

Two Wheeler Long Term Package Policy

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A Motor insurance policy is mandatory under the Motor Vehicle Act. Owning USGI's Term Wheeler Long Term Package Policy ('TWLTPP') ensures that you are protected from financial losses, caused by damage or theft of the vehicle and third-party liability.

KEY BENEFITS

- i. Insure once and avoid hassles of yearly renewals
- ii. Option to insure for two or three years at one-time
- iii. Save on premium hike for Third Party Rates
- iv. Get additional discount on your Motor Own Damage premium (Refer Section E)
- v. Get additional NCB on renewal (Refer Section F)
- vi. Transfer your NCB: You can transfer full benefits of No Claim Bonus when you shift your motor insurance policy to another company*

SECTION I

LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO THE VEHICLE INSURED

The Company will indemnify the insured against loss or damage to the vehicle insured hereunder and / or its accessories whilst thereon

- i. By fire explosion self ignition or lightning;
- ii. By burglary housebreaking or theft;
- iii. By riot and strike;
- iv. By earthquake (fire and shock damage);
- v. By flood typhoon hurricane storm tempest inundation cyclone hailstorm frost;
- vi. By accidental external means;
- vii. By malicious act;
- viii. By terrorist activity;
- ix. Whilst in transit by road rail inland-waterway lift elevator or air:
- x. By landslide rockslide.

Subject to a deduction for depreciation at the rates mentioned below in respect of parts replaced:

- 1. For all rubber/ nylon / plastic parts, tyres and tubes, batteries, and air bags 50%
- 2. For fibre glass components 30%
- 3. For all parts made of glass Nil
- 4. Rate of depreciation for all other parts including wooden parts will be as per the following schedule.

AGE OF VEHICLE	% OF DEPRECIATION
Not exceeding 6months	Nil
Exceeding 6months but not exceeding 1 year	5%
Exceeding 1 year but not exceeding 2 years	10%
Exceeding 2 years but not exceeding 3 years	15%
Exceeding 3 years but not exceeding 4 years	25%
Exceeding 4 years but not exceeding 5 years	35%
Exceeding 5 years but not exceeding 10 years	40%
Exceeding 10 years	50%

5. Rate of Depreciation for Painting: In the case of painting, the depreciation rate of 50% shall be applied only on the material cost of total painting charges. In case of a consolidated bill for painting charges, the material component shall be considered as 25% of total painting charges for the purpose of applying the depreciation.



1. The Company shall not be liable to make any payment in respect of: -

- a. Consequential loss, depreciation, wear and tear, mechanical or electrical breakdown, failures or breakages.
- b. Damage to Tyres and Tubes unless the vehicle is damaged at the same time in which case the liability of the company shall be limited to 50% of the cost of replacement.
- c. Loss or damage to accessories by burglary, housebreaking or theft unless the vehicle is stolen at the same time, and
- d. Any accidental loss or damage suffered whilst the insured or any person driving the vehicle with the knowledge and consent of the insured is under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drug.
- 2. In the event of the vehicle being disabled by reason of loss or damage covered under this Policy the Company will bear the reasonable cost of protection and removal to the nearest repairer and redelivery to the insured but not exceeding in all Rs. 300/- in respect of any one accident.
- **3.** The insured may authorize the repair of the vehicle necessitated by damage for which the Company may be liable under this Policy provided that:
 - a. The estimated cost of such repair including replacements, if any, does not exceed Rs.150/-
 - b. The Company is furnished forthwith with a detailed estimate of the cost of repairs; and
 - c. The insured shall give the Company every assistance to see that such repair is necessary and the charges are reasonable.

Sum Insured, Insured's Declared Value (IDV)

The **Insured's Declared Value (IDV)** of the vehicle will be deemed to be the 'SUM INSURED' for the purpose of this policy which is fixed at the commencement of each policy period for the insured vehicle.

The IDV of the vehicle (and accessories if any fitted to the vehicle) is to be fixed on the basis of the manufacturer's listed selling price of the brand and model as the vehicle insured at the commencement of insurance/renewal and adjusted for depreciation (as per schedule below).

The schedule of age-wise depreciation as shown below is applicable for the purpose of Total Loss/Constructive Total Loss (**TL/CTL**) claims only.

THE SCHEDULE OF DEPRECIATION FOR FIXING IDV OF THE VEHICLE:

AGE OF VEHICLE	% OF DEPRECIATION
Not exceeding 6months	5%
Exceeding 6months but not exceeding 1 year	15%
Exceeding 1 year but not exceeding 2 years	20%
Exceeding 2 years but not exceeding 3 years	30%
Exceeding 3 years but not exceeding 4 years	40%
Exceeding 4 years but not exceeding 5 years	50%

IDV of vehicles beyond 5 years of age and of obsolete models of the vehicles (i.e. models which the manufacturers have discontinued to manufacture) is to be determined on the basis of an understanding between the insurer and the insured.

IDV shall be treated as the 'Market Value' throughout the policy period without any further depreciation for the purpose of Total Loss (**TL**) / Constructive Total Loss (**CTL**) claims.



The insured vehicle shall be treated as a CTL if the aggregate cost of retrieval and / or repair of the vehicle, subject to terms and conditions of the policy, exceeds 75% of the IDV of the vehicle.

SECTION II LIABILITY TO THIRD PARTIES

- 1. Subject to the limits of liability as laid down in the Schedule hereto the Company will indemnify the insured in the event of an accident caused by or arising out of the use of the vehicle against all sums which the insured shall become legally liable to pay in respect of:
 - i. Death of or bodily injury to any person including occupants carried in the vehicle (provided such occupants are not carried for hire or reward) but except so far as it is necessary to meet the requirements of Motor Vehicles Act, the Company shall not be liable where such death or injury arises out of and in the course of the employment of such person by the insured.
 - ii. Damage to property other than property belonging to the insured or held in trust or in the custody or control of the insured.

PROVIDED ALWAYS that the company shall not be liable in respect of death, injury or damage caused or arising beyond the limits of any carriageway or thoroughfare in connection with the bringing of the load to the vehicle for loading thereon or the taking away of the load from the vehicle after unloading there from.

- 2. The Company will pay all costs and expenses incurred with its written consent.
- 3. In terms of and subject to the limitations of the indemnity granted by this section to the insured, the Company will indemnify any driver who is driving the vehicle on the insured's order or with insured's permission provided that such driver shall as though he/she was the insured observe fulfill and be subject to the terms exclusions and conditions of this Policy in so far as they apply.
- 4. In the event of the death of any person entitled to indemnity under this policy the Company will in respect of the liability incurred by such person indemnify his/her personal representative in terms of and subject to the limitations of this Policy provided that such personal representative shall as though such representative was the insured observe fulfill and be subject to the terms exclusions and conditions of this Policy in so far as they apply.
- 5. The Company may at its own option:
 - i. Arrange for representation at any Inquest or Fatal Inquiry in respect of any death which may be the subject of indemnity under this Policy and
 - ii. Undertake the defense of proceedings in any Court of Law in respect of any act or alleged offence causing or relating to any event which may be the subject of indemnity under this Policy.

APPLICATION OF LIMITS OF INDEMNITY

In the event of any accident involving indemnity to more than one person any limitation by the terms of this Policy and/or of any Endorsement thereon of the amount of any indemnity shall apply to the aggregate amount of indemnity to all persons indemnified and such indemnity shall apply in priority to the insured.

SECTION III PERSONAL ACCIDENT COVER FOR OWNER-DRIVER

The Company undertakes to pay compensation as per the following scale for bodily injury/ death sustained by



the owner-driver of the vehicle, in direct connection with the vehicle insured or whilst driving or mounting into/dismounting from the vehicle insured or whilst traveling in it as a co-driver, caused by violent accidental external and visible means which independent of any other cause shall within six calendar months of such injury result in:

Nature of Injury	Scale of Compensation
i) Death	100%
ii) Loss of two limbs or sight of two eyes or one limb and sight of one eye	100%
iii)Loss of one limb or sight of one eye	50%
iv)Permanent total disablement from injuries other than named above	100%

Extent of Insurance Covers

Cover Selected	Sum Insured Limit	
Third party (Injury / Death)	Unlimited	
Third Party Property Damage	Rs.6000/Rs. 1 lakhs	
Legal Liability	As per Indian workmen compensation Act	
PA Cover (other than Owner Driver)	Upto 2 lakh	
Cumulative Personal Accident cover for		
Owner driver	Upto 15 lakh	
	Vehicle IDV Calculation Method	
	Ex-showroom price * depreciation scale as per vehicle age = IDV	
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Vehicle IDV	The IDV arrived is basis factors, Location, usage, road	
	type/ terrain, model segment, model which is with your	
	(Insured) agreement and as captured in the policy	
	schedule	

Eliqible Discounts

Insured will be eligible for maximum discounts on premium. Criteria for such discount may include but not limited to the following;

- Risk Segment
- Geographical Categorization
- Age of the vehicle
- Claims history
- Fuel Type

General Exclusions (Applicable to all sections of Policy)

The Company shall not be liable under this policy in respect of

Any accidental loss or damage and/or liability caused sustained or incurred outside the geographical area;

Any claim arising out of any contractual liability

any accidental loss damage and/or liability caused sustained or incurred whilst the vehicle insured herein is

a. being used otherwise than in accordance with the 'Limitations as to Use'



	other than a Driver as stated in the Driver's Clause		
4	 a. Any accidental loss or damage to any property whatsoever or any loss or expense whatsoever resulting or arising there from or any consequential loss b. Any liability of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by or contributed to by or arising from ionising radiations or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel. For the purpose of this exclsuion combustion shall include any self-sustaining process of nuclear fission 		
Any accidental loss or damage or liability directly or indirectly caused by or contributed to by from nuclear weapons material			
6	Any accidental loss damage and/or liability directly or indirectly or proximately or remotely occasioned by contributed to by or traceable to or arising out of or in connection with war, invasion, the act of foreign enemies, hostilities or warlike operations (whether before or after declaration of war) civil war, mutiny rebellion, military or usurped power or by any direct or indirect consequence of any of the said occurrences and in the event of any claim hereunder the insured shall prove that the accidental loss damage and/or liability arose independently of and was in no way connected with or occasioned by or contributed to by or traceable to any of the said occurrences or any consequences thereof and in default of such proof, the Company shall not be liable to make any payment in respect of such a claim		

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DEDUCTIBLE

The Company shall not be liable for each and every claim under Section - I (loss of or damage to the vehicle insured) of this Policy in respect of the deductible stated in the schedule.

CONDITIONS

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This Policy and the Schedule shall be read together and any word or expression to which a specific meaning has been attached in any part of this Policy or of the Schedule shall bear the same meaning wherever it may appear.

Notice shall be given in writing to the Company immediately upon the occurrence of any accidental loss or damage in the event of any claim and thereafter the insured shall give all such information and assistance as the Company shall require. Every letter claims writ summons and/or process or copy thereof shall be forwarded to the Company immediately on receipt by the insured. Notice shall also be given in writing to the Company immediately the insured shall have knowledge of any impending prosecution, inquest or fatal inquiry in respect of any occurrence which may give rise to a claim under this Policy. In case of theft or criminal act which may be the subject of a claim under this Policy the insured shall give immediate notice to the police and co-operate with the Company in securing the conviction of the offender

No admission offer promise payment or indemnity shall be made or given by or on behalf of the insured

without the written consent of the Company which shall be entitled if it so desires to take over and conduct in the name of the insured the defence or settlement of any claim or to prosecute in the name of the insured for its own benefit any claim for indemnity or otherwise and shall have full discretion in the conduct of any proceedings or in the settlement of any claim and the insured shall give all such information and assistance as the Company may require.



The Company may at its own option repair reinstate or replace the vehicle or part thereof and/or its accessories or may pay in cash the amount of the loss or damage and the liability of the Company shall not exceed:

- a. for total loss / constructive total loss of the vehicle the Insured's Declared Value (IDV) of the vehicle (including accessories thereon) as specified in the Schedule less the value of the wreck
- b. for partial losses, i.e. losses other than Total Loss/Constructive Total Loss of the vehicle actual and reasonable costs of repair and/or replacement of parts lost/damaged subject to Depreciation as per limits specified.

Salvage: The amount that is assessed which the damaged asset will fetch in the open market. This amount is deducted from the claim amount.

In case of partial loss damaged asset will be retained by the Company. If a damaged motor vehicle is assessed as being unrepairable and hence a wreck i.e., a 'total loss' or 'write-off, the Company shall grant the insured the option to retain the wreck and accept a 'cash loss' settlement (being the IDV less the assessed value of Salvage based on competitive quotes procured by the Company including any submitted by or through the insured)

- The insured shall take all reasonable steps to safeguard the vehicle from loss or damage and to maintain it in efficient condition and the Company shall have at all times free and full access to examine the vehicle or any part thereof or any driver or employee of the insured. In the event of any accident or breakdown, the vehicle shall not be left unattended without proper precautions being taken to prevent further damage or loss and if the vehicle be driven before the necessary repairs are effected any extension of the damage or any further damage to the vehicle shall be entirely at the insured's own risk.
- If at the time of occurrence of an event that gives rise to any claim under this policy, there is in existence any other insurance covering the same loss, damage or liability, the Company shall not be liable to pay or contribute more than its rateables proportion of any compensation cost or expense
- The due observance and fulfilment of the terms, conditions and endorsements of this Policy in so far as they relate to anything to be done or complied with by the insured and the truth of the statements and answers in the said proposal shall be conditions precedent to any liability of the Company to make any payment under this Policy

In the event of the death of the sole insured, this policy will not immediately lapse but will remain valid for a period of three months from the date of the death of insured or until the expiry of this policy (whichever is earlier). During the said period, legal heir(s) of the insured to whom the custody and use of the Motor Vehicle passes may apply to have this Policy transferred to the name(s) of the heir(s) or obtain a new insurance policy for the Motor Vehicle.

- Where such legal heir(s) desire(s) to apply for transfer of this policy or obtain a new policy for the vehicle such heir(s) should make an application to the Company accordingly within the aforesaid period. All such applications should be accompanied by:
 - a) Death Certificate in respect of the insured
 - b) Proof of title to the vehicle
 - c) Original Policy.

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In case of total loss / constructive total loss /Cash loss/ Total theft of the vehicle, the claim will be settled at invoice price i.e amount paid by the insured / policyholder at the time of purchasing the vehicle, excluding subsidy amount, if included in the invoice, or the Insured declared value (IDV) whichever is lower, subject to terms and conditions of the policy and admissibility of claims

CANCELLATION

The insured can cancel the policy at any time during the term, by informing the Company. In case the Policyholder cancels the policy, he/ she is not required to give reasons for cancellation In such case of cancellation, the Company will refund proportional premium for unexpired policy period, if the term of the policy is upto one year and there is no claim(s) made during the policy period

In case the term of the policy is more than 12 months, the Company will refund premium for the unexpired policy period, in respect of policy with the term more than one year and the risk coverage for such policy years has not commenced.

The Company can cancel the policy only on the grounds of established fraud, by giving minimum notice of 7 days to the retail policyholder.

Under no circumstances can the Company cancel statutory Motor Third Party Liability insurance or any other compulsory insurance mandated by law except in case of double insurance or total loss/Cash loss.

Cancellation due to Total Loss/Total Theft/ Cash loss of Vehicle/ Double insurance

In the event of lodgment and settlement of a total loss claim of any nature including theft and constructive total loss/ cash loss, the company will refund the Own damage and liability section premium in full for the unexpired years (where the risk has not yet incepted). There would no refund for the premium related to lapsed years (Risk years/12 month periods which have expired before the Cancellation effective date) and for the current year

where the cancellation effective date falls.

Cancellation of Policy in Double Insurance

In the event of cancellation of policy due to double insurance, the company will refund the Own damage and liability section premium in full for the unexpired years (years for which the Risk has not yet incepted). For the year where policy is in-force (risk has incepted), premium will be refunded as follows:

			Different Risk start date (RSD)	
SL	Scenarios	Same Risk start date (RSD)	First policy cancelled (on	Later policy
no			request of Insured)	Cancelled
1	Dual policy	Full Refund	1. Full refund - if request is	Full
	with similar		received before RSD	
	cover issued		2. Proportional Refund - If	
	by the		request is received after	
	company		RSD.	
2	Dual policy	Full Refund - If cancellation	Proportional Premium	Proportional
	with different	request is received within 30	Refund	Premium Refund
	Companys	days from RSD.		



	Proportional refund - if	
	request is received after 30	1
	days from RSD	

No refund of running policy year premium can be allowed for such cancellation if any claim has arisen on either of the policies during the uncompleted year's period when both the policies were in operation, but prior to cancellation of one of the policies.

Please note:

No Motor Third Party Insurance may be cancelled by either the Company or the insured except on the following grounds:

Double Insurance

Vehicle not in use anymore because of Total Loss or Constructive Total Loss

Return of the premium by the company will be subject to retention of the minimum premium of Rs.100/- (or Rs.25/- in respect of vehicles specifically designed/modified for use by blind/handicapped/mentally challenged persons). Where the ownership of the vehicle is transferred, the policy cannot be cancelled unless evidence that the vehicle is insured elsewhere is produced.

Claim Procedure

The insured should intimate The Company within 15 days in case of OD (partial loss and complete loss) and within 24 hrs in case of theft and fire claims of the happening of loss or damage. The Company may, in its sole discretion, condone the delay in notification of claim on merit where the delay is proved to be beyond Insured's control, and the insured provides the Company with the reasons for delay in writing along with reasonable proof.

Reasons for delay which can be taken into consideration:

- a. If the insured or his family members are grievously injured in the accident with hospitalization
- b. If there is a death due to accident.
- c. In case the Insured has any medical emergency and hospitalization.
- d. Any other reasons which can be proved that they were beyond the insured's control in intimating the claim.

Note: Mere confiscation of the vehicle by police due to accident will not be considered as a valid reason for delay.

The insured shall take all reasonable steps to safeguard the vehicle from loss or damage and to maintain it in efficient condition and the Company shall have at all times free and full access to examine the vehicle or any part thereof or any driver or employee of the insured.

Admissibility of Claims - LOSS OF OR DAMAGE TO THE VEHICLE INSURED

- The principle of indemnity is a basic rule of insurance that says the insurer will only pay for the actual loss suffered by the insured. The insurer will not pay for any loss that is not covered by the policy or for any loss that is not actually suffered by the insured.
- Examples of willful negligence
 Reckless driving and driving while impaired by drugs or alcohol can fall under willful negligence,



especially in cases of severe impairment. Any driving under the influence of drug / alcohol or any other intoxicant can render the claim to be inadmissible. Other examples include a lack of care while transporting hazardous cargo by driving recklessly or failing to secure those loads properly.

- Neglect of critical vehicle maintenance could face a willful negligence claim. For example, driving on brakes with 10 percent of their pads left and failing to repair them could result in a driver facing a higher negligence degree, like gross or willful negligence.
- Not engaging handbrake in a four wheeler or vehicle equipped with handbrakes driving through inundated streets, not maintaining the vehicle properly and driving with worn out brakes or tyres leaving the keys inside the vehicle or in a place which is not protected
- Motor vehicle accidents involving willful negligence can overlap with product liability. If a car has defective safety equipment, and the manufacturer knew or should have known of its possible impacts, that manufacturer may be held to a willful negligence standard.
- Proximity Check Close proximity cases: if the date of loss is within 30 days of commencement
 of cover, then the claim can be scrutinized before being investigated. However, this is not
 compulsory to investigate. If there is proof of the damage being old and accumulated the claim can
 be processed after approval from the approving authority.
- Period The validity of the Insurance policy will be checked to ensure that the insurance is in force. The system validations are in place to check the period of insurance and not allow any claim to be processed beyond coverage period
- Peril The cause of loss based on which the claim is made should be covered.
- Property The Deceased person should be insured under the policy. The Registered Owner Name on RC / Policy / Pan Card / Aadhar Card should match. In case of minor differences, the same needs to be endorsed. If the difference is major, the same would be sent for further deliberation.
- Place The location of the loss should be covered.
- Insurable Interest The property insured, and the policy needs to be in the same name and the physical
 position of the vehicle should remain with the registered owner. However, if physical ownership is
 changed by entering into some agreement or by transfer where policy is not transferred it is treated as
 breach of Insurable interest. And the claim can be denied if it breaches the timelines of 15 days from any
 such transfer of vehicle.
- Verification of Premium Receipt is carried out at Our end. When a Payment is made through cheque or
 online mode, there is a possibility of return due to various factors including server errors. If the
 Premium is not received in advance, the policy becomes void. Systems are in place to check this
 validation.
- Cause of Loss and the sustained damages will be evaluated by the appointed surveyor which will be verified further by Technical Team of Insurer. In case of any mismatch in the same for particular damage or damage in entirety can be denied.
- All relevant document Validity w.r.t Loss date and Loss Time would be verified
- Current damages will be verified with Pre-inspection photos and Previous claim if any. The same will be allowed only for fresh damages and not repeated / old / pre existing. It can be a pro rata settlement as there are existing damages present in the same panel based on indemnity principle.



- Verifying the validity of Previous policy- Claim will be allowed if Previous policy details found valid as per previous insurer records.
- NCB verification, If no claim is made in previous policy / policies preceding previous year, bonus in terms of discount is provided based on the number of years no claim has been preferred. If any misrepresentation on NCB is made in terms of eligible slab of NCB, the % misrepresented plus 10% will be deducted from claim amount.
- If there is a delay in intimation which leads to deterioration of Vehicle, then the same will be excluded from assessment.
- In Case of any discrepancy the claim may be referred for fact finding / forensic analysis / accident reconstruction etc.
- Claim would not be repudiated in part or full if the breach of warranty or condition is not relevant to the nature or circumstance of loss and on account of any delay on part of policyholder provided the delay does not result in increase in amount of loss

Precaution to be taken with vehicle

- 1. The vehicle should not be left unattended without proper precautions taken to prevent further loss or damage.
- 2. The vehicle should not be driven before the necessary repairs are affected, as any extension of the damage or any further damage is not payable under the policy.
- 3. Driving the vehicle after an under carriage damage and parking the vehicle at places which are not authorized or not frequented by people or vehicles without any precautions will be considered as gross negligence
- 4. The vehicle should be always parked as mentioned in Owner's Manual provided by Manufacturer. If the vehicle is parked at unguarded and unsecured place regularly will be considered on non standard basis.
- 5. Avoid water logging areas. Please follow the safe water level for driving as per owner's Manual.
- 6. The vehicle should be maintained in roadworthy condition. Brake Pads/Shoes should be replaced before it reaches the limit. Oil changing to be done as prescribed.
- 7. Periodic maintenance should be carried out as recommended by the OEM.
- 8. If the vehicle stops in water do not start the vehicle or try to jump start or push start the same without professional guidance. Please note water needs to be taken out through spark plug, or injectors depending on fuel type and no rotation of engine should be done before the said repairs.
- 9. In case of vehicle being declared Constructive Total Loss/ Total Loss/ Net of Salvage, the same can be shifted to a safe custody till further process.
- 10. The keys including the duplicate should be kept in safe custody as keys also have immobiliser facility to evade theft. In case you lose the key, get the keys replaced and recoded. Any loss of key needs to be informed to the insurer immediately.
- 11. Duplicate keys should not be made as this may cause vulnerability of theft.
- 12. Duplicate keys should not be with the vehicle.
- 13. Changes should not be made to the seating capacity or any alternation / modification should not be carried out in contravention to MV act/ rules

List of Documents

- Claim Form
- Vehicle Registration Certificate (RC Book),
- Driving Licence of Driver at the time of Loss
- Estimate
- > Address Proof- Electric Bill / Voter Card/ Passport / Adhar Card
- ➤ Identity Proof- Adhar Card / Pan Card
- CKYC form
- Discharge cum Satisfaction Voucher



- Payment Receipt (If non cashless case)
- ➤ Neft Mandate Form / Cancel CTS Chq / Passbook
- Police FIR copy (in case of Full theft or TP injury) and also in case of any malicious act
- Punchanama (in case of Partial Theft or TP injury)
- Postmortem Report (In case of driver death)
- MLC report (In case of Driver / passenger Injury/Driver death)
- Repair Bill (After completion of repair work)

*If TP injury

Above documents with Police FIR copy, Punchnama copy, MLC report

*If Driver death

Above product wise basic documents with Police FIR copy, Punchnama copy, MLC reports, Post Mortem report

Additional Document for Total Loss / Constructive Total Loss Motor OD Claims If opted RTI cover-

Original Sale Invoice in Name of Insured, Notarised Consent

For Hypothecated cases-

Loan Account Statement, NEFT details of Loan Account, Foreclosure Letter

If no Hypothecation Or after Loan Closer

Bank NOC and Form 35 duly stamped and signed by Financer, Notarized Consent from Insured

Standard claim evaluation process - Loss Of Or Damage To The Vehicle Insured

- 1. Intimate the claim through the various channels available for intimation.
- 2. Get the spot survey done in case the vehicle is Goods carrying or passenger carrying. In case of PVT vehicle if possible, take photograph at the spot along with the details of other vehicle involved.
- 3. Submit duly filled and signed claim form. Please mention the correct cause of loss.
- 4. Loss falling within the definition of named peril in the policy will be covered for any insurance claim.
- 5. Furnish all information and documentary evidence as required.
- 6. It is recommended to submit an estimate of repair to ascertain the cost of parts which keeps on changing. In absence of the same the surveyor can prepare an estimate as per the last available price.
- 7. The Company will appoint a surveyor immediately after receipt of intimation to assess the loss as per IRDAI guidelines.
- 8. The surveyor shall inspect the damaged vehicle, discuss the cost of repair or replacement with the repairers and submits his report to the insurance company having assessment as below criteria
 - a. If replacement with OEM Parts -Assessment will be as per actual Rate by applying depreciation
 - b. If repairing carried with replacement of OES Parts (Original Equipment supplier generally part rates are 30% of OEM)- Assessment will be 30% less on OEM part rate by applying depreciation
 - c. If repairing carried with replacement of Non-OEM / Non OES Parts by Insured- Assessment will be 50% less on OEM part rate without applying depreciation.
- 9. In case of theft, immediately inform the police authorities and Insurance company as well
- 10. If the repair bill amt paid directly to the repairer, then the bill in the name of Universal Sompo GIC Ltd. with proper GSTIN number available with all the offices is necessary. Insured can reimburse with the amount on submission of a receipt and bill from the repairer.
- 11. Wherever possible click spot photos of vehicle after accident with photos of other involved vehicles etc.
- 12. Vehicle will be declared Constructive Total Loss where the aggregate cost of repairs exceeds 75% of IDV mentioned in the Policy. If the vehicle has not suffered extensive structural damage and can be



repaired using reconditioned / OES Parts without affecting the structural integrity of the vehicle the same can be sold with RC and if the structural integrity is compromised the same should be sold without RC. The vehicle can be retained by Insured by opting for cash loss settlement where wreck value will be deducted from the IDV and rest amount will be paid after deduction of compulsory excess.

- 13. The company may offer replacement of same Make and Model in case the model is discontinued OR The vehicle ownership sequence is greater than one
- 14. The CTL will be decided based on the safety parameters which includes structural panel, crumple zones safety equipment fitted in the vehicle, water contamination due to inundation. Any deviation in the same by opting for substandard repairs will not be considered for determination of the liability.
- 15. Salvage will not be deducted for any repair basis claim/partial loss claim. However, Salvage can be collected by authorized vendor or USGI officials.

Third Party Claims Immediate Action After Accident:

- a. Give immediate written notice to the insurance company about an accident to third party within 30 days.
- b. Furnish all information and documentary evidence as the insurance company may require for future action.
- c. At the same time, you should be submitting a claim form along with relevant documents and information about the third-party victim.
- d. On receipt of intimation form Court / MACT/ EC Court, a competent Advocate from the company's panel may be appointed.
- e. On receipt of notice from any authority pertaining to the said accident to be duly informed to the insurance company along with received documents.
- f. No offer or promise to be given by the insured to third party without the written consent of the insurance company.

Admissibility of Claims - Personal Accident Cover For Owner-Driver

- The principle of indemnity is a basic rule of insurance that says the insurer will only pay for the actual loss suffered by the insured. The insurer will not pay for any loss that is not covered by the policy or for any loss that is not actually suffered by the insured.
- Examples of willful negligence
 Any driving under the influence of drug / alcohol or any other intoxicant can render the claim to be inadmissible.

The claims would be admissible based on the following principles

- Period The validity of the Insurance policy will be checked to ensure that the insurance is in force. The system validations are in place to check the period of insurance and not allow any claim to be processed beyond coverage period
- Peril The cause of loss based on which the claim is made should be covered.
- Property The Deceased person should be insured under the policy. The Registered Owner Name on RC / Policy / Pan Card / Aadhar Card should match. In case of minor differences, the same needs to be endorsed. If the difference is major, the same would be sent for further deliberation.
- Place The location of the loss should be covered.
- Insurable Interest-The Registered owner must be insured, and the policy needs to be in the same
 name and the physical position of the vehicle should remain with the registered owner. However, if
 physical ownership is changed by entering into some agreement or by transfer where policy is not
 transferred it is treated as breach of Insurable interest. And the claim can be denied if it breaches the
 timelines of 15 days from any such transfer of vehicle.



- Verification of Premium Receipt is carried out at Our end. When a Payment is made through cheque or
 online mode, there is a possibility of return due to various factors including server errors. If the
 Premium is not received in advance, the policy becomes void. Systems are in place to check this
 validation.
- All the facts finding would be carried out by the Investigators.
- All relevant document Validity w.r.t Loss date and Loss Time would be verified
- The claim intimated should not be in contravention to MV Act/ rules

Standard claim evaluation process - Personal Accident Cover For Owner-Driver

- 1. Intimate the claim through the various channels available for intimation.
- 2. Submit duly filled and signed claim form by Nominee / Legel Hier. Please mention the correct cause of loss.
- 3. Loss falling within the definition of named peril in the policy will be covered for any insurance claim.
- 4. Furnish all information and documentary evidence as required.
- 5. The Company will appoint Investigator immediately after receipt of intimation for Facts Finding.
- 6. The investigator will visit to Person who intimate the claim for facts finding.
- 7. In case of Permanent Total Disablement as per Policy Terms / Death- immediately inform the police authorities and Insurance company as well.

List of Documents - Personal Accident Cover For Owner-Driver

List of Documents

- > Claim Form,
- Policy Copy.
- Vehicle Registration Certificate (RC Book).
- Fitness, permit, authorization, road tax (For Commercial vehicles). In addition load challan would be required for GCV and MISC D.
- Driving Licence of Insured at the time of Loss
- Driving Licence of Driver at the time of Loss
- Driving License Extract copy of Driver at the time of Loss
- Driving License Extract copy of Insured at the time of Loss
- Address Proof of Insured- Electric Bill / Voter Card/ Passport / Adhar Card
- Identity Proof of Insured Adhar Card / Pan Card
- CKYC form of Nominee.
- Address Proof of Nominee / Legel Hier Electric Bill / Voter Card/ Passport / Adhar Card
- ➤ Identity Proof of Nominee / Legel Hier:- Adhar Card / Pan Card
- Nominee Relation Proof (for example Ration Card/Marriage Certificate)
- Nominee Written Statement
- Witness Statement with Identity Proof and Address Proof
- Discharge cum Satisfaction Voucher signed by Nominee / Legel Hier
- Neft Mandate Form / Cancel CTS Cheque / Passbook of Nominee / Legel Hier
- Police FIR copy , GD Entry
- Punchanama
- Postmortem Report (In case of Driver death)
- MLC report (In case of Driver / passenger Injury/Driver death)
- Final Report or Final Charge Sheet If(FIR)
- Insured Death Certificate
- Hospital records if any.



Please Note-

- Insured and Driver Google Timeline, Fast Tag Statement, Toll receipts will require to confirm Loss Place date, time
- ➤ In case of 2nd owner without Hypothecation then may require ITR copy.
- Any other requirement on basis of merits of claim then we will inform you accordingly.

Turn-around time (TAT) for claim settlement:

. Loss of or damage to the vehicle insured

<u>Surveyor appointment</u>- within 24hrs from Claim Intimation

<u>Survey Completion</u>- within 24hrs of Surveyor appointment

<u>Surveyor report submission</u>- within 15 days from Date of Surveyor report

<u>Settlement / Claim decision</u>- within 7 days from date of receipt of surveyor report

<u>Claim Payment to Insured in case of Non-Cashless</u> –

Claims shall be settled within 15 days of receipt of the last relevant and necessary document."

Personal accident cover for owner-driver

Investigator appointment- within 24hrs from Claim Intimation
Investigator First Visit- within 24hrs of Investigator appointment
Investigators report submission- within 15 days from Date of First Visit.

Settlement / Claim decision- within 7 days from date of receipt of Last Document
Claim Payment to Nominee / Legel Hier — Claims shall be settled within 15 days of receipt of the last relevant and necessary document."

Escalation Matrix

- ➤ Level 1: contactclaims@universalsompo.com
- Level 2- grievance@universalsompo.com
- ➤ Level 3- gro@universalsompo.com

Note: Please include Your Policy number for any communication with us.

Grievances:

If You have a grievance about any matter relating to the Policy, or Our decision on any matter, or the claim, you can address Your grievance as follows:

Step 1: Contact Us

Write to us at:

Universal Sompo General Insurance Co. Ltd.

Unit No. 601 & 602, 6th Floor, Reliable Tech Park, Thane- Belapur Road, Airoli, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400708

E-mail Address:

contactus@universalsompo.com

For more details:

www.universalsompo.com

Toll Free Numbers: 1800-22-4030 **OR** 1800-200-4030

Senior Citizens toll

free number: 1800-267-4030



Step 2: Grievance Cell

If the resolution you received, does not meet your expectations, you can directly write to our Grievance Id. After examining the matter, the final response would be conveyed within two weeks from the date of receipt of your complaint on this email id.

Universal Sompo General Insurance Co. Ltd.

Unit No. 601 & 602, 6th Floor, Reliable Tech Park, Thane- Belapur Road, Airoli, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400708

E-mail Address:

grievance@universalsompo.com

For more details:

www.universalsompo.com

Visit Branch Grievance Redressal Officer (GRO) - Walk into any of our nearest branches and request to meet the GRO.

- We will acknowledge receipt of your concern immediately.
- Within 2 weeks of receiving your grievance, we will respond to you with the best solution.
- We shall regard the complaint as closed if we do not receive a reply within 8 weeks from the date of our response.

Step 3: Chief Grievance Redressal Officer

In case, you are not satisfied with the decision/resolution of the above office or have not received any response within 15 working days, you may write or email to:

Universal Sompo General Insurance Co. Ltd.

Unit No. 601 & 602, 6th Floor, Reliable Tech Park, Thane- Belapur Road, Airoli, Navi Mumbai, Maharashtra - 400708

E-mail Address:

gro@universalsompo.com

For more details:

www.universalsompo.com

For updated details of grievance officer, kindly refer the link https://www.universalsompo.com/resourse-grievance-redressal.

Step 4: Insurance Ombudsman

Bima Bharosa Portal link : https://bimabharosa.irdai.gov.in/

You can approach the Insurance Ombudsman depending on the nature of grievance and financial implication, if any.

Information about Insurance Ombudsmen, their jurisdiction and powers is available on the website of the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority of India (IRDAI) at www.irdai.gov.in, or of the General Insurance Council at https://www.gicouncil.in/, the Consumer Education Website of the IRDAI at https://www.policyholder.gov.in, or from any of Our Offices.

The updated contact details of the Insurance Ombudsman offices can be referred by clicking on the Insurance ombudsman official site: https://www.cioins.co.in/Ombudsman.

Note: Note: Grievance may also be lodged with IRDAI - https://bimabharosa.irdai.gov.in/



INSURANCE ACT 1938 SECTION 41- Prohibition of Rebates

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

Any person making Default in complying with the provisions of this section shall be punishable with fine which may extend to Ten Lakhs Rupees.