capable of sustained Active Work and complete one day of Active Work as an Eligible Employee.
   5. If Your coverage ends, You may become covered again, subject to the following:
      a. If Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution while on an approved Family Medical Leave of absence, and then You return to Active Work and enroll for coverage within 31 days of the earlier of a) the end of the period of leave You and Your Employer agreed upon, or b) the end of the 12-week period following the date Your leave began, then the Waiting Period will be waived. Coverage is limited to what You had in effect prior to coverage ending or the coverage that is now available for Your Class, as determined by Us.

b. In all other cases, if Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution, You must provide Evidence of Insurability to become covered again.
c. In no event will insurance coverage be retroactive.
d. If You cease to be an Eligible Employee and coverage ends, and then You return to Active Work with the Employer again within 3 months, the Waiting Period will be waived on the first day of Your return to Active Work.

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IV. WHEN COVERAGE ENDS

A. Except as otherwise provided for under this Certificate, coverage will cease on the earliest of the following to occur:
1. the date the Group Policy terminates or the date Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy terminates;
2. the date You cease to be an Eligible Employee;
3. if premium is not paid when required, the last day of the period for which premium was paid;
4. the date You become eligible for coverage as an employee under another group term life insurance policy;
5. if You are a contract Eligible Employee not returning to work as an Eligible Employee the next contract year, the earlier of the following:
   a) the date You become employed with another employer;
   b) Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy;
   c) expiration of the current contract year;
6. Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy.
7. for AD&D coverage, the date Your corresponding life insurance ends, the date you are no longer Actively at Work, the date Your Waiver of Premium Benefit begins or Your Retirement Date.

B. Approved FMLA Leave of Absence – Contributory or Noncontributory Coverage
1. With regard to the Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) of 1993, as amended, the Employer and Employee must be eligible for FMLA in order to receive it. If You are on an approved FMLA leave, coverage will continue until the later of the leave period required by FMLA or the leave period required by applicable state law, provided that :
   a) The FMLA leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the FMLA leave; and
   b) The documentation of the advance approval of the FMLA leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
   c) FMLA leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during FMLA leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
   d) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

C. Paid Leave of Absence. If You are on a paid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
1. Noncontributory coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:

(1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
(2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
(3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

2. Contributory Coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on:
      (1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
      (2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
      (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
      (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

   c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a paid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

D. Unpaid Leave of Absence - If You are on an unpaid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leave of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
   (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
   (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
   (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
   (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during an unpaid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

E. Military Leave of Absence. If You are on a military leave of absence , coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a military leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave of absence; and

         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during such leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer; or
         (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

      c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a military leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

F. Termination or Amendment of the Group Policy and Employer Coverage

1. The Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Policyholder according to the terms of the Group Policy. Any such change or amendment may apply to current or future Employers and eligible persons covered under the Group Policy or to any separate classes or categories thereof. An Employer's coverage under the Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Employer according to the terms of the Group Policy.

2. We may change the Group Policy and any Employer's coverage under the Group Policy in whole or in part: (i) when any change or clarification in law or governmental regulation affects Our obligations under the Group Policy, or (ii) with the Policyholder's or Employer's consent.

3. We may terminate an Employer's coverage on any premium due date by giving the Employer not less than 60 days advance notice. An Employer may terminate coverage under the Group Policy in whole, and may terminate insurance for any class or group of eligible persons, at any time by giving Us advanced written notice at least 60 days prior to such termination. Insurance will terminate automatically for nonpayment of premium.

4. Benefits are limited to the terms of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy, including any valid amendments. No change or amendment of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will be valid unless it is approved in writing by one of Our executive officers and delivered to Your Employer. The Policyholder, Your Employer and their Eligible Employees or representatives have no right or authority to change or amend the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy or to waive any terms or provisions thereof without Our signed, written approval.

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V. LIFE INSURANCE - WAIVER OF PREMIUM BENEFIT

A. Waiver of Premium Definitions
   1. **Elimination Period** means the period of 9 months beginning on the date You become Disabled.
   2. **Life Insurance** under this Waiver of Premium Benefit means all of the Life Insurance, as listed in the Schedule of Benefits, in force under the Group Policy on the day before the day You become Disabled.
   3. **Proof of Disability** means documented clinical findings that prove that You are Disabled.

B. Waiver of Premium does not apply to AD&D Insurance.

C. Your Life Insurance will be continued as provided for under this section without payment of premium, if all of the following conditions are met:
   1. You become Disabled prior to age 60 while insured under the Group Policy;
   2. You remain Disabled without interruption for the duration of the Elimination Period;
   3. You provide Us with written notice of Your Disability within the later of 30 days after the end of Your Elimination Period or an approved leave of absence not to exceed 12 months;
   4. You provide Us with satisfactory written Proof of Disability within 12 months from the last day of the Elimination Period;
   5. Your claim is approved by Us.

D. When the Waiver of Premium Benefit Begins. If You qualify and are approved for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, Your premium will be waived beginning on the first day of the month immediately following the end of Your Elimination Period.

E. When Waiver of Premium Ends. Waiver of Premium ends on the earliest to occur of the following:
   1. The date You cease to be Disabled;
   2. The 91st day following the date We mail to You a request for additional Proof of Disability with which You fail to comply;
   3. The date You refuse to submit to a medical examination or to cooperate with Our chosen health care provider;

4. The date You refuse to submit to or undergo vocational rehabilitation (which determines employment opportunities, if any, for individuals with disabilities);
5. The date at which You've resided outside of the United States of America, or one of its territories during any 6 consecutive months for which premium had been waived;
6. The effective date of an individual life insurance policy issued to You under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

F. Premiums
1. Premium payment must continue until the later of the end of Your Elimination Period or the date Your claim for the Waiver of Premium Benefit is approved by Us.
2. If Your Waiver of Premium benefit terminates because You cease to be Disabled or You fail to submit to a medical exam or cooperate with the examiner, for coverage to continue, You must be an Eligible Employee and premiums must resume on the next premium due date, or You must continue coverage as provided for under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

G. Amount of Insurance
1. The amount of Life Insurance continued under the Waiver of Premium Benefit is the amount in effect on the day before You became Disabled, if you were Actively at Work.
2. Insurance will be reduced or terminated according to the Group Policy provisions in effect on the day before You became Disabled.
3. Your Life Insurance amount will not increase while Your Life Insurance premiums are being waived.

H. We will not waive premiums if Your Disability results from intentionally self-inflicted Injuries or Physical Diseases, while sane or insane, or from Your voluntary participation in an illegal activity.

I. If You die during the Elimination Period and are otherwise eligible for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, the Elimination Period will not apply.

J. We may require further Proof of Disability in intervals that are reasonable based on Your type of Disability.

K. Investigation Of Claim
With respect to benefits that are claimed during an Insured Person's lifetime, We may require him or her to undergo examination at reasonable intervals, at Our expense. Any such examinations will be conducted by appropriate Physician of Our choice. We may deny or suspend benefits if You fail to attend an examination, or do not give full effort and cooperation to the examiner.

VI. LIFE INSURANCE - LIVING BENEFIT

Terminally Ill and **Terminal Illness** mean a medical condition that is expected to result in Your death within 24 months.

A. If You become Terminally Ill while covered for life insurance under the Group Policy You may elect to receive the Living Benefit as provided for under this section.

B. The Living Benefit will be an amount equal to 50% of Your Employee Basic Life Insurance in effect on the date Your election is made, subject to a minimum of $5,000 and a maximum of $50,000. The amount payable will be equal to the Living Benefit less applicable amounts, if any, charged for an investment loss (interest) and administrative fees.

C. The payment will be made in one lump sum to You or to the payee You appropriately assign.

D. The Living Benefit will not be available if:

1. You have any portion of any Life Insurance or ownership rights thereof absolutely or irrevocably assigned or transferred;
2. You have made an irrevocable beneficiary designation;
3. the insurance proceeds are subject to a court order under a divorce decree, separate maintenance agreement or property settlement agreement;
4. You have filed for bankruptcy, unless You give Us written approval from the bankruptcy court for payment of the Living Benefit.

E. No payment will be made under this election unless and until We receive and approve of all of the following:
   1. Your signed and notarized election of this option on a form furnished by Us;
   2. signed and witnessed written statements of all irrevocable beneficiaries and assignees (and Spouse in marital property states) consenting to Your election of this option; and
   3. satisfactory written proof from a Physician other than Yourself or a member of Your or Your Spouse's immediate family that You have been diagnosed as being Terminally Ill and that You are of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

F. We may require a second opinion and examination of Your condition at Our own expense by a Physician of Our choice.

G. Payment of the Living Benefit will reduce correspondingly the face amount of Your life insurance benefits under the Group Policy. This will result in reduced life insurance proceeds payable to Your beneficiary at Your death. Furthermore, any amount of insurance that would otherwise be continued will be reduced proportionately, as will the maximum face amount available under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

H. Premium payments must continue to be paid for Your life insurance unless You qualify to have Your life insurance premium waived. The premium due will be based on the amount of insurance remaining in force after deducting the amount of the Living Benefit.

I. Payment of the Living Benefit will not affect the amount of, or change an existing beneficiary designation for, the AD&D Benefit, if any, in effect and kept in force under the Group Policy.

J. Your election together with Our payment of the Living Benefit constitute a valid and effective beneficiary designation change, but only with respect to the specified life insurance benefits, and only to the extent affected by the Living Benefit payment, and applicable interest and fees, if any, charged thereon.

K. Payment of the Living Benefit will be exempt from the claims of creditors and from legal process to the extent permitted by law.

L. All other provisions of the Group Policy, including the effective date provisions of any benefit increases and the provisions on benefit reductions because of amendments to the plan or benefit classification changes or Your attained age, remain valid and in effect. Any such life insurance benefit reduction will be calculated based on Your life insurance amount in effect immediately before the Living Benefit payment.

M. You are responsible for any tax consequences related to this benefit.

VII. LIFE INSURANCE CONVERSION BENEFIT

A. When Coverage Ends.
   1. If an Insured Person's coverage under the Policy ends, the Insured Person may, as described below, apply for Our individual life insurance policy without submitting Evidence of Insurability.
      a. The Insured Person must complete an application, pay the first premium, and send them to Us within the 31-day period immediately following the date coverage ends under the Policy (the Conversion Period).
      b. The individual policy will become effective on the first day following the date coverage under the Policy ends.
      c. The Insured Person may convert all or part of the amount of life insurance benefit, as shown in the "Schedule of Benefits".
   2. If an Insured Person has been insured under the Policy for at least five years and is no longer eligible due to cancellation of the Policy or cancellation of the class of insureds in which the Employee belonged, an Insured Person may convert the lesser of: (1) $10,000 or (2) all or part of the amount for which the Insured Person is no longer eligible for under the Policy.

B. Premiums.
   1. Premiums for such individual life policy will be based on: (1) Our usual rate for the amount and type of individual policy; (2) the Insured Person's class of risk; and (3) the Insured Person's attained age.
   2. If an Insured Person dies during the Conversion Period, the maximum amount of life insurance to which he or she would have been entitled to under such individual policy shall be payable as a claim under the Group Policy, whether or not application for the individual policy or the payment of the first premium has been made.
   3. The rights or benefits granted under this provision are in lieu of any other rights or benefits granted under the Group Policy.

VIII. ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

A. If an Insured Person has an Accident while insured for Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance and the Accident results in a Loss (as defined below), We will pay benefits according to the terms of the Group Policy after We receive Proof of Loss.

B. Eligibility. An Insured Person must be a member of a class that is eligible for AD&D coverage under the Group Policy as specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

C. Definitions for AD&D Insurance
   1. **Loss** means Loss of one or more of the body parts or bodily functions listed under "AD&D Benefit" below, or as otherwise provided for under this "Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance" section, which:
      a. is caused solely and directly by an Accident;
      b. occurs independently of all other causes;
      c. occurs within 90 days after the Accident; and
      d. while the Insured Person is covered under the Group Policy.
   2. **Accident:** A sudden, unexpected and unforeseen, identifiable event causing bodily Injury, directly produced by specific accidental contact with another body or object. The Accident must occur while You are covered under the Group Policy.
   3. With respect to a hand or foot, Loss means actual and permanent severance from the body at or above the wrist or ankle joint.
   4. With respect to sight, speech or hearing, Loss means entire and irrecoverable Loss of that function.

D. **AD&D Benefit.** The AD&D Benefit is equal to a percentage of the AD&D Insurance Amount in effect on the date of the Accident, subject to the AD&D Reduction Schedule provision set forth in the "Schedule of Benefits". The AD&D Insurance Amount is shown in the "Schedule of Benefits". The percentage is shown below.

Covered Losses:	Maximum Amount Payable
Loss of Life	100%
Loss of both Hands or both Feet	100%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot	50%
Loss of one Hand and one Foot	100%
Loss of Entire Sight of both Eyes	100%
Loss of Entire Sight in one Eye	50%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot and Entire Sight of one Eye	100%

E. Unless otherwise specified, no more than 100% of the applicable AD&D Insurance Amount will be paid for all Losses resulting from one Accident. If an age reduction applies, the benefit reduces on the date You attain that age.

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F. AD&D Insurance Exclusions. No AD&D Benefit is payable if the Loss is caused or contributed to by any of the following:

1. War or Act of War while you are in the military service . War means a state or period of declared or undeclared war whether civil or international, or any substantial armed conflict with organized forces of a military nature between nations, states or parties;
2. Suicide, attempted suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted Injury, while sane or insane;
3. Committing or attempting to commit a felony or assault, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot. Actively participating does not include being at the scene of a violent disorder or riot while performing Your official duties;
4. Any Injury sustained while under the voluntary use or consumption of any poison, illegal drugs, or controlled substance, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a Physician;
5. Physical Disease existing at the time of the Accident;
6. Medical negligence and malpractice;
7. Bacterial infections (except due to accidental food poisoning or caused by an accidental wound);
8. Any Loss incurred for which any government body or its agencies are liable while the insured is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves, of any state or country;
9. Any Loss incurred while operating, riding in or descending from any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a commercial aircraft.

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IX. CLAIMS PROVISIONS

A. Filing A Claim
   1. To file a claim for benefits under this Certificate, the claimant (depending on the benefit the claimant could be an Insured Person, a beneficiary or personal representative of an Insured Person) must provide Us with Proof of Loss in a timely manner. Or, upon receipt of written notice of claim, We will send the claimant a Claim Form for filing Proof of Loss. If the claimant does not receive such forms within 15 days after the giving of such notice, the claimant can send us, without the Claim Form, the written proof covering the occurrence.
   2. Proof of Loss.
      a. Proof of Loss must be provided in writing to Us, at the claimant's expense, within 90 days after the date of the loss if reasonably possible. If that is not reasonably possible, Proof of Loss must be provided

no later than one year after expiration of that 90-day period, or the claim will be denied. The time limits under this section shall not apply while the claimant lacks legal capacity.

b. **Proof of Loss** means satisfactory written proof that a loss occurred for which the Group Policy provides benefits, which is not subject to any exclusion, and which meets all other conditions for benefits. Proof of Loss includes any other information We may reasonably require in support of a claim for benefits under the Group Policy.

B. Notice of Decision on Claim

1. We will evaluate a claim for benefits promptly after We receive it. Within 30 days after We receive the claim We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on the claim; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the period to decide the claim for an additional 45 days.
2. If the claim is approved, We will pay benefits within 30 days after the Proof of Loss requirement is satisfied.
3. If We extend the period to decide the claim, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
4. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may decide the claim based on the information We have received.
5. If We deny any part of the claim, We will send the claimant a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision;
   b. reference to the parts of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based;
   c. a description of any additional information required to support the claim;
   d. information concerning the claimant's right to a review of Our decision.

C. Payment of Claims.

Upon receipt of proper Proof of Loss, benefits will be paid within 30 days. If any claims payment interest accrues, interest will be paid in the amount determined by the State in which the claims are incurred.

Death Claims: If an Insured Person dies while insured for life insurance under the Group Policy, We will pay benefits according to the "Schedule of Benefits", after We receive Proof of Loss, as follows.

1. The death benefit will be paid in a single sum or by any other method agreeable to Us and the beneficiary. Payment of the benefit will extinguish Our liability under the Group Policy for which the death benefit has been paid.
2. No Surviving Beneficiary. If You do not name a beneficiary, or if You are not survived by any named beneficiary, benefits will be paid to Your estate.
3. Dependent Benefits. Dependent Life Insurance benefits that are payable, but unpaid at the Insured Person's death, will be paid in equal shares to the first surviving class of the following, if the Eligible Employee is dead:
   a. The children of the Dependent.
   b. The parents of the Dependent.
   c. The Insured Person's estate.

   The following Dependent benefits, payable under the Group Policy, will be paid to the Eligible Employee if he or she is living:
   a. AD&D Insurance benefits;
   b. Life Insurance benefits;
   c. Supplemental Life Insurance benefits payable because of the death of Your insured Spouse or Child;
   d. Living Benefit.

4. Facility of Payment. If the benefits provided by the Group Policy are payable to the Insured Person's estate or to a beneficiary who is a minor or otherwise not legally competent to give a valid release, We may pay up to $500 to any person related to the Insured Person by blood or marriage. Any payment made in good

faith will fully release Us to the limit of the payment. If a beneficiary is a minor, or is not able to give a valid release for any payment of benefits made, We will pay the life proceeds to the legally appointed guardian. The guardian must provide Us with adequate written proof of such appointment. This provision does not prevent Us from making payment to or for the benefit of a minor beneficiary in accordance with the applicable state law. Payment made before We have received written notice at Our home office of a valid claim by some other person releases Us from further obligation.

D. Review Procedure.
1. If all or part of a claim is denied, the claimant may request a review. The claimant must request a review in writing within 60 days after receiving notice of the denial.
2. The claimant may send Us written comments or other items to support the claim. The claimant may review and receive copies of any non-privileged information that is relevant to the request for review. There will be no charge for such copies. Our review will include any written comments or other items the claimant submits to support the claim.
3. We will review the claim promptly after We receive the request. Within 60 days after We receive the request for review We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on review; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the review period for 60 days. If the extension is due to the claimant's failure to provide information necessary to decide the claim on review, the extended time period for review of the claim will not begin until the claimant provides the information or otherwise responds.
4. If We extend the review period, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim on review; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
5. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may conclude Our review of the claim based on the information We have received.
6. If We deny any part of the claim on review, the claimant will receive a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision.
   b. references to the provisions of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based.
   c. information concerning the claimant's right to receive, free of charge, copies of non-privileged documents and records relevant to the claim.
7. The Group Policy does not provide voluntary alternative dispute resolution options.

X. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Naming a Beneficiary.
1. At the time You became insured under the Group Policy, You should have named a beneficiary of the proceeds of Your life insurance on the enrollment form.

2. You may have named primary beneficiaries and secondary beneficiaries. A secondary beneficiary will become a primary beneficiary if the named primary beneficiary is not living at the time of Your death. Two or more surviving primary beneficiaries will share equally, unless You specify otherwise.

3. AD&D Insurance death benefits will be distributed according to the beneficiary designation of Your corresponding life insurance.

4. You may change Your beneficiary designation at any time, subject to the following:
   a) The designation must be made in writing on a form suitable to Us;
   b) The designation must be dated and signed by You (and by your Spouse where required by law);
   c) The designation must relate and refer to the insurance provided under the Group Policy;
   d) If applicable, We must have the written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries;
   e) You must not have assigned the ownership of Your insurance.

5. When a valid change of beneficiary is received by Us, the change will relate back to and take effect as of the date it was signed. This is the case whether You are alive or not when We receive the request. Even though the change of beneficiary will relate back to the date it was signed, it will be without prejudice to Us on account of any payment We have already made.

6. If We approve it, a written designation signed and dated by You under the Prior Plan will be accepted as Your beneficiary designation under the Group Policy.

B. Simultaneous Death Provision.

If a beneficiary dies on the same day You die, or within 120 hours from Your time of death, benefits will be paid as if that beneficiary had died before You, unless Proof of Loss with respect to Your death is delivered to Us before the date of the beneficiary's death.

C. Entire Contract, Changes

1. This Certificate, including the Enrollment Form, Group Policy and any Riders, Amendment or attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of Insurance. No change in this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of Our company and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or waive any of its provisions.

2. Except for those functions which the Group Policy specifically reserves to the Policyholder or Employer, We have authority to control, manage, and interpret the Group Policy, to administer claims and to resolve all questions arising in the administration, interpretation and application of the Group Policy.

3. Our authority includes, but is not limited to the following:
   a) the right to resolve all matters when a review has been requested;
   b) the right to establish and enforce rules and procedures for the administration of the Group Policy and any claim under it;
   c) the right to determine eligibility for insurance, entitlement to benefits, the amount of benefits payable and the sufficiency and the amount of information We may reasonably require to make determinations.

D. Incontestability of Insurance

1. Any statement made to obtain or to increase insurance is a representation and not a warranty.

2. No misrepresentation will be used as a basis for reducing or denying a claim or contesting the validity of insurance unless:
   a) the insurance would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given You or any other person claiming benefits a copy of the signed written instrument which contains the misrepresentation.

3. After insurance has been in effect for 2 years, during the lifetime of the Insured Person, We will not use a misrepresentation as a basis for reducing or denying a claim, unless it was a fraudulent misrepresentation.

E. Incontestability of the Group Policy or Employer Coverage under the Group Policy

1. No misrepresentation by the Policyholder or Your Employer will be used as a basis for denying a claim, or for denying the validity of the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy unless:
   a) the Group Policy would not have been issued or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given the Policyholder or Employer a copy of a written instrument signed by the Policyholder or Employer which contains the misrepresentation.

2. The validity of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will not be contested after it has been in force for 2 years, except for nonpayment of premium or fraudulent misrepresentations.

F. Clerical Error

1. Clerical error by Us, the Policyholder, Your Employer, or their respective Eligible Employees or representatives will not:
   a) cause a person to become insured under the Group Policy or a provision of it.
   b) invalidate insurance otherwise validly in force.
   c) continue insurance otherwise validly terminated.
   d) cause an Employer to obtain coverage under the Group Policy or a provision of it.

2. In the event that a clerical error results in an incorrect rate, We reserve the right to adjust the rate accordingly.

3. The payment of premium, by itself, will not obligate Us to provide benefits to anyone who is not eligible for coverage under the Group Policy.

4. Your Employer acts on its own behalf as Your agent, and not as Our agent. Your Employer has no authority to alter, expand or extend Our liability or to waive, modify or compromise any defense or right We may have under the Group Policy.

G. Misstatement

1. Age or Gender

If the age or gender, or both, of a person has been misstated, We will make an equitable adjustment of premiums, benefits or both. The adjustment will be based on:

   a) the amount of insurance based on the correct age and gender; and
   b) the difference between the premiums paid and the premiums which would have been paid if the age and gender had been correctly stated.

2. A legal action may not be brought to recover on this Certificate within 60 days after written Proof of Loss has been given as required. No such action may be brought after 3 years from the time written proof was required to be given.

H. Assignment

An Insured may not assign any of his or her rights, privileges or benefits under the Group Policy, unless approved by Us.

I. Conformity With State Laws

If any provision of this Certificate is contrary to any law to which it is subject, such provision is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such law.

CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

GROUP TERM LIFE INSURANCE

North Scott Community School District
Eldridge, Iowa
All Other Classified Members

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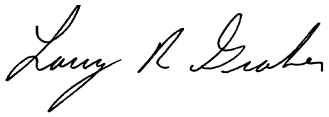
PLEASE READ THIS CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY

This Certificate of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "Certificate") is evidence of insurance provided under the Group Policy issued to the Group Policyholder (hereinafter referred to as "Policyholder"). This Certificate describes the essential features of such insurance.

Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc., in performing its obligations under the Group Policy, is acting only as a life insurer with respect to the Group Policy and is not in any way acting as a plan administrator, a plan sponsor or a plan trustee for the purposes of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or any other federal or state laws.

No coverage under the Group Policy is in effect until approved in writing by Us and issued and delivered to the Policyholder. All terms, conditions and other provisions of the Group Policy are governed by the laws of the state in which the Policyholder is located. All provisions on this and the following pages are part of this Certificate. The Group Policy is on file and available for review at the main office of the Policyholder.

The President and Secretary of Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc witness this Certificate:



Larry R. Graber
President



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Secretary

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

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SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

A. Administrative

1. Employer:	North Scott Community School District
2. Plan Number:	3468
3. Initial Plan Effective Date:	January 1, 2000
4. Revised Effective Date:	September 1, 2017
5. Evidence of Insurability Requirements:	Applies to Late Enrollees, Increases in Benefits and Amounts over Guarantee Issue Amounts
6. Eligible Class:	05 All Other Classified Members
7. Minimum Hourly Work Requirement:	30 hours per week
8. Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage:	None
9. New Employee Eligibility Date:	Upon completion of the Waiting Period
10. Leaves / Layoffs:	Coverage with premium payment while on FMLA leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 12 months while on Paid or Unpaid Leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 15 days while on Military Leave
11. Employee Premium Contribution	
Employee Basic Insurance:	0%
12. Participation Requirements	
Employee Basic Insurance:	100%
13. Insurance Reduction Schedule	
Employee Basic Insurance:	Basic Life and Basic AD&D Insurance does not reduce and terminates at retirement.

B. Basic Life Insurance

Employee Basic Life:	$20,000
Guarantee Issue:	$20,000

C. Additional Benefits

1. Conversion of Insurance Benefit:	Included
2. Waiver of Premium Benefit:	Included
3. Living Benefit:	Included

D. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

1. Basic AD&D Insurance

Employee Basic AD&D Insurance:	Equal to Basic Life amount
Guarantee Issue:	Equal to Basic Life amount

I. DEFINITIONS

Active Work and **Actively at Work** are defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Annual Salary: Your current salary or wage from your Employer for the previous twelve months. Annual Salary does not include extra pay, annuity contributions, commissions, bonuses, overtime pay or any other extra compensation.

Contributory means that You pay all or a portion of the premium for insurance.

Disabled or **Disability** means:

1. during the first 24 months of the Disability period, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of Your own occupation and You are under the Regular Care of a Physician; or
2. after the first 24 months, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of any occupation for which You are qualified by education, training and experience, and You are under the Regular Care and Attendance of a Physician.

Eligible Class means an employment classification defined by the Employer and specified in the "Schedule of Benefits." You must be a member of an Eligible Class in order to be eligible for insurance under the Group Policy.

Eligible Dependent is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Eligible Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employer means an Employer (including approved affiliates and subsidiaries) participating in the Policyholder Trust to whom We have assigned a Plan Number and issued a Joinder Agreement.

Evidence of Insurability

1. Providing Evidence of Insurability means that a person applying for coverage under the Group Policy must:
   a) complete and sign Our Evidence of Insurability application and return the original application to Us. The application must be received by Us no later than 60 days from the date of signing; and
   b) authorize Us to obtain information about the applicant's health; and
   c) undergo a physical examination, if required by Us, which may include diagnostic testing; and
   d) provide any additional information about the applicant's insurability that We may reasonably require.
2. If any applicant is required to provide Evidence of Insurability, the applicant will be responsible for all costs associated with providing Evidence of Insurability.
3. In each case where Evidence of Insurability is required, We base Our decision whether to approve coverage on the information provided during the underwriting process. If We learn that the information relied on to approve coverage was incorrect, or that relevant information was omitted, We may retroactively rescind coverage and deny claims.

Group Policy (Policy) means the group insurance Policy issued by Us to the Policyholder under a specified Plan Number.

Guarantee Issue is the amount of coverage provided which is not subject to Evidence of Insurability.

Hospital means a legally operated Facility providing full-time medical care and treatment under the direction of a full-time staff of licensed Physicians, but not including rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes, homes for the aged and facilities primarily affording custodial, educational, or rehabilitative care.

Injury: Bodily Injury due to an Accident which: (1) results directly and independently of disease, bodily infirmity or any other causes; (2) solely, directly and independently of all other causes results in medical expense; (3) occurs after the effective date of the Insured Person's coverage; and (4) occurs while the Insured Person's coverage is in force. All Injuries sustained in any one Accident, including all related conditions and recurrent symptoms of these Injuries, are considered a single Injury.

Insured Person means an Eligible Employee, Eligible Dependent or Eligible Retiree whose coverage is in effect under the Group Policy.

Joinder Agreement means the document entered into between the Policyholder and the Employer describing the coverage requested by the Employer with respect to its Employees, which has been approved by Us and assigned a Plan Number.

Late Enrollee means an Employee or Dependent who applies for coverage under the Group Policy more than 31 days after becoming an Eligible Employee or Eligible Dependent.

Limiting Age means the Child age(s) shown in the definition of Child in the Eligibility for Insurance section.

Mental Disorder means any mental, emotional, behavioral, psychological, personality, cognitive, mood or stress related abnormality, disorder, disturbance, dysfunction or syndrome listed in the latest edition of the American Psychiatric Association Diagnostic and Statistical Manual or the International Classification of Disease.

Noncontributory means the Employer pays the entire premium for insurance.

Physical Disease means a Physical Disease entity or process that produces structural or functional changes in the body as diagnosed by a Physician. Physical Disease includes pregnancy and Mental Disorder.

Physician means a licensed medical professional under the laws of a state of the United States of America, acting within the scope of such license, who is permitted by law to prescribe medications and practice independent of supervision.

For the purpose of this Group Policy, Physician will not include the Insured Person’s Spouse, parent, brother, sister, or Child, including these members of a Spouse’s family.

Plan Effective Date means the date on which the Group Policy, with respect to the Employer, becomes effective.

Plan Number means the number used by Us to reference an Employer and the terms of coverage specified under the Group Policy and Joinder Agreement.

Prior Plan means the Employer’s group life insurance plan in effect on the day immediately preceding the Plan Effective Date.

Proof of Loss is defined in the “Claims Provisions” section.

Regular Care and Attendance means observation and treatment by a Physician as required by current standards of medicine for the Injury or Physical Disease causing a Disability, but in any event not less than one such observation per year.

Retire and **Retirement Date** means the earlier of:

1. the date You Retire as such term is defined by Your Employer;
2. the date You receive or become eligible to receive, as defined by the Employer, retirement benefits under any pension plan to which the Employer contributes,

3. or the date You receive or become eligible to receive retirement benefits under, and as defined by, any state or federal retirement plan or under the Social Security Act or Railroad Retirement Act.
4. the date You reach the age defined in the "Schedule of Benefits".

You and **Your** means the Eligible Employee.

Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" and "Schedule of Benefits".

We, Us and **Our** means Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc.

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II. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSURANCE

A. Employee Life Insurance Eligibility.
1. Employee Basic Life Insurance. To be eligible for Employee Basic Life Insurance under the Group Policy, You must satisfy the following requirements:

a) You must be an **Eligible Employee**.
(1) Employee means an individual who works for the Employer as a member of an Eligible Class and who is reported on the Employer's records for Social Security and tax withholding purposes.

b) You must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America or one of its territories.

c) You must be Actively at Work and capable of sustained Active Work.
(1) **Active Work** and **Actively at Work** mean working at Your Employer's usual place of business, and satisfying the Minimum Hourly Work Requirement. Actively at Work will include regularly scheduled days off, holidays, or vacation days, so long as You are capable of sustained Active Work on those days.
(2) Minimum Hourly Work Requirement means the work hours over a specified time period that are required of You by Your Employer in order to be eligible for coverage. Your Minimum Hourly Work Requirement is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".
(3) The Active Work requirement is waived during the time You are approved for benefits under the "Waiver of Premium Benefit" section.

d) You must have satisfied Your Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage.
(1) Waiting Period means the period of time that You must be Actively at Work as an Employee for Your coverage to become effective. Your Waiting Period is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

e) You cannot be a member of more than one Eligible Class.

f) You cannot be a, temporary or seasonal Eligible Employee, full-time member of the armed forces of any country, leased Eligible Employee, or independent contractor.

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III. BECOMING INSURED

A. To become an Insured Person under the Group Policy, an applicant must meet the following requirements as each may apply:
   1. If Evidence of Insurability is required, the applicant must provide such Evidence of Insurability and be approved for coverage by Us. The "Schedule of Benefits" specifies when Evidence of Insurability is required.
   2. If the insurance is Contributory insurance, the applicant must apply in writing and remit the required premiums.

B. Effective Dates
   1. Employee's Initial Enrollment
      a. Noncontributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability or which is subject to Evidence of Insurability and has been approved by Us, becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee, or as specified by your Employer. However, if You initially waive participation in such coverage and then later wish to participate, applications for Noncontributory insurance will be subject to Evidence of Insurability and will become effective as shown below.
      b. Contributory insurance subject to Evidence of Insurability, and Late Enrollee applications for coverage, become effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      c. Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability, if You apply prior to, or within 31 calendar days commencing on, the date You become an Eligible Employee, Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee. If You do not apply for Contributory insurance prior to, or within 31 days of becoming an Eligible Employee and subsequently wish to obtain such coverage, Evidence of Insurability will be required and Your coverage will become effective as provided in subsection b above.
   2. Increases in Insurance
      a. Evidence of Insurability Required. An increase of insurance that is subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      b. Evidence of Insurability Not Required. An increase of insurance that is not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective as follows:
         1) Based on change in Your classification, age or earnings on the date of such change;
   3. Decreases in Insurance
      a. A decrease in life insurance based on a change in Your classification, earnings, age or Your Dependent's age, becomes effective on the date of the change.
      b. Any other decrease in insurance becomes effective on the first day of the calendar month following the date Your Employer receives Your written request for the decrease, except that if such event occurs on the first day of a month, the decrease in coverage becomes effective on that day.
   4. Delayed Effective Date. If You are incapable of sustained Active Work due to Injury or Physical Disease on the day before the scheduled effective date of Your insurance or the effective date of a change in Your insurance, such insurance will not become effective until the day after You are capable of sustained Active Work and complete one day of Active Work as an Eligible Employee.
   5. If Your coverage ends, You may become covered again, subject to the following:
      a. If Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution while on an approved Family Medical Leave of absence, and then You return to Active Work and enroll for coverage within 31 days of the earlier of a) the end of the period of leave You and Your Employer agreed upon, or b) the end of the 12-week period following the date Your leave began, then the Waiting Period will be waived. Coverage is limited to what You had in effect prior to coverage ending or the coverage that is now available for Your Class, as determined by Us.

b. In all other cases, if Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution, You must provide Evidence of Insurability to become covered again.
c. In no event will insurance coverage be retroactive.
d. If You cease to be an Eligible Employee and coverage ends, and then You return to Active Work with the Employer again within 3 months, the Waiting Period will be waived on the first day of Your return to Active Work.

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IV. WHEN COVERAGE ENDS

A. Except as otherwise provided for under this Certificate, coverage will cease on the earliest of the following to occur:
1. the date the Group Policy terminates or the date Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy terminates;
2. the date You cease to be an Eligible Employee;
3. if premium is not paid when required, the last day of the period for which premium was paid;
4. the date You become eligible for coverage as an employee under another group term life insurance policy;
5. if You are a contract Eligible Employee not returning to work as an Eligible Employee the next contract year, the earlier of the following:
   a) the date You become employed with another employer;
   b) Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy;
   c) expiration of the current contract year;
6. Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy.
7. for AD&D coverage, the date Your corresponding life insurance ends, the date you are no longer Actively at Work, the date Your Waiver of Premium Benefit begins or Your Retirement Date.

B. Approved FMLA Leave of Absence – Contributory or Noncontributory Coverage
1. With regard to the Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) of 1993, as amended, the Employer and Employee must be eligible for FMLA in order to receive it. If You are on an approved FMLA leave, coverage will continue until the later of the leave period required by FMLA or the leave period required by applicable state law, provided that :
   a) The FMLA leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the FMLA leave; and
   b) The documentation of the advance approval of the FMLA leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
   c) FMLA leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during FMLA leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
   d) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

C. Paid Leave of Absence. If You are on a paid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
1. Noncontributory coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:

(1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
(2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
(3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

2. Contributory Coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on:
      (1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
      (2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
      (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
      (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

   c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a paid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

D. Unpaid Leave of Absence - If You are on an unpaid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leave of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
   (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
   (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
   (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
   (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during an unpaid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

E. Military Leave of Absence. If You are on a military leave of absence , coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a military leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave of absence; and

         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during such leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer; or
         (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

      c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a military leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

F. Termination or Amendment of the Group Policy and Employer Coverage

1. The Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Policyholder according to the terms of the Group Policy. Any such change or amendment may apply to current or future Employers and eligible persons covered under the Group Policy or to any separate classes or categories thereof. An Employer's coverage under the Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Employer according to the terms of the Group Policy.

2. We may change the Group Policy and any Employer's coverage under the Group Policy in whole or in part: (i) when any change or clarification in law or governmental regulation affects Our obligations under the Group Policy, or (ii) with the Policyholder's or Employer's consent.

3. We may terminate an Employer's coverage on any premium due date by giving the Employer not less than 60 days advance notice. An Employer may terminate coverage under the Group Policy in whole, and may terminate insurance for any class or group of eligible persons, at any time by giving Us advanced written notice at least 60 days prior to such termination. Insurance will terminate automatically for nonpayment of premium.

4. Benefits are limited to the terms of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy, including any valid amendments. No change or amendment of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will be valid unless it is approved in writing by one of Our executive officers and delivered to Your Employer. The Policyholder, Your Employer and their Eligible Employees or representatives have no right or authority to change or amend the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy or to waive any terms or provisions thereof without Our signed, written approval.

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V. LIFE INSURANCE - WAIVER OF PREMIUM BENEFIT

A. Waiver of Premium Definitions
   1. **Elimination Period** means the period of 9 months beginning on the date You become Disabled.
   2. **Life Insurance** under this Waiver of Premium Benefit means all of the Life Insurance, as listed in the Schedule of Benefits, in force under the Group Policy on the day before the day You become Disabled.
   3. **Proof of Disability** means documented clinical findings that prove that You are Disabled.

B. Waiver of Premium does not apply to AD&D Insurance.

C. Your Life Insurance will be continued as provided for under this section without payment of premium, if all of the following conditions are met:
   1. You become Disabled prior to age 60 while insured under the Group Policy;
   2. You remain Disabled without interruption for the duration of the Elimination Period;
   3. You provide Us with written notice of Your Disability within the later of 30 days after the end of Your Elimination Period or an approved leave of absence not to exceed 12 months;
   4. You provide Us with satisfactory written Proof of Disability within 12 months from the last day of the Elimination Period;
   5. Your claim is approved by Us.

D. When the Waiver of Premium Benefit Begins. If You qualify and are approved for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, Your premium will be waived beginning on the first day of the month immediately following the end of Your Elimination Period.

E. When Waiver of Premium Ends. Waiver of Premium ends on the earliest to occur of the following:
   1. The date You cease to be Disabled;
   2. The 91st day following the date We mail to You a request for additional Proof of Disability with which You fail to comply;
   3. The date You refuse to submit to a medical examination or to cooperate with Our chosen health care provider;

4. The date You refuse to submit to or undergo vocational rehabilitation (which determines employment opportunities, if any, for individuals with disabilities);
5. The date at which You've resided outside of the United States of America, or one of its territories during any 6 consecutive months for which premium had been waived;
6. The effective date of an individual life insurance policy issued to You under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

F. Premiums
1. Premium payment must continue until the later of the end of Your Elimination Period or the date Your claim for the Waiver of Premium Benefit is approved by Us.
2. If Your Waiver of Premium benefit terminates because You cease to be Disabled or You fail to submit to a medical exam or cooperate with the examiner, for coverage to continue, You must be an Eligible Employee and premiums must resume on the next premium due date, or You must continue coverage as provided for under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

G. Amount of Insurance
1. The amount of Life Insurance continued under the Waiver of Premium Benefit is the amount in effect on the day before You became Disabled, if you were Actively at Work.
2. Insurance will be reduced or terminated according to the Group Policy provisions in effect on the day before You became Disabled.
3. Your Life Insurance amount will not increase while Your Life Insurance premiums are being waived.

H. We will not waive premiums if Your Disability results from intentionally self-inflicted Injuries or Physical Diseases, while sane or insane, or from Your voluntary participation in an illegal activity.

I. If You die during the Elimination Period and are otherwise eligible for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, the Elimination Period will not apply.

J. We may require further Proof of Disability in intervals that are reasonable based on Your type of Disability.

K. Investigation Of Claim
With respect to benefits that are claimed during an Insured Person's lifetime, We may require him or her to undergo examination at reasonable intervals, at Our expense. Any such examinations will be conducted by appropriate Physician of Our choice. We may deny or suspend benefits if You fail to attend an examination, or do not give full effort and cooperation to the examiner.

VI. LIFE INSURANCE - LIVING BENEFIT

Terminally Ill and **Terminal Illness** mean a medical condition that is expected to result in Your death within 24 months.

A. If You become Terminally Ill while covered for life insurance under the Group Policy You may elect to receive the Living Benefit as provided for under this section.

B. The Living Benefit will be an amount equal to 50% of Your Employee Basic Life Insurance in effect on the date Your election is made, subject to a minimum of $5,000 and a maximum of $50,000. The amount payable will be equal to the Living Benefit less applicable amounts, if any, charged for an investment loss (interest) and administrative fees.

C. The payment will be made in one lump sum to You or to the payee You appropriately assign.

D. The Living Benefit will not be available if:

1. You have any portion of any Life Insurance or ownership rights thereof absolutely or irrevocably assigned or transferred;
2. You have made an irrevocable beneficiary designation;
3. the insurance proceeds are subject to a court order under a divorce decree, separate maintenance agreement or property settlement agreement;
4. You have filed for bankruptcy, unless You give Us written approval from the bankruptcy court for payment of the Living Benefit.

E. No payment will be made under this election unless and until We receive and approve of all of the following:
   1. Your signed and notarized election of this option on a form furnished by Us;
   2. signed and witnessed written statements of all irrevocable beneficiaries and assignees (and Spouse in marital property states) consenting to Your election of this option; and
   3. satisfactory written proof from a Physician other than Yourself or a member of Your or Your Spouse's immediate family that You have been diagnosed as being Terminally Ill and that You are of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

F. We may require a second opinion and examination of Your condition at Our own expense by a Physician of Our choice.

G. Payment of the Living Benefit will reduce correspondingly the face amount of Your life insurance benefits under the Group Policy. This will result in reduced life insurance proceeds payable to Your beneficiary at Your death. Furthermore, any amount of insurance that would otherwise be continued will be reduced proportionately, as will the maximum face amount available under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

H. Premium payments must continue to be paid for Your life insurance unless You qualify to have Your life insurance premium waived. The premium due will be based on the amount of insurance remaining in force after deducting the amount of the Living Benefit.

I. Payment of the Living Benefit will not affect the amount of, or change an existing beneficiary designation for, the AD&D Benefit, if any, in effect and kept in force under the Group Policy.

J. Your election together with Our payment of the Living Benefit constitute a valid and effective beneficiary designation change, but only with respect to the specified life insurance benefits, and only to the extent affected by the Living Benefit payment, and applicable interest and fees, if any, charged thereon.

K. Payment of the Living Benefit will be exempt from the claims of creditors and from legal process to the extent permitted by law.

L. All other provisions of the Group Policy, including the effective date provisions of any benefit increases and the provisions on benefit reductions because of amendments to the plan or benefit classification changes or Your attained age, remain valid and in effect. Any such life insurance benefit reduction will be calculated based on Your life insurance amount in effect immediately before the Living Benefit payment.

M. You are responsible for any tax consequences related to this benefit.

VII. LIFE INSURANCE CONVERSION BENEFIT

A. When Coverage Ends.
   1. If an Insured Person's coverage under the Policy ends, the Insured Person may, as described below, apply for Our individual life insurance policy without submitting Evidence of Insurability.
      a. The Insured Person must complete an application, pay the first premium, and send them to Us within the 31-day period immediately following the date coverage ends under the Policy (the Conversion Period).
      b. The individual policy will become effective on the first day following the date coverage under the Policy ends.
      c. The Insured Person may convert all or part of the amount of life insurance benefit, as shown in the "Schedule of Benefits".
   2. If an Insured Person has been insured under the Policy for at least five years and is no longer eligible due to cancellation of the Policy or cancellation of the class of insureds in which the Employee belonged, an Insured Person may convert the lesser of: (1) $10,000 or (2) all or part of the amount for which the Insured Person is no longer eligible for under the Policy.

B. Premiums.
   1. Premiums for such individual life policy will be based on: (1) Our usual rate for the amount and type of individual policy; (2) the Insured Person's class of risk; and (3) the Insured Person's attained age.
   2. If an Insured Person dies during the Conversion Period, the maximum amount of life insurance to which he or she would have been entitled to under such individual policy shall be payable as a claim under the Group Policy, whether or not application for the individual policy or the payment of the first premium has been made.
   3. The rights or benefits granted under this provision are in lieu of any other rights or benefits granted under the Group Policy.

VIII. ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

A. If an Insured Person has an Accident while insured for Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance and the Accident results in a Loss (as defined below), We will pay benefits according to the terms of the Group Policy after We receive Proof of Loss.

B. Eligibility. An Insured Person must be a member of a class that is eligible for AD&D coverage under the Group Policy as specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

C. Definitions for AD&D Insurance
   1. **Loss** means Loss of one or more of the body parts or bodily functions listed under "AD&D Benefit" below, or as otherwise provided for under this "Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance" section, which:
      a. is caused solely and directly by an Accident;
      b. occurs independently of all other causes;
      c. occurs within 90 days after the Accident; and
      d. while the Insured Person is covered under the Group Policy.
   2. **Accident:** A sudden, unexpected and unforeseen, identifiable event causing bodily Injury, directly produced by specific accidental contact with another body or object. The Accident must occur while You are covered under the Group Policy.
   3. With respect to a hand or foot, Loss means actual and permanent severance from the body at or above the wrist or ankle joint.
   4. With respect to sight, speech or hearing, Loss means entire and irrecoverable Loss of that function.

D. **AD&D Benefit.** The AD&D Benefit is equal to a percentage of the AD&D Insurance Amount in effect on the date of the Accident, subject to the AD&D Reduction Schedule provision set forth in the "Schedule of Benefits". The AD&D Insurance Amount is shown in the "Schedule of Benefits". The percentage is shown below.

Covered Losses:	Maximum Amount Payable
Loss of Life	100%
Loss of both Hands or both Feet	100%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot	50%
Loss of one Hand and one Foot	100%
Loss of Entire Sight of both Eyes	100%
Loss of Entire Sight in one Eye	50%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot and Entire Sight of one Eye	100%

E. Unless otherwise specified, no more than 100% of the applicable AD&D Insurance Amount will be paid for all Losses resulting from one Accident. If an age reduction applies, the benefit reduces on the date You attain that age.

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F. AD&D Insurance Exclusions. No AD&D Benefit is payable if the Loss is caused or contributed to by any of the following:

1. War or Act of War while you are in the military service . War means a state or period of declared or undeclared war whether civil or international, or any substantial armed conflict with organized forces of a military nature between nations, states or parties;
2. Suicide, attempted suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted Injury, while sane or insane;
3. Committing or attempting to commit a felony or assault, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot. Actively participating does not include being at the scene of a violent disorder or riot while performing Your official duties;
4. Any Injury sustained while under the voluntary use or consumption of any poison, illegal drugs, or controlled substance, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a Physician;
5. Physical Disease existing at the time of the Accident;
6. Medical negligence and malpractice;
7. Bacterial infections (except due to accidental food poisoning or caused by an accidental wound);
8. Any Loss incurred for which any government body or its agencies are liable while the insured is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves, of any state or country;
9. Any Loss incurred while operating, riding in or descending from any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a commercial aircraft.

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IX. CLAIMS PROVISIONS

A. Filing A Claim
   1. To file a claim for benefits under this Certificate, the claimant (depending on the benefit the claimant could be an Insured Person, a beneficiary or personal representative of an Insured Person) must provide Us with Proof of Loss in a timely manner. Or, upon receipt of written notice of claim, We will send the claimant a Claim Form for filing Proof of Loss. If the claimant does not receive such forms within 15 days after the giving of such notice, the claimant can send us, without the Claim Form, the written proof covering the occurrence.
   2. Proof of Loss.
      a. Proof of Loss must be provided in writing to Us, at the claimant's expense, within 90 days after the date of the loss if reasonably possible. If that is not reasonably possible, Proof of Loss must be provided

no later than one year after expiration of that 90-day period, or the claim will be denied. The time limits under this section shall not apply while the claimant lacks legal capacity.

b. **Proof of Loss** means satisfactory written proof that a loss occurred for which the Group Policy provides benefits, which is not subject to any exclusion, and which meets all other conditions for benefits. Proof of Loss includes any other information We may reasonably require in support of a claim for benefits under the Group Policy.

B. Notice of Decision on Claim

1. We will evaluate a claim for benefits promptly after We receive it. Within 30 days after We receive the claim We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on the claim; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the period to decide the claim for an additional 45 days.
2. If the claim is approved, We will pay benefits within 30 days after the Proof of Loss requirement is satisfied.
3. If We extend the period to decide the claim, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
4. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may decide the claim based on the information We have received.
5. If We deny any part of the claim, We will send the claimant a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision;
   b. reference to the parts of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based;
   c. a description of any additional information required to support the claim;
   d. information concerning the claimant's right to a review of Our decision.

C. Payment of Claims.

Upon receipt of proper Proof of Loss, benefits will be paid within 30 days. If any claims payment interest accrues, interest will be paid in the amount determined by the State in which the claims are incurred.

Death Claims: If an Insured Person dies while insured for life insurance under the Group Policy, We will pay benefits according to the "Schedule of Benefits", after We receive Proof of Loss, as follows.

1. The death benefit will be paid in a single sum or by any other method agreeable to Us and the beneficiary. Payment of the benefit will extinguish Our liability under the Group Policy for which the death benefit has been paid.
2. No Surviving Beneficiary. If You do not name a beneficiary, or if You are not survived by any named beneficiary, benefits will be paid to Your estate.
3. Dependent Benefits. Dependent Life Insurance benefits that are payable, but unpaid at the Insured Person's death, will be paid in equal shares to the first surviving class of the following, if the Eligible Employee is dead:
   a. The children of the Dependent.
   b. The parents of the Dependent.
   c. The Insured Person's estate.

   The following Dependent benefits, payable under the Group Policy, will be paid to the Eligible Employee if he or she is living:
   a. AD&D Insurance benefits;
   b. Life Insurance benefits;
   c. Supplemental Life Insurance benefits payable because of the death of Your insured Spouse or Child;
   d. Living Benefit.

4. Facility of Payment. If the benefits provided by the Group Policy are payable to the Insured Person's estate or to a beneficiary who is a minor or otherwise not legally competent to give a valid release, We may pay up to $500 to any person related to the Insured Person by blood or marriage. Any payment made in good

faith will fully release Us to the limit of the payment. If a beneficiary is a minor, or is not able to give a valid release for any payment of benefits made, We will pay the life proceeds to the legally appointed guardian. The guardian must provide Us with adequate written proof of such appointment. This provision does not prevent Us from making payment to or for the benefit of a minor beneficiary in accordance with the applicable state law. Payment made before We have received written notice at Our home office of a valid claim by some other person releases Us from further obligation.

D. Review Procedure.
1. If all or part of a claim is denied, the claimant may request a review. The claimant must request a review in writing within 60 days after receiving notice of the denial.
2. The claimant may send Us written comments or other items to support the claim. The claimant may review and receive copies of any non-privileged information that is relevant to the request for review. There will be no charge for such copies. Our review will include any written comments or other items the claimant submits to support the claim.
3. We will review the claim promptly after We receive the request. Within 60 days after We receive the request for review We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on review; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the review period for 60 days. If the extension is due to the claimant's failure to provide information necessary to decide the claim on review, the extended time period for review of the claim will not begin until the claimant provides the information or otherwise responds.
4. If We extend the review period, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim on review; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
5. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may conclude Our review of the claim based on the information We have received.
6. If We deny any part of the claim on review, the claimant will receive a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision.
   b. references to the provisions of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based.
   c. information concerning the claimant's right to receive, free of charge, copies of non-privileged documents and records relevant to the claim.
7. The Group Policy does not provide voluntary alternative dispute resolution options.

X. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Naming a Beneficiary.
1. At the time You became insured under the Group Policy, You should have named a beneficiary of the proceeds of Your life insurance on the enrollment form.

2. You may have named primary beneficiaries and secondary beneficiaries. A secondary beneficiary will become a primary beneficiary if the named primary beneficiary is not living at the time of Your death. Two or more surviving primary beneficiaries will share equally, unless You specify otherwise.

3. AD&D Insurance death benefits will be distributed according to the beneficiary designation of Your corresponding life insurance.

4. You may change Your beneficiary designation at any time, subject to the following:
   a) The designation must be made in writing on a form suitable to Us;
   b) The designation must be dated and signed by You (and by your Spouse where required by law);
   c) The designation must relate and refer to the insurance provided under the Group Policy;
   d) If applicable, We must have the written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries;
   e) You must not have assigned the ownership of Your insurance.

5. When a valid change of beneficiary is received by Us, the change will relate back to and take effect as of the date it was signed. This is the case whether You are alive or not when We receive the request. Even though the change of beneficiary will relate back to the date it was signed, it will be without prejudice to Us on account of any payment We have already made.

6. If We approve it, a written designation signed and dated by You under the Prior Plan will be accepted as Your beneficiary designation under the Group Policy.

B. Simultaneous Death Provision.

If a beneficiary dies on the same day You die, or within 120 hours from Your time of death, benefits will be paid as if that beneficiary had died before You, unless Proof of Loss with respect to Your death is delivered to Us before the date of the beneficiary's death.

C. Entire Contract, Changes

1. This Certificate, including the Enrollment Form, Group Policy and any Riders, Amendment or attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of Insurance. No change in this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of Our company and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or waive any of its provisions.

2. Except for those functions which the Group Policy specifically reserves to the Policyholder or Employer, We have authority to control, manage, and interpret the Group Policy, to administer claims and to resolve all questions arising in the administration, interpretation and application of the Group Policy.

3. Our authority includes, but is not limited to the following:
   a) the right to resolve all matters when a review has been requested;
   b) the right to establish and enforce rules and procedures for the administration of the Group Policy and any claim under it;
   c) the right to determine eligibility for insurance, entitlement to benefits, the amount of benefits payable and the sufficiency and the amount of information We may reasonably require to make determinations.

D. Incontestability of Insurance

1. Any statement made to obtain or to increase insurance is a representation and not a warranty.

2. No misrepresentation will be used as a basis for reducing or denying a claim or contesting the validity of insurance unless:
   a) the insurance would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given You or any other person claiming benefits a copy of the signed written instrument which contains the misrepresentation.

3. After insurance has been in effect for 2 years, during the lifetime of the Insured Person, We will not use a misrepresentation as a basis for reducing or denying a claim, unless it was a fraudulent misrepresentation.

E. Incontestability of the Group Policy or Employer Coverage under the Group Policy

1. No misrepresentation by the Policyholder or Your Employer will be used as a basis for denying a claim, or for denying the validity of the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy unless:
   a) the Group Policy would not have been issued or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given the Policyholder or Employer a copy of a written instrument signed by the Policyholder or Employer which contains the misrepresentation.

2. The validity of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will not be contested after it has been in force for 2 years, except for nonpayment of premium or fraudulent misrepresentations.

F. Clerical Error

1. Clerical error by Us, the Policyholder, Your Employer, or their respective Eligible Employees or representatives will not:
   a) cause a person to become insured under the Group Policy or a provision of it.
   b) invalidate insurance otherwise validly in force.
   c) continue insurance otherwise validly terminated.
   d) cause an Employer to obtain coverage under the Group Policy or a provision of it.

2. In the event that a clerical error results in an incorrect rate, We reserve the right to adjust the rate accordingly.

3. The payment of premium, by itself, will not obligate Us to provide benefits to anyone who is not eligible for coverage under the Group Policy.

4. Your Employer acts on its own behalf as Your agent, and not as Our agent. Your Employer has no authority to alter, expand or extend Our liability or to waive, modify or compromise any defense or right We may have under the Group Policy.

G. Misstatement

1. Age or Gender

If the age or gender, or both, of a person has been misstated, We will make an equitable adjustment of premiums, benefits or both. The adjustment will be based on:

   a) the amount of insurance based on the correct age and gender; and
   b) the difference between the premiums paid and the premiums which would have been paid if the age and gender had been correctly stated.

2. A legal action may not be brought to recover on this Certificate within 60 days after written Proof of Loss has been given as required. No such action may be brought after 3 years from the time written proof was required to be given.

H. Assignment

An Insured may not assign any of his or her rights, privileges or benefits under the Group Policy, unless approved by Us.

I. Conformity With State Laws

If any provision of this Certificate is contrary to any law to which it is subject, such provision is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such law.

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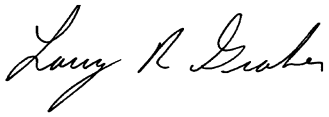
PLEASE READ THIS CERTIFICATE CAREFULLY

This Certificate of Insurance (hereinafter referred to as "Certificate") is evidence of insurance provided under the Group Policy issued to the Group Policyholder (hereinafter referred to as "Policyholder"). This Certificate describes the essential features of such insurance.

Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc., in performing its obligations under the Group Policy, is acting only as a life insurer with respect to the Group Policy and is not in any way acting as a plan administrator, a plan sponsor or a plan trustee for the purposes of the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 (ERISA), as amended, or any other federal or state laws.

No coverage under the Group Policy is in effect until approved in writing by Us and issued and delivered to the Policyholder. All terms, conditions and other provisions of the Group Policy are governed by the laws of the state in which the Policyholder is located. All provisions on this and the following pages are part of this Certificate. The Group Policy is on file and available for review at the main office of the Policyholder.

The President and Secretary of Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc witness this Certificate:



Larry R. Graber
President



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Secretary

WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.

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SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS

A. Administrative

1.	Employer:	North Scott Community School District
2.	Plan Number:	3468
3.	Initial Plan Effective Date:	January 1, 2000
4.	Class Effective Date:	September 1, 2017
5.	Evidence of Insurability Requirements:	Applies to Late Enrollees, Increases in Benefits and Amounts over Guarantee Issue Amounts
6.	Eligible Class:	06 Teachers who work Part-Time after being Full-Time
7.	Minimum Hourly Work Requirement:	18 hours per week
8.	Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage:	None
9.	New Employee Eligibility Date:	Upon completion of the Waiting Period
10.	Leaves / Layoffs:	Coverage with premium payment while on FMLA leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 12 months while on Paid or Unpaid Leave; Coverage with premium payment for up to 15 days while on Military Leave
11.	Employee Premium Contribution	
	Employee Basic Insurance:	0%
12.	Participation Requirements	
	Employee Basic Insurance:	100%
13.	Insurance Reduction Schedule	
	Employee Basic Insurance:	Basic Life and Basic AD&D Insurance does not reduce and terminates at retirement.

B. Basic Life Insurance

Employee Basic Life:	$50,000
Guarantee Issue:	$50,000

C. Additional Benefits

1.	Conversion of Insurance Benefit:	Included
2.	Waiver of Premium Benefit:	Included
3.	Living Benefit:	Included

D. Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance

1. Basic AD&D Insurance

Employee Basic AD&D Insurance:	Equal to Basic Life amount
Guarantee Issue:	Equal to Basic Life amount

I. DEFINITIONS

Active Work and **Actively at Work** are defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Annual Salary: Your current salary or wage from your Employer for the previous twelve months. Annual Salary does not include extra pay, annuity contributions, commissions, bonuses, overtime pay or any other extra compensation.

Contributory means that You pay all or a portion of the premium for insurance.

Disabled or **Disability** means:

1. during the first 24 months of the Disability period, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of Your own occupation and You are under the Regular Care of a Physician; or
2. after the first 24 months, as a result of Physical Disease, Injury or pregnancy, You are unable to perform with reasonable continuity a majority of the material duties of any occupation for which You are qualified by education, training and experience, and You are under the Regular Care and Attendance of a Physician.

Eligible Class means an employment classification defined by the Employer and specified in the "Schedule of Benefits." You must be a member of an Eligible Class in order to be eligible for insurance under the Group Policy.

Eligible Dependent is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Eligible Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employee is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" section.

Employer means an Employer (including approved affiliates and subsidiaries) participating in the Policyholder Trust to whom We have assigned a Plan Number and issued a Joinder Agreement.

Evidence of Insurability

1. Providing Evidence of Insurability means that a person applying for coverage under the Group Policy must:
   a) complete and sign Our Evidence of Insurability application and return the original application to Us. The application must be received by Us no later than 60 days from the date of signing; and
   b) authorize Us to obtain information about the applicant's health; and
   c) undergo a physical examination, if required by Us, which may include diagnostic testing; and
   d) provide any additional information about the applicant's insurability that We may reasonably require.
2. If any applicant is required to provide Evidence of Insurability, the applicant will be responsible for all costs associated with providing Evidence of Insurability.
3. In each case where Evidence of Insurability is required, We base Our decision whether to approve coverage on the information provided during the underwriting process. If We learn that the information relied on to approve coverage was incorrect, or that relevant information was omitted, We may retroactively rescind coverage and deny claims.

Group Policy (Policy) means the group insurance Policy issued by Us to the Policyholder under a specified Plan Number.

Guarantee Issue is the amount of coverage provided which is not subject to Evidence of Insurability.

Hospital means a legally operated Facility providing full-time medical care and treatment under the direction of a full-time staff of licensed Physicians, but not including rest homes, nursing homes, convalescent homes, homes for the aged and facilities primarily affording custodial, educational, or rehabilitative care.

Injury: Bodily Injury due to an Accident which: (1) results directly and independently of disease, bodily infirmity or any other causes; (2) solely, directly and independently of all other causes results in medical expense; (3) occurs after the effective date of the Insured Person's coverage; and (4) occurs while the Insured Person's coverage is in force. All Injuries sustained in any one Accident, including all related conditions and recurrent symptoms of these Injuries, are considered a single Injury.

Insured Person means an Eligible Employee, Eligible Dependent or Eligible Retiree whose coverage is in effect under the Group Policy.

Joinder Agreement means the document entered into between the Policyholder and the Employer describing the coverage requested by the Employer with respect to its Employees, which has been approved by Us and assigned a Plan Number.

Late Enrollee means an Employee or Dependent who applies for coverage under the Group Policy more than 31 days after becoming an Eligible Employee or Eligible Dependent.

Limiting Age means the Child age(s) shown in the definition of Child in the Eligibility for Insurance section.

Mental Disorder means any mental, emotional, behavioral, psychological, personality, cognitive, mood or stress related abnormality, disorder, disturbance, dysfunction or syndrome listed in the latest edition of the American Psychiatric Association Diagnostic and Statistical Manual or the International Classification of Disease.

Noncontributory means the Employer pays the entire premium for insurance.

Physical Disease means a Physical Disease entity or process that produces structural or functional changes in the body as diagnosed by a Physician. Physical Disease includes pregnancy and Mental Disorder.

Physician means a licensed medical professional under the laws of a state of the United States of America, acting within the scope of such license, who is permitted by law to prescribe medications and practice independent of supervision.

For the purpose of this Group Policy, Physician will not include the Insured Person’s Spouse, parent, brother, sister, or Child, including these members of a Spouse’s family.

Plan Effective Date means the date on which the Group Policy, with respect to the Employer, becomes effective.

Plan Number means the number used by Us to reference an Employer and the terms of coverage specified under the Group Policy and Joinder Agreement.

Prior Plan means the Employer’s group life insurance plan in effect on the day immediately preceding the Plan Effective Date.

Proof of Loss is defined in the “Claims Provisions” section.

Regular Care and Attendance means observation and treatment by a Physician as required by current standards of medicine for the Injury or Physical Disease causing a Disability, but in any event not less than one such observation per year.

Retire and **Retirement Date** means the earlier of:

1. the date You Retire as such term is defined by Your Employer;
2. the date You receive or become eligible to receive, as defined by the Employer, retirement benefits under any pension plan to which the Employer contributes,

3. or the date You receive or become eligible to receive retirement benefits under, and as defined by, any state or federal retirement plan or under the Social Security Act or Railroad Retirement Act.
4. the date You reach the age defined in the "Schedule of Benefits".

You and **Your** means the Eligible Employee.

Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage is defined in the "Eligibility for Insurance" and "Schedule of Benefits".

We, Us and **Our** means Madison National Life Insurance Company, Inc.

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II. ELIGIBILITY FOR INSURANCE

A. Employee Life Insurance Eligibility.
1. Employee Basic Life Insurance. To be eligible for Employee Basic Life Insurance under the Group Policy, You must satisfy the following requirements:

a) You must be an **Eligible Employee**.
(1) Employee means an individual who works for the Employer as a member of an Eligible Class and who is reported on the Employer's records for Social Security and tax withholding purposes.

b) You must be a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America or one of its territories.

c) You must be Actively at Work and capable of sustained Active Work.
(1) **Active Work** and **Actively at Work** mean working at Your Employer's usual place of business, and satisfying the Minimum Hourly Work Requirement. Actively at Work will include regularly scheduled days off, holidays, or vacation days, so long as You are capable of sustained Active Work on those days.
(2) Minimum Hourly Work Requirement means the work hours over a specified time period that are required of You by Your Employer in order to be eligible for coverage. Your Minimum Hourly Work Requirement is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".
(3) The Active Work requirement is waived during the time You are approved for benefits under the "Waiver of Premium Benefit" section.

d) You must have satisfied Your Waiting Period for Insurance Coverage.
(1) Waiting Period means the period of time that You must be Actively at Work as an Employee for Your coverage to become effective. Your Waiting Period is specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

e) You cannot be a member of more than one Eligible Class.

f) You cannot be a, temporary or seasonal Eligible Employee, full-time member of the armed forces of any country, leased Eligible Employee, or independent contractor.

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III. BECOMING INSURED

A. To become an Insured Person under the Group Policy, an applicant must meet the following requirements as each may apply:
   1. If Evidence of Insurability is required, the applicant must provide such Evidence of Insurability and be approved for coverage by Us. The "Schedule of Benefits" specifies when Evidence of Insurability is required.
   2. If the insurance is Contributory insurance, the applicant must apply in writing and remit the required premiums.

B. Effective Dates
   1. Employee's Initial Enrollment
      a. Noncontributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability or which is subject to Evidence of Insurability and has been approved by Us, becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee, or as specified by your Employer. However, if You initially waive participation in such coverage and then later wish to participate, applications for Noncontributory insurance will be subject to Evidence of Insurability and will become effective as shown below.
      b. Contributory insurance subject to Evidence of Insurability, and Late Enrollee applications for coverage, become effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      c. Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability, if You apply prior to, or within 31 calendar days commencing on, the date You become an Eligible Employee, Contributory insurance not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the date You become an Eligible Employee. If You do not apply for Contributory insurance prior to, or within 31 days of becoming an Eligible Employee and subsequently wish to obtain such coverage, Evidence of Insurability will be required and Your coverage will become effective as provided in subsection b above.
   2. Increases in Insurance
      a. Evidence of Insurability Required. An increase of insurance that is subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective on the first day of the month immediately following the month in which the Evidence of Insurability is approved by Us, except that if such approval occurs on the first day of a month, such coverage becomes effective on that day.
      b. Evidence of Insurability Not Required. An increase of insurance that is not subject to Evidence of Insurability becomes effective as follows:
         1) Based on change in Your classification, age or earnings on the date of such change;
   3. Decreases in Insurance
      a. A decrease in life insurance based on a change in Your classification, earnings, age or Your Dependent's age, becomes effective on the date of the change.
      b. Any other decrease in insurance becomes effective on the first day of the calendar month following the date Your Employer receives Your written request for the decrease, except that if such event occurs on the first day of a month, the decrease in coverage becomes effective on that day.
   4. Delayed Effective Date. If You are incapable of sustained Active Work due to Injury or Physical Disease on the day before the scheduled effective date of Your insurance or the effective date of a change in Your insurance, such insurance will not become effective until the day after You are capable of sustained Active Work and complete one day of Active Work as an Eligible Employee.
   5. If Your coverage ends, You may become covered again, subject to the following:
      a. If Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution while on an approved Family Medical Leave of absence, and then You return to Active Work and enroll for coverage within 31 days of the earlier of a) the end of the period of leave You and Your Employer agreed upon, or b) the end of the 12-week period following the date Your leave began, then the Waiting Period will be waived. Coverage is limited to what You had in effect prior to coverage ending or the coverage that is now available for Your Class, as determined by Us.

b. In all other cases, if Your coverage ends because You fail to make the required contribution, You must provide Evidence of Insurability to become covered again.
c. In no event will insurance coverage be retroactive.
d. If You cease to be an Eligible Employee and coverage ends, and then You return to Active Work with the Employer again within 3 months, the Waiting Period will be waived on the first day of Your return to Active Work.

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IV. WHEN COVERAGE ENDS

A. Except as otherwise provided for under this Certificate, coverage will cease on the earliest of the following to occur:
1. the date the Group Policy terminates or the date Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy terminates;
2. the date You cease to be an Eligible Employee;
3. if premium is not paid when required, the last day of the period for which premium was paid;
4. the date You become eligible for coverage as an employee under another group term life insurance policy;
5. if You are a contract Eligible Employee not returning to work as an Eligible Employee the next contract year, the earlier of the following:
   a) the date You become employed with another employer;
   b) Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy;
   c) expiration of the current contract year;
6. Your Retirement Date, unless You become insured for Retiree Life Insurance under the Group Policy.
7. for AD&D coverage, the date Your corresponding life insurance ends, the date you are no longer Actively at Work, the date Your Waiver of Premium Benefit begins or Your Retirement Date.

B. Approved FMLA Leave of Absence – Contributory or Noncontributory Coverage
1. With regard to the Federal Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA) of 1993, as amended, the Employer and Employee must be eligible for FMLA in order to receive it. If You are on an approved FMLA leave, coverage will continue until the later of the leave period required by FMLA or the leave period required by applicable state law, provided that :
   a) The FMLA leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the FMLA leave; and
   b) The documentation of the advance approval of the FMLA leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
   c) FMLA leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during FMLA leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
   d) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

C. Paid Leave of Absence. If You are on a paid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
1. Noncontributory coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:

(1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
(2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
(3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

2. Contributory Coverage
   a) Coverage will continue provided that:
      (1) The paid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the paid leave of absence; and
      (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the paid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
      (3) paid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during paid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
      (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

   b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a paid leave of absence will terminate on:
      (1) the date the paid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
      (2) 12 months from the date the paid leave of absence began; or
      (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
      (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

   c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a paid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

D. Unpaid Leave of Absence - If You are on an unpaid leave of absence, coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leaves of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The unpaid leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the unpaid leave of absence; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the unpaid leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) unpaid leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during unpaid leave of absence are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the Employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during an unpaid leave of absence will terminate on the earlier of:
   (1) the date the unpaid leave of absence is scheduled to end;
   (2) 12 months from the date the unpaid leave of absence began; or
   (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.
   (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during an unpaid leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

E. Military Leave of Absence. If You are on a military leave of absence , coverage will continue subject to the following:
   1. Noncontributory coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave; and
         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) the Employer remits the required premium for coverage.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during a military leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer.

   2. Contributory Coverage
      a) Coverage will continue provided that:
         (1) The military leave of absence is approved in advance by the Employer and such approval includes documentation of the beginning and ending dates of the military leave of absence; and

         (2) The documentation of the advance approval of the military leave of absence beginning and end dates is available to Us at Our request; and
         (3) military leaves of absence and the right to continue coverage during such leaves are available to all Employees in the same Eligible Class under the Group Policy; and
         (4) You continue to pay the required premium to the Employer without interruption and the employer continues to remit premium to Us on Your behalf.

      b) Unless You return to active, eligible status on or before the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end, coverage extended during such leave will terminate on the earlier of:
         (1) the date the military leave of absence is scheduled to end; or
         (2) 15 days from the date the military leave of absence began; or
         (3) upon termination of employment with the Employer; or
         (4) the date You fail to pay the premium as required.

      c) If You choose not to continue coverage or Your coverage terminates during a military leave of absence and You subsequently wish to obtain coverage, You will be treated as a Late Enrollee and be required to provide Evidence of Insurability.

F. Termination or Amendment of the Group Policy and Employer Coverage

1. The Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Policyholder according to the terms of the Group Policy. Any such change or amendment may apply to current or future Employers and eligible persons covered under the Group Policy or to any separate classes or categories thereof. An Employer's coverage under the Group Policy may be terminated, changed or amended in whole or in part by Us or the Employer according to the terms of the Group Policy.

2. We may change the Group Policy and any Employer's coverage under the Group Policy in whole or in part: (i) when any change or clarification in law or governmental regulation affects Our obligations under the Group Policy, or (ii) with the Policyholder's or Employer's consent.

3. We may terminate an Employer's coverage on any premium due date by giving the Employer not less than 60 days advance notice. An Employer may terminate coverage under the Group Policy in whole, and may terminate insurance for any class or group of eligible persons, at any time by giving Us advanced written notice at least 60 days prior to such termination. Insurance will terminate automatically for nonpayment of premium.

4. Benefits are limited to the terms of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy, including any valid amendments. No change or amendment of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will be valid unless it is approved in writing by one of Our executive officers and delivered to Your Employer. The Policyholder, Your Employer and their Eligible Employees or representatives have no right or authority to change or amend the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy or to waive any terms or provisions thereof without Our signed, written approval.

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V. LIFE INSURANCE - WAIVER OF PREMIUM BENEFIT

A. Waiver of Premium Definitions
   1. **Elimination Period** means the period of 9 months beginning on the date You become Disabled.
   2. **Life Insurance** under this Waiver of Premium Benefit means all of the Life Insurance, as listed in the Schedule of Benefits, in force under the Group Policy on the day before the day You become Disabled.
   3. **Proof of Disability** means documented clinical findings that prove that You are Disabled.

B. Waiver of Premium does not apply to AD&D Insurance.

C. Your Life Insurance will be continued as provided for under this section without payment of premium, if all of the following conditions are met:
   1. You become Disabled prior to age 60 while insured under the Group Policy;
   2. You remain Disabled without interruption for the duration of the Elimination Period;
   3. You provide Us with written notice of Your Disability within the later of 30 days after the end of Your Elimination Period or an approved leave of absence not to exceed 12 months;
   4. You provide Us with satisfactory written Proof of Disability within 12 months from the last day of the Elimination Period;
   5. Your claim is approved by Us.

D. When the Waiver of Premium Benefit Begins. If You qualify and are approved for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, Your premium will be waived beginning on the first day of the month immediately following the end of Your Elimination Period.

E. When Waiver of Premium Ends. Waiver of Premium ends on the earliest to occur of the following:
   1. The date You cease to be Disabled;
   2. The 91st day following the date We mail to You a request for additional Proof of Disability with which You fail to comply;
   3. The date You refuse to submit to a medical examination or to cooperate with Our chosen health care provider;

4. The date You refuse to submit to or undergo vocational rehabilitation (which determines employment opportunities, if any, for individuals with disabilities);
5. The date at which You've resided outside of the United States of America, or one of its territories during any 6 consecutive months for which premium had been waived;
6. The effective date of an individual life insurance policy issued to You under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

F. Premiums
1. Premium payment must continue until the later of the end of Your Elimination Period or the date Your claim for the Waiver of Premium Benefit is approved by Us.
2. If Your Waiver of Premium benefit terminates because You cease to be Disabled or You fail to submit to a medical exam or cooperate with the examiner, for coverage to continue, You must be an Eligible Employee and premiums must resume on the next premium due date, or You must continue coverage as provided for under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

G. Amount of Insurance
1. The amount of Life Insurance continued under the Waiver of Premium Benefit is the amount in effect on the day before You became Disabled, if you were Actively at Work.
2. Insurance will be reduced or terminated according to the Group Policy provisions in effect on the day before You became Disabled.
3. Your Life Insurance amount will not increase while Your Life Insurance premiums are being waived.

H. We will not waive premiums if Your Disability results from intentionally self-inflicted Injuries or Physical Diseases, while sane or insane, or from Your voluntary participation in an illegal activity.

I. If You die during the Elimination Period and are otherwise eligible for the Waiver of Premium Benefit, the Elimination Period will not apply.

J. We may require further Proof of Disability in intervals that are reasonable based on Your type of Disability.

K. Investigation Of Claim
With respect to benefits that are claimed during an Insured Person's lifetime, We may require him or her to undergo examination at reasonable intervals, at Our expense. Any such examinations will be conducted by appropriate Physician of Our choice. We may deny or suspend benefits if You fail to attend an examination, or do not give full effort and cooperation to the examiner.

VI. LIFE INSURANCE - LIVING BENEFIT

Terminally Ill and **Terminal Illness** mean a medical condition that is expected to result in Your death within 24 months.

A. If You become Terminally Ill while covered for life insurance under the Group Policy You may elect to receive the Living Benefit as provided for under this section.

B. The Living Benefit will be an amount equal to 50% of Your Employee Basic Life Insurance in effect on the date Your election is made, subject to a minimum of $5,000 and a maximum of $50,000. The amount payable will be equal to the Living Benefit less applicable amounts, if any, charged for an investment loss (interest) and administrative fees.

C. The payment will be made in one lump sum to You or to the payee You appropriately assign.

D. The Living Benefit will not be available if:

1. You have any portion of any Life Insurance or ownership rights thereof absolutely or irrevocably assigned or transferred;
2. You have made an irrevocable beneficiary designation;
3. the insurance proceeds are subject to a court order under a divorce decree, separate maintenance agreement or property settlement agreement;
4. You have filed for bankruptcy, unless You give Us written approval from the bankruptcy court for payment of the Living Benefit.

E. No payment will be made under this election unless and until We receive and approve of all of the following:
   1. Your signed and notarized election of this option on a form furnished by Us;
   2. signed and witnessed written statements of all irrevocable beneficiaries and assignees (and Spouse in marital property states) consenting to Your election of this option; and
   3. satisfactory written proof from a Physician other than Yourself or a member of Your or Your Spouse's immediate family that You have been diagnosed as being Terminally Ill and that You are of sound mind and under no constraint or undue influence.

F. We may require a second opinion and examination of Your condition at Our own expense by a Physician of Our choice.

G. Payment of the Living Benefit will reduce correspondingly the face amount of Your life insurance benefits under the Group Policy. This will result in reduced life insurance proceeds payable to Your beneficiary at Your death. Furthermore, any amount of insurance that would otherwise be continued will be reduced proportionately, as will the maximum face amount available under the "Life Insurance Conversion Benefit" section.

H. Premium payments must continue to be paid for Your life insurance unless You qualify to have Your life insurance premium waived. The premium due will be based on the amount of insurance remaining in force after deducting the amount of the Living Benefit.

I. Payment of the Living Benefit will not affect the amount of, or change an existing beneficiary designation for, the AD&D Benefit, if any, in effect and kept in force under the Group Policy.

J. Your election together with Our payment of the Living Benefit constitute a valid and effective beneficiary designation change, but only with respect to the specified life insurance benefits, and only to the extent affected by the Living Benefit payment, and applicable interest and fees, if any, charged thereon.

K. Payment of the Living Benefit will be exempt from the claims of creditors and from legal process to the extent permitted by law.

L. All other provisions of the Group Policy, including the effective date provisions of any benefit increases and the provisions on benefit reductions because of amendments to the plan or benefit classification changes or Your attained age, remain valid and in effect. Any such life insurance benefit reduction will be calculated based on Your life insurance amount in effect immediately before the Living Benefit payment.

M. You are responsible for any tax consequences related to this benefit.

VII. LIFE INSURANCE CONVERSION BENEFIT

A. When Coverage Ends.
   1. If an Insured Person's coverage under the Policy ends, the Insured Person may, as described below, apply for Our individual life insurance policy without submitting Evidence of Insurability.
      a. The Insured Person must complete an application, pay the first premium, and send them to Us within the 31-day period immediately following the date coverage ends under the Policy (the Conversion Period).
      b. The individual policy will become effective on the first day following the date coverage under the Policy ends.
      c. The Insured Person may convert all or part of the amount of life insurance benefit, as shown in the "Schedule of Benefits".
   2. If an Insured Person has been insured under the Policy for at least five years and is no longer eligible due to cancellation of the Policy or cancellation of the class of insureds in which the Employee belonged, an Insured Person may convert the lesser of: (1) $10,000 or (2) all or part of the amount for which the Insured Person is no longer eligible for under the Policy.

B. Premiums.
   1. Premiums for such individual life policy will be based on: (1) Our usual rate for the amount and type of individual policy; (2) the Insured Person's class of risk; and (3) the Insured Person's attained age.
   2. If an Insured Person dies during the Conversion Period, the maximum amount of life insurance to which he or she would have been entitled to under such individual policy shall be payable as a claim under the Group Policy, whether or not application for the individual policy or the payment of the first premium has been made.
   3. The rights or benefits granted under this provision are in lieu of any other rights or benefits granted under the Group Policy.

VIII. ACCIDENTAL DEATH & DISMEMBERMENT INSURANCE

A. If an Insured Person has an Accident while insured for Accidental Death and Dismemberment (AD&D) Insurance and the Accident results in a Loss (as defined below), We will pay benefits according to the terms of the Group Policy after We receive Proof of Loss.

B. Eligibility. An Insured Person must be a member of a class that is eligible for AD&D coverage under the Group Policy as specified in the "Schedule of Benefits".

C. Definitions for AD&D Insurance
   1. **Loss** means Loss of one or more of the body parts or bodily functions listed under "AD&D Benefit" below, or as otherwise provided for under this "Accidental Death and Dismemberment Insurance" section, which:
      a. is caused solely and directly by an Accident;
      b. occurs independently of all other causes;
      c. occurs within 90 days after the Accident; and
      d. while the Insured Person is covered under the Group Policy.
   2. **Accident:** A sudden, unexpected and unforeseen, identifiable event causing bodily Injury, directly produced by specific accidental contact with another body or object. The Accident must occur while You are covered under the Group Policy.
   3. With respect to a hand or foot, Loss means actual and permanent severance from the body at or above the wrist or ankle joint.
   4. With respect to sight, speech or hearing, Loss means entire and irrecoverable Loss of that function.

D. **AD&D Benefit.** The AD&D Benefit is equal to a percentage of the AD&D Insurance Amount in effect on the date of the Accident, subject to the AD&D Reduction Schedule provision set forth in the "Schedule of Benefits". The AD&D Insurance Amount is shown in the "Schedule of Benefits". The percentage is shown below.

Covered Losses:	Maximum Amount Payable
Loss of Life	100%
Loss of both Hands or both Feet	100%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot	50%
Loss of one Hand and one Foot	100%
Loss of Entire Sight of both Eyes	100%
Loss of Entire Sight in one Eye	50%
Loss of one Hand or one Foot and Entire Sight of one Eye	100%

E. Unless otherwise specified, no more than 100% of the applicable AD&D Insurance Amount will be paid for all Losses resulting from one Accident. If an age reduction applies, the benefit reduces on the date You attain that age.

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F. AD&D Insurance Exclusions. No AD&D Benefit is payable if the Loss is caused or contributed to by any of the following:

1. War or Act of War while you are in the military service . War means a state or period of declared or undeclared war whether civil or international, or any substantial armed conflict with organized forces of a military nature between nations, states or parties;
2. Suicide, attempted suicide or other intentionally self-inflicted Injury, while sane or insane;
3. Committing or attempting to commit a felony or assault, or actively participating in a violent disorder or riot. Actively participating does not include being at the scene of a violent disorder or riot while performing Your official duties;
4. Any Injury sustained while under the voluntary use or consumption of any poison, illegal drugs, or controlled substance, unless used or consumed according to the directions of a Physician;
5. Physical Disease existing at the time of the Accident;
6. Medical negligence and malpractice;
7. Bacterial infections (except due to accidental food poisoning or caused by an accidental wound);
8. Any Loss incurred for which any government body or its agencies are liable while the insured is on active duty or training in the Armed Forces, National Guard or Reserves, of any state or country;
9. Any Loss incurred while operating, riding in or descending from any aircraft, except as a fare-paying passenger on a commercial aircraft.

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IX. CLAIMS PROVISIONS

A. Filing A Claim
   1. To file a claim for benefits under this Certificate, the claimant (depending on the benefit the claimant could be an Insured Person, a beneficiary or personal representative of an Insured Person) must provide Us with Proof of Loss in a timely manner. Or, upon receipt of written notice of claim, We will send the claimant a Claim Form for filing Proof of Loss. If the claimant does not receive such forms within 15 days after the giving of such notice, the claimant can send us, without the Claim Form, the written proof covering the occurrence.
   2. Proof of Loss.
      a. Proof of Loss must be provided in writing to Us, at the claimant's expense, within 90 days after the date of the loss if reasonably possible. If that is not reasonably possible, Proof of Loss must be provided

no later than one year after expiration of that 90-day period, or the claim will be denied. The time limits under this section shall not apply while the claimant lacks legal capacity.

b. **Proof of Loss** means satisfactory written proof that a loss occurred for which the Group Policy provides benefits, which is not subject to any exclusion, and which meets all other conditions for benefits. Proof of Loss includes any other information We may reasonably require in support of a claim for benefits under the Group Policy.

B. Notice of Decision on Claim

1. We will evaluate a claim for benefits promptly after We receive it. Within 30 days after We receive the claim We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on the claim; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the period to decide the claim for an additional 45 days.
2. If the claim is approved, We will pay benefits within 30 days after the Proof of Loss requirement is satisfied.
3. If We extend the period to decide the claim, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
4. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may decide the claim based on the information We have received.
5. If We deny any part of the claim, We will send the claimant a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision;
   b. reference to the parts of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based;
   c. a description of any additional information required to support the claim;
   d. information concerning the claimant's right to a review of Our decision.

C. Payment of Claims.

Upon receipt of proper Proof of Loss, benefits will be paid within 30 days. If any claims payment interest accrues, interest will be paid in the amount determined by the State in which the claims are incurred.

Death Claims: If an Insured Person dies while insured for life insurance under the Group Policy, We will pay benefits according to the "Schedule of Benefits", after We receive Proof of Loss, as follows.

1. The death benefit will be paid in a single sum or by any other method agreeable to Us and the beneficiary. Payment of the benefit will extinguish Our liability under the Group Policy for which the death benefit has been paid.
2. No Surviving Beneficiary. If You do not name a beneficiary, or if You are not survived by any named beneficiary, benefits will be paid to Your estate.
3. Dependent Benefits. Dependent Life Insurance benefits that are payable, but unpaid at the Insured Person's death, will be paid in equal shares to the first surviving class of the following, if the Eligible Employee is dead:
   a. The children of the Dependent.
   b. The parents of the Dependent.
   c. The Insured Person's estate.

   The following Dependent benefits, payable under the Group Policy, will be paid to the Eligible Employee if he or she is living:
   a. AD&D Insurance benefits;
   b. Life Insurance benefits;
   c. Supplemental Life Insurance benefits payable because of the death of Your insured Spouse or Child;
   d. Living Benefit.

4. Facility of Payment. If the benefits provided by the Group Policy are payable to the Insured Person's estate or to a beneficiary who is a minor or otherwise not legally competent to give a valid release, We may pay up to $500 to any person related to the Insured Person by blood or marriage. Any payment made in good

faith will fully release Us to the limit of the payment. If a beneficiary is a minor, or is not able to give a valid release for any payment of benefits made, We will pay the life proceeds to the legally appointed guardian. The guardian must provide Us with adequate written proof of such appointment. This provision does not prevent Us from making payment to or for the benefit of a minor beneficiary in accordance with the applicable state law. Payment made before We have received written notice at Our home office of a valid claim by some other person releases Us from further obligation.

D. Review Procedure.
1. If all or part of a claim is denied, the claimant may request a review. The claimant must request a review in writing within 60 days after receiving notice of the denial.
2. The claimant may send Us written comments or other items to support the claim. The claimant may review and receive copies of any non-privileged information that is relevant to the request for review. There will be no charge for such copies. Our review will include any written comments or other items the claimant submits to support the claim.
3. We will review the claim promptly after We receive the request. Within 60 days after We receive the request for review We will send the claimant:
   a. a written decision on review; or
   b. a notice that We are extending the review period for 60 days. If the extension is due to the claimant's failure to provide information necessary to decide the claim on review, the extended time period for review of the claim will not begin until the claimant provides the information or otherwise responds.
4. If We extend the review period, We will notify the claimant of the following:
   a. the reasons for the extension;
   b. when We expect to decide the claim on review; and
   c. any additional information We require to decide the claim.
5. If We request additional information, the claimant will have 45 days to provide the information. If the claimant does not provide the requested information within 45 days, We may conclude Our review of the claim based on the information We have received.
6. If We deny any part of the claim on review, the claimant will receive a written notice of denial containing:
   a. the reasons for Our decision.
   b. references to the provisions of the Group Policy on which Our decision is based.
   c. information concerning the claimant's right to receive, free of charge, copies of non-privileged documents and records relevant to the claim.
7. The Group Policy does not provide voluntary alternative dispute resolution options.

X. GENERAL PROVISIONS

A. Naming a Beneficiary.
1. At the time You became insured under the Group Policy, You should have named a beneficiary of the proceeds of Your life insurance on the enrollment form.

2. You may have named primary beneficiaries and secondary beneficiaries. A secondary beneficiary will become a primary beneficiary if the named primary beneficiary is not living at the time of Your death. Two or more surviving primary beneficiaries will share equally, unless You specify otherwise.

3. AD&D Insurance death benefits will be distributed according to the beneficiary designation of Your corresponding life insurance.

4. You may change Your beneficiary designation at any time, subject to the following:
   a) The designation must be made in writing on a form suitable to Us;
   b) The designation must be dated and signed by You (and by your Spouse where required by law);
   c) The designation must relate and refer to the insurance provided under the Group Policy;
   d) If applicable, We must have the written consent of all irrevocable beneficiaries;
   e) You must not have assigned the ownership of Your insurance.

5. When a valid change of beneficiary is received by Us, the change will relate back to and take effect as of the date it was signed. This is the case whether You are alive or not when We receive the request. Even though the change of beneficiary will relate back to the date it was signed, it will be without prejudice to Us on account of any payment We have already made.

6. If We approve it, a written designation signed and dated by You under the Prior Plan will be accepted as Your beneficiary designation under the Group Policy.

B. Simultaneous Death Provision.

If a beneficiary dies on the same day You die, or within 120 hours from Your time of death, benefits will be paid as if that beneficiary had died before You, unless Proof of Loss with respect to Your death is delivered to Us before the date of the beneficiary's death.

C. Entire Contract, Changes

1. This Certificate, including the Enrollment Form, Group Policy and any Riders, Amendment or attached papers, if any, constitutes the entire contract of Insurance. No change in this Certificate shall be valid until approved by an executive officer of Our company and unless such approval is endorsed hereon or attached hereto. No agent has authority to change this Certificate or waive any of its provisions.

2. Except for those functions which the Group Policy specifically reserves to the Policyholder or Employer, We have authority to control, manage, and interpret the Group Policy, to administer claims and to resolve all questions arising in the administration, interpretation and application of the Group Policy.

3. Our authority includes, but is not limited to the following:
   a) the right to resolve all matters when a review has been requested;
   b) the right to establish and enforce rules and procedures for the administration of the Group Policy and any claim under it;
   c) the right to determine eligibility for insurance, entitlement to benefits, the amount of benefits payable and the sufficiency and the amount of information We may reasonably require to make determinations.

D. Incontestability of Insurance

1. Any statement made to obtain or to increase insurance is a representation and not a warranty.

2. No misrepresentation will be used as a basis for reducing or denying a claim or contesting the validity of insurance unless:
   a) the insurance would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given You or any other person claiming benefits a copy of the signed written instrument which contains the misrepresentation.

3. After insurance has been in effect for 2 years, during the lifetime of the Insured Person, We will not use a misrepresentation as a basis for reducing or denying a claim, unless it was a fraudulent misrepresentation.

E. Incontestability of the Group Policy or Employer Coverage under the Group Policy

1. No misrepresentation by the Policyholder or Your Employer will be used as a basis for denying a claim, or for denying the validity of the Group Policy or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy unless:
   a) the Group Policy would not have been issued or Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy would not have been approved if We had known the truth; and
   b) We have given the Policyholder or Employer a copy of a written instrument signed by the Policyholder or Employer which contains the misrepresentation.

2. The validity of Your Employer's coverage under the Group Policy will not be contested after it has been in force for 2 years, except for nonpayment of premium or fraudulent misrepresentations.

F. Clerical Error

1. Clerical error by Us, the Policyholder, Your Employer, or their respective Eligible Employees or representatives will not:
   a) cause a person to become insured under the Group Policy or a provision of it.
   b) invalidate insurance otherwise validly in force.
   c) continue insurance otherwise validly terminated.
   d) cause an Employer to obtain coverage under the Group Policy or a provision of it.

2. In the event that a clerical error results in an incorrect rate, We reserve the right to adjust the rate accordingly.

3. The payment of premium, by itself, will not obligate Us to provide benefits to anyone who is not eligible for coverage under the Group Policy.

4. Your Employer acts on its own behalf as Your agent, and not as Our agent. Your Employer has no authority to alter, expand or extend Our liability or to waive, modify or compromise any defense or right We may have under the Group Policy.

G. Misstatement

1. Age or Gender

If the age or gender, or both, of a person has been misstated, We will make an equitable adjustment of premiums, benefits or both. The adjustment will be based on:

   a) the amount of insurance based on the correct age and gender; and
   b) the difference between the premiums paid and the premiums which would have been paid if the age and gender had been correctly stated.

2. A legal action may not be brought to recover on this Certificate within 60 days after written Proof of Loss has been given as required. No such action may be brought after 3 years from the time written proof was required to be given.

H. Assignment

An Insured may not assign any of his or her rights, privileges or benefits under the Group Policy, unless approved by Us.

I. Conformity With State Laws

If any provision of this Certificate is contrary to any law to which it is subject, such provision is hereby amended to conform to the minimum requirements of such law.