# EQUATION GENERATION IV with BONUS JOINT LAST TO DIE UNIVERSAL LIFE POLICY SPECIFICATIONS

At the last death of the Lives Insured named under the EQUATION GENERATION IV with BONUS JOINT LAST TO DIE Universal Life Coverage Specifications page of this policy, The Equitable Life Insurance Company of Canada will pay to the Beneficiary(ies), the EQUATION GENERATION IV with BONUS JOINT LAST TO DIE Universal Life Death Benefit, subject to the terms, conditions and provisions of this policy.

Any Riders attached to this policy will provide the benefits as described under the terms, conditions and provisions applicable to the Rider.

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| Plan:  |                    | NERATION IV WITH I      | BONUS JOINT LAST         | TO DIE         |
| Applicant and Owner:                                       | Mickey Mouse       |                         |                          |                |
| Effective Date:  | November 9,2       | 2007                    |                          |                |
| PRIMARY BENEFICIARY(IE                                     | is)                |                         |                          |                |
| The Primary Beneficiary(ies) Specification page(s):        |                    | as follows unless other | wise specified on the Co | verage         |
| Beneficiary Name   |                    | Relationsh              | qin                      | Percent        |
| Minnie   |                    | Spouse                  | <del></del>              | 100            |
| Monthly charges will be de                                 | educted on the 9th | day of each calendar    | month.                   |                |
| Based on the information s<br>Premium for the policy is \$ |                    | erage Specifications p  | age(s), the first year M | linimum Annual |
| Additional premium informa                                 | ation may be found | d in the Premiums Se    | ction of this policy.    |                |
| This policy contains the fol<br>PSP-ULGY CSP-              | 0. 0               | CHRG                    | GUIDE-UG4-JL-06-B        |                |

# EQUATION GENERATION IV with BONUS JOINT LAST TO DIE UNIVERSAL LIFE COVERAGE SPECIFICATIONS

Policy Number 500001514 Life Insured Mickey Mouse

#### **EQUATION GENERATION IV with BONUS JOINT LAST TO DIE UNIVERSAL LIFE**

| Death Benefit Option:          | <u> </u>                       |   |
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| Sum Insured:                   | / \$1\50,\doo \                |   |
| Cost of Insurance Rates:       | / Sele TABLE OF CHARGES \      |   |
| Effective Date:                | / /Novembelr /207     <i>)</i> | L |
| Expiry Date: \ \ /             | /Life of the Last Survivor /   |   |
| Equivalent Single Age at Issue | e:Ĺ <b>3</b> 7 \               |   |
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#### **TABLE OF CHARGES**

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Initial Death Benefit \$150,000

Cost of Insurance Charges Yearly Renewable Term

| <u>Age</u> | Monthly Cost of Insurance Rates per \$1000 Amount at Risk Initial Death Benefit | <u>Age</u> | Monthly Cost of<br>Insurance Rates per<br>\$1000 Amount at Risk |
|------------|---|------------|---|
| 37         | 0.11583 4.95000   | 69         | 1.26416   |
| 38         | 0.11250 9.90000   | 70         | 1.41916   |
| 39         | 0.11667 13.61250  | 71         | 1.59083   |
| 40         | 0.12083 14.85000  | 72         | 1.78333   |
| 41         | 0.1/2583 \  | 73         | 1.99666   |
| 42         | 0.13167 / / \ 14.85000 /       \ \  | 74         | 2.23332   |
| 43         | 0.1(3833 / / \ \ 12.37(50() /       /   | 75         | 2.49499   |
| 44         | 0.14583 \   | 76         | 2.78416   |
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| 47         | 0.\74\\\tau   | 79         | 3.82915   |
| 48         | 0.18583 /   | 80         | 4.24415   |
| 49         | 0.20000   | 81         | 4.55665   |
| 50         | 0.21500   | 82         | 4.87915   |
| 51         | 0.21500   | 83         | 5.20915   |
| 52         | 0.21500   | 84         | 5.54664   |
| 53         | 0.22833   | 85         | 5.88998   |
| 54         | 0.25083   | 86         | 6.23498   |
| 55         | 0.27667   | 87         | 6.58247   |
| 56         | 0.30583   | 88         | 6.92831   |
| 57         | 0.33750   | 89         | 7.27080   |
| 58         | 0.37333   | 90         | 7.60664   |
| 59         | 0.41500   | 91         | 7.93247   |
| 60         | 0.46083   | 92         | 8.24497   |
| 61         | 0.51333   | 93         | 8.53997   |
| 62         | 0.57250   | 94         | 8.81246   |
| 63         | 0.63916   | 95         | 9.05830   |
| 64         | 0.71416   | 96         | 9.27080   |
| 65         | 0.79916   | 97         | 10.01413  |
| 66         | 0.89583   | 98         | 10.79996  |
| 67         | 1.00500   | 99         | 11.62912  |
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#### **DEFINITIONS**

The following are definitions of some of the terms used in your Equation Generation IV policy. If you need additional information or clarification please call one of our Individual Customer Service Representatives at 1-800-668-4095 or your Financial Advisor.

Age: means the age of a Life Insured on his or her nearest birthday.

Amount at Risk: is equal to the Death Benefit less the Account Value of your policy.

Beneficiary(ies): is (are) the person(s) designated in the application by the Owner and listed on the Policy Specifications page of this

policy who is (are) to receive the Death Benefit proceeds payable in the event of the last death of the Lives Insured under this Equation Generation IV policy. While this policy is in effect, the Owner may choose to designate in writing to us a change in the Beneficiary(ies) to receive the Death Benefit proceeds payable on the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy. The Equitable Life Insurance Company of Canada will pay the Death Benefit proceeds

payable to the Beneficiary(ies) in effect at the date of the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy.

Business Day: means any day other than Saturday, Sunday and all applicable statutory holidays in the province that the Company's

Head Office is located.

Class of Risk: means the Company's mortality risk assessment of your life. It is based upon our neview of your application for

insurance and all medical and other information received by the Company. A standard or normal mortality risk

assessment is 100%. A class of risk greater than 100% indicates a higher mortality risk. The class of risk will affect the

cost of insurance rates. Mortality risk refers to the incidence of death.

Company: The terms "we" we' wour". "dur" ""us", \Equitable Life" and "Company", mean The Equitable Life Insurance Company of Canada

and its Head Office located in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.

Coverage Years: Each Insurance Coverage and Ride applicable to this Equation Generation IV policy has an effective date. Coverage

Years are measured from the effective date of each Insurance Coverage or Rider as shown on the Coverage

Specifications page(s).

**Currency:** All amounts payable to or by the Company under the terms, conditions or provisions of this policy are payable in the

lawful currency of Canada.

**Effective Date:** is the date the policy is issued and is specified on the Policy Specifications page.

**Equivalent Single Age:** is the "insurance age" for this policy and is calculated based on the ages of both of the Lives Insured under this

Equation Generation IV policy.

**Indebtedness:** refers to outstanding Policy Loans and includes any unpaid interest owing for those loans.

**Insurance Coverage:** is the Equation Generation IV Universal Life Death Benefit applicable to both of the Lives Insured. Any increases

applied for and made in the future, by the Owner, will result in an additional Insurance Coverage applicable to both of

the Lives Insured.

Lives Insured: are the persons for whom the life insurance associated with this policy is applicable. The Lives Insured may or may

not be the Owner(s) of this Equation Generation IV policy.

Monthly Anniversary: The Monthly Anniversary for this policy will occur on the same day of each month as the Effective Date of this policy.

Regardless of whether the premiums are being paid annually or monthly, the Monthly Anniversary is the day each

month that all of the Monthly Charges applicable to the policy are deducted.

Monthly Charges: All charges associated with this Equation Generation IV policy are referred to as Monthly Charges and include Cost of

Insurance Charges, Administration Charges, Linked Interest Option Administration Fees and any charges applicable to

additional benefits or Riders as specified on the Coverage Specifications page(s).

#### **DEFINITIONS** - continued

**Net Premium:** is equal to the Premiums(s) paid less any applicable government premium taxes required to be deducted now or in the

future.

Equitable Life reserves the right to increase or decrease the current deduction for government premium taxes should

the government premium taxes be increased or decreased.

Owner: The Owner of this policy refers to the applicant(s) and Owner(s) as indicated on the Policy Specifications page of this

policy. The terms "you", "your", and "Owner" refer to the applicant(s) and Owner(s) of this policy. The Owner(s) may

or may not be the Lives Insured under this policy.

Policy Anniversary: The Policy Anniversary will occur on the same day and month each year as the Effective Date of this policy, as shown

on the Policy Specifications page. Policy Years and Policy Months are also measured from the Effective Date of this

policy.

Premium: Premium refers to the amounts paid to Equitable Life and applied to this Equation Generation IV Joint Last-to-Die

Universal Life policy.

Rider: A Rider is an additional/benefit applied for land is sued by us as shown on the Coverage Specifications page(s) of this

policy. The provisions terms and conditions of any Riders applicable to this Policy are stated in the Rider pages

attached to this Equation Generation IV policy

Shuttle Account: The \$huttle Account is a separate Premiums-pn-Deposit Account set up at issue of your Equation Generation IV

policy. This account is held outside of your Equation Generation IV policy and is used to hold funds that must be

transferred out of your policy in order to maintain its tax exempt status.

#### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

The following are General Provisions applicable to your Equation Generation IV Policy.

Assignment:

This Policy may be assigned by the Owner as permitted by law. The assignment will not be binding on Equitable Life unless the Assignment is made in writing and filed with our Head Office in Waterloo, Ontario. Equitable Life is not responsible for the validity of any Assignment.

Death of a Beneficiary:

In the event of the death of a Beneficiary, the deceased Beneficiary's share of the proceeds from this policy (payable on the last death of the Lives Insured) will be payable to the surviving Beneficiary(ies). If no Beneficiary survives, the proceeds will be payable to the Owner or to the executors, administrators, or assignees of the Owner, subject to the right of the Owner to appoint a new Beneficiary or contingent Beneficiary.

Contract:

The Equation Generation IV Joint Last-to-Die Universal Life Contract consists of the following documents:

- this policy
- the application (a copy will be provided by us upon your request)
- any amendments or endorsements to the policy agreed upon in writing by the Company
- any Riders attached to this policy providing additional benefits.

This policy takes effect as of the Effective Date provided that the policy is delivered to you, the full amount of the first Premium has been paid to the Company, and no change has taken place in the insurability of any of the Lives Insured under this policy since the application was completed. Delivery of this policy is deemed to have taken place not later than 45 days from the date on our letter of approval.

Only the President/or an Officer of The Edutable Life Insurance Company of Canada has the authority to bind the Company or to make any change in the Contract and then only in writing Equitable Life will not be bound by any promises or representations made by any other persons including your financial advisor, broker or agent. Without limiting the generality of the above statement, no financial advisor, broker or agent is authorized to waive, amend or modify any of the terms, conditions or provisions of this Contract.

Should any legislative or regulatory authority having jurisdiction, impose requirements that would impact this Contract, Equitable Life may unilaterally make the required changes to this Contract.

Incontestability:

Failure to disclose a fact or the misrepresentation of a fact in the application for life insurance, medical examination, any written statement or answers given as evidence of insurability will cause this policy including any Riders to be voidable by Equitable Life. Where this policy has been in effect for two (2) years from the Effective Date, or in the case of Reinstatement, two (2) years from the last Reinstatement date, with the exception of Misstatement of Age which is described below, the failure to disclose or the misrepresentation, except in the case of fraud, will not cause this Policy including any Riders to become voidable.

Any additional Insurance Coverages effective after the date of issue or reinstatement of this policy will be considered to be incontestable only after the additional Insurance Coverage has been in force from its Effective Date for two years, with the exception of fraud.

Misstatement of Age:

If the date of birth of one or more of the Lives Insured has been misstated, the amount payable under this policy on the last death of the Lives Insured, will be adjusted to be the amount of life insurance the Cost of Insurance Charges (deducted at the beginning of the Policy Month in which the death has occurred) would have purchased had the Cost of Insurance Charges for the Lives Insured been calculated using the correct Equivalent Single Age.

If the date of birth of one or more of the Lives Insured covered by a Rider has been misstated, then the amount payable for the Rider will be the amount that the Monthly Charge for that Rider would have purchased based on the correct age.

#### **GENERAL PROVISIONS** -. continued

Notice/

Correspondence: Any Notice or Correspondence that is required to be provided to you by the Company will be sent by regular mail,

facsimile or electronic mail. We will consider the notices and/or correspondence to be received by you on the 7th

Business Day following the mailing or transmission.

Any notice or correspondence from you may be sent by regular mail, facsimile or electronic mail (provided a signature is not required) and will be considered received by us on the date we receive it at our Head Office in Waterloo, Ontario.

**Proof of Age:** Equitable Life requires satisfactory proof of the date of birth of a Life Insured before making any payment under this

policy or Rider.

Participating: This Policy, excluding any Riders that may be attached to it, is participating and therefore may be eligible for dividends,

or to participate in any divisible surplus of the Company.

**Right of Rescission:** You will have 45 calendar days from the date of our letter of approval for this policy, to review this Contract. If for any

reason during that time you want to cancel the Contract, the market value of any Premium received will be refunded as of the date Equitable Life receives your notice requesting cancellation. This policy will then be considered void from

inception...

Settlement on Death: At the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy, before making any payment under this policy, Equitable Life will

require the policy and satisfactory proof of:
(a) the death of a Life Insured;

(b) the date of birth of the degeased Life Insured; and

(c) rthe claimant's right to receive payment.

Simultaneous Deaths: Where two or more of the Lives Insured die at the same time or in circumstances where it is uncertain which of the

lives insured died first, the Death Benefit payable shall be paid as thought the oldest of the Lives Insured died first.

**Smoking Classification**: At any time you may request that the Smoker Classification of a Life Insured be changed to a Non-Smoker

classification by providing a written declaration to Equitable Life that provides satisfactory evidence to qualify that Life Insured as a Non-Smoker. Equitable Life reserves the right to require evidence of good health before approving a

change in Smoking Classification.

Suicide: If one or more of the Lives Insured dies by Suicide, while sane or insane, within two years of the Effective Date or

reinstatement date of an Insurance Coverage or Rider applicable to that Life or Lives Insured, Equitable Life will not pay the amount described under the Death Benefit provisions of this policy. Equitable Life will return to the Beneficiary(ies) an amount equal to the Premiums paid to the Company applicable to that Insurance Coverage or Rider, less any Indebtedness and any amounts already paid by the Company. Equitable Life will have no further

liability under this policy.

#### **Death Benefit**

An important part of your Joint Last-to-Die Equation Generation IV Universal Life Insurance policy is the Death Benefit provided to the Beneficiary(ies). The Death Benefit Option you have selected is shown on the Coverage Specifications page(s) of this policy.

**Death Benefit:** 

The Death Benefit will be payable to the Beneficiary(ies) provided this policy is in force as of the date of the last death of the Lives Insured . The proceeds payable at death are calculated as of the date Equitable Life receives notice of the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy. Immediately following the calculation of the proceeds payable at death, the Account Value attributable to the policy becomes zero. Any Indebtedness under the policy will be deducted from the proceeds payable.

On the Effective Date of this policy, the initial Death Benefit will be the Sum Insured as shown on the Coverage Specifications page(s) of this policy. Thereafter, the Death Benefit will be determined in accordance with one of the following Death Benefit Options as shown on the Coverage Specification page(s).

#### **Death Benefit Options**

Level Protector:

Under this Death Benefit Option the Sum Insured will remain level for the duration of the policy unless you take a Cash Withdrawal and/or you elected to have your Sum Insured increased, as required to assist in maintaining the tax-exempt status of your policy. Upon the last death of the Lives Insured, the Company will pay the Beneficiary(ies) proceeds equal to the greater of the Sum Insured or the Account Value attributable to this Equation Generation IV policy.

This Death Benefit Option is available with either Yearly Renewable Term for Life or Level Cost of Insurance Charges.

**Account Value Protector:** 

Under this Death Benefit Option the Sum Insured will remain level for the duration of the policy unless you have elected to have your Sum Insured increased, as required to assist in maintaining the tax-exempt status of your policy. Upon the last death of the Lives Insured, the Company will pay the Beneficiary(ies) proceeds equal to the Sum Insured plus the Account Value attributable to this Equation Generation IV policy.

This Death Benefit Option is available with either Yearly Renewable Term for Life, Yearly Renewable Term to Age 85 or Level Cost of Insurance Charges.

Inflation Protector:

Under this Death Benefit Option the Sum Insured will be increased each Policy Anniversary by the percentage, as shown on the Coverage Specifications page(s), to a maximum Sum Insured equal to three (3) times the initial Sum Insured. If elected, the Sum Insured will also be increased on any Policy Anniversary, if required, to assist in maintaining the tax-exempt status of your policy. If you elect a Cash Withdrawal the Sum Insured will be reduced by the amount of the Cash Withdrawal. Upon the last death of the Lives Insured, the Company will pay the Beneficiary(ies) proceeds equal to the greater of the Sum Insured or the Account Value attributable to this Equation Generation IV policy.

Prior to any Policy Anniversary, you may elect, in writing to the Company, to have no further Sum Insured increases provided under this Death Benefit Option.

This Death Benefit Option is available with Yearly Renewable Term for Life Cost of Insurance Charges.

Premium Protector:

Under this Death Benefit Option the Sum Insured will be equal to the benefit as described under the Level Protector Option, plus the total of all Premiums paid to the Equation Generation IV policy including those paid for Riders and Benefits, as of the date Equitable Life receives notification of the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy. Any premium attributable to the Critical Illness Rider or waived under the Waiver of Premium Rider (if applicable) are excluded from the proceeds payable on death. Upon the last death of the Lives Insured, the Company will pay the Beneficiary(ies) the greater of the Sum Insured or the Account Value attributable to this Equation Generation IV policy.

This Death Benefit Option is available with either Yearly Renewable Term for Life or Level Cost of Insurance Charges.

#### Changes to Insurance Coverage

With Joint Last-to-Die Equation Generation IV Universal Life Insurance you can choose to make changes to the Insurance Coverage provided by your policy. The following provides details on the changes you can make and the requirements Equitable Life may need from you to make these changes.

At any time while this policy is in force you may request any of the following changes:

- (a) an increase to the Sum Insured, subject to evidence of insurability as determined by the Company for both Lives Insured;
- (b) a decrease in the Sum Insured;
- (c) cancellation of a Rider attached to this policy;
- (d) a change in Death Benefit Option, subject to evidence of insurability as determined by the Company for both Lives Insured;
- (e) a change in the Cost of Insurance Charges Type, subject to evidence of insurability as determined by the Company for both Lives Insured.

| No other changes may be made    |                      |                            |                       |               |             |   |                  |
|---------------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|---------------|-------------|---|------------------|
| All changes are subject to rece | eipt of a written re | quest from you             | \at\the Head          | Office of the | Company.    |   |                  |
| On a decrease of the Sum Ins    | ured, a pro-rata     | ur <del>ren</del> der Char | ge will be app        | lied. The Su  | rrender Cha | rge <u>s und</u> er this policy are showi | n in the Table o |
| Charges.                        | $\Gamma \cup II$     | \  ]                       | [/ /] [.              |               |             |   |                  |
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#### **Premiums**

Premium is the term used to define the money that you pay to Equitable Life for your Joint Last-to-Die Equation Generation IV Universal Life policy.

Premiums:

All Premiums are payable to Equitable Life and must be received in our Head Office, in Waterloo, Ontario. You may choose to submit your Premium by mail or deliver it in person or by courier. You may also choose to have your Premiums automatically withdrawn from your chequing account with our Pre-Authorized Payment plan (P.A.P.).

At any time while this policy is in force you may make additional Premium payments. Your Premium payments may be increased or decreased at any time or you may change the frequency of the Premium payment, subject to limits and restrictions as determined by Equitable Life at that time.

Monies received during a Policy Year in excess of the Maximum Exempt Premium for that Policy Year will be deposited into the Shuttle Account and will not be considered a Premium paid under your Equation Generation IV policy. If at any time in the future, Equitable Life determines that monies can be transferred from the Shuttle Account to your Equation Generation IV policy, these monies will be considered to be Premiums paid to the policy.

**Net Premiums:** 

Government Premium tax is deducted from each Premium paid to your Equation Generation IV policy. The percentage of the deduction required varies by province. Therefore, the premium tax deducted from your policy will be based on your province of residence. Equitable Life reserves the right to change the current deduction for the Government premium taxes applicable to this policy be changed. Your Premium less the applicable premium tax is the Net/Premium.

Minimum Annual Premiums:

The Minimum Annual Premium shown on the Policy Specifications page, is the Minimum Annual Premium applicable for the first Policy Year, including the charges for any Riders. Payment of the Minimum Annual Premium does not guarantee that your policy will remain in force. Depending on the Cost of Insurance Charges, Death Benefit Option, Riders and performance of the Investment Interest Account(s) you have selected, the Minimum Annual Premium may not be sufficient to maintain your Equation Generation IV policy.

Maximum Exempt Premium:

The Maximum Exempt Premium is the maximum Premium that you can deposit into your Equation Generation IV policy during a Policy Year. At issue and at each Policy Anniversary thereafter we will calculate this amount for the upcoming Policy Year. The Maximum Exempt Premium is the estimated maximum amount that can be deposited to your policy while maintaining your policy exempt from accrual taxation under the provisions of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and Regulations.

#### **Investment Interest Accounts**

The Investment Interest Accounts make up the savings portion of your Joint Last-to-Die Equation Generation IV Universal Life Policy.

Interest Accounts:

Each Net Premium may be invested in any combination of the following Interest Accounts:

- (a) the Daily Interest Account;
- (b) the Guaranteed Deposit Accounts;
- (c) the Linked Interest Options
  - the Index Interest Options
  - the Performance Fund Interest Options
  - the Portfolio Interest Options

The portion of each Net Premium to be allocated to the various Interest Accounts is shown on your application for life insurance for this Equation Generation IV policy, unless subsequently changed by the Owner as described below.

All Net Premiums will be invested within five (5) Business Days of receipt of the Premiums at Equitable Life's Head Office in Waterloo, Ontario, or the date of transfer from the Shuttle Account.

You may request in writing to change the portion of the Net Premiums allocated to the various Investment Interest Accounts. The first change in any Policy Year is free of charge. Any additional changes in that Policy Year will be subject to a fee of \$25,00 per change.

The following is a description of the Interest Accounts available with Equation Generation IV:

**Daily Interest Account:** 

The interest rate cledited or Net Pventiums allocated to this account will be determined by Equitable Life from time to time, but is guaranteed not to be less than 90% of the yield on 91-Day Government of Canada Treasury Bills less 2% to a minimum/credited interest rate of 0%.

The effective annual interest rate is compounded daily and credited to the Daily Interest Account at least once per month.

Should 91-Day Government of Canada Treasury Bills become unavailable, Equitable Life reserves to right to use another yield in determining the above guarantee.

Account Value:

The Account Value of the Daily Interest Account at any time is equal to the following:

- (a) Net Premiums and net transfers credited to the Daily Interest Account; plus
- (b) Interest and any Investment Bonus and/or Incentive Bonus credited to the Daily Interest Account; less
- (c) Amounts withdrawn or transferred out of the Daily Interest Account; less
- (d) Any administration fees or charges deemed to have come from this account.

### Guaranteed Deposit Accounts:

You can select one or more Guaranteed Deposit Accounts for your Equation Generation IV policy. The terms available for each Guaranteed Deposit Account may be 1, 5, or 10 years.

The minimum amount that may be allocated to a Guaranteed Deposit Account at any time is \$500.00. If you have selected a Guaranteed Deposit Account as one of your Investment Interest Accounts, Premiums will be held in the Daily Interest Account until the \$500.00 minimum is accumulated. Each allocation to a Guaranteed Deposit Account is considered separate with its own interest rate and investment term.

Equitable Life will declare the interest rate for each new Guaranteed Deposit Account as of the date of the investment.

The interest rate for a Guaranteed Deposit Account with a term of 1 year is guaranteed not to be less than (90% of X\*), less 2%.

#### **Investment Interest Accounts – continued**

#### **Guaranteed Deposit Accounts:** - continued

The interest rate for a Guaranteed Deposit Account with a term of 5 years is guaranteed not to be less than the greater of:

- (a) 1.25%; and
- (b) (90% of X\*) less 2.00%.

The interest rate for a Guaranteed Deposit Account with a term of 10 years is guaranteed not to be less than the greater of:

- (a) 2.25%; and
- (b) (90% of X\*) less 2.00%
- \* "X" in the above formulas represents the yield on Government of Canada bonds with the same term and date of investment as the Guaranteed Deposit Account. If at any time there is not a regularly published Government of Canada Bond of the same term as the Guaranteed Deposit Account Equitable Life reserves the right to substitute the bond with the closest published term.

In determining the above guarantee, Equitable Life reserves the right to use a measurement other than the yield on Government of Ganada Bonds should they become unavailable or unsuitable as determined by Equitable Life.

The effective date of each Guaranteed Deposit Account will be the same day of the month as the Effective Date of this policy that is coincident with or immediately/following the date of investment. The term period for your Guaranteed Deposit Account is measured from this date.

At the end of the term of each Glubrahteed Deposit Account, the Account Value of that Guaranteed Deposit Account will automatically be reinvested as another Guaranteed Deposit Account with the same term as the original Guaranteed Deposit Account unless you have elected otherwise in writing.

Account Value:

The Account Value of the Guaranteed Deposit Account(s) at any time is equal to the following:

- (a) Net Premium and net transfers credited to the Guaranteed Deposit Account(s); plus
- (b) interest and any Investment Bonus and Incentive Bonus credited to the Guaranteed Deposit Account(s); less
- (c) amounts withdrawn or transferred out of the Guaranteed Deposit Account(s) including any Market Value Adjustments that apply to these withdrawals or transfers; less
- (d) any administration fees or charges deemed to have come from this account.

Maturity Value:

The Maturity Value of a Guaranteed Deposit Account is the net amount originally invested in the Guaranteed Deposit Account plus the interest compounded annually at the guaranteed rate for the term you selected. Any amounts withdrawn, transferred out or deducted for monthly charges from the Guaranteed Deposit Account, including any Market Value Adjustment that may apply, are taken into account when the Maturity Value of a Guaranteed Deposit Account is determined.

Market Value Adjustment:

At any time prior to the end of the term of each Guaranteed Deposit Account, the Market Value Adjustment of a Guaranteed Deposit Account is the discounted value of the Maturity Value with the interest rate used for discounting being 1% plus the higher of:

- (a) the actual interest rate for each applicable Guaranteed Deposit Account, or
- (b) the then current interest rate based on the original term and band (as determined by us) of the Guaranteed Deposit Account being valued.

If a partial withdrawal or transfer to another Interest Account is being made a pro-rata Market Value Adjustment will apply.

#### Investment Interest Accounts - continued

#### **Linked Interest Options:**

You can select one or more of the Linked Interest Options for your Equation Generation IV policy. The Account Value of each Linked Interest Option must be at least \$150.00. If the minimum Account Value is not met we reserve the right to transfer the full value of that Linked Interest Option to the Daily Interest Account.

A Linked Interest Option Administration Fee applies. (Refer to the Monthly Charges provision of this policy for details.)

#### Index Interest Options:

Net Premiums allocated to one or more of these Interest Accounts are credited or debited interest from the date each Net Premium is invested. The interest debited or credited is guaranteed to be not less than 100% of the comparative increase or decrease of the Total Return (which includes dividends) of the index tracked by the Index Interest Option. The rate of return the interest is based on can be either positive or negative depending on the movement of the applicable index. A negative rate of return will result in a debit to the Account Value (a negative interest rate). A positive rate of return will result in a credit to the Account Value (a positive interest rate).

Currently, interest rates are calculated on a daily basis (Business Day) at a time as determined by Equitable Life, based on the movement of the applicable index. We reserve the right to change the timing and frequency of the calculation at our discretion.

The applicable index for each Index Interest Option is selected by Equitable Life and may change at any time. We reserve the right to discontinue the use of any Index Interest Option(s) at our discretion and transfer the Account Value to the Daily Interest Account.

The following are the current index Interest Options available with Equation Generation IV:

(a) Canadian Equity Index Interest Option:

Currently tracking the \$&P/\text{TSX6Q} Total Return Index, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest not less then 100% of the comparative increase or decrease of the total return of this index;

#### (b) American Equity Index Interest Option:

Currently tracking the S&P 500 Total Return Index, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest not less than 100% of the comparative increase or decrease of the total return of this index, after converting to Canadian dollars. The conversion to Canadian dollars will be based on a rate obtained from a recognized quotation service as selected by Equitable Life;

#### (c) U.S. Technologies Index Interest Option:

Currently tracking the NASDAQ 100 Total Return Index, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest not less than 100% of the comparative increase or decrease of the total return of this index, after converting to Canadian dollars. The conversion to Canadian dollars will be based on a rate obtained from a recognized quotation service as selected by Equitable Life;

#### (d) European Index Interest Option:

Currently tracking the DJ EURO STOXX 50 Total Return Index, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest not less than 100% of the comparative increase or decrease of the total return of this index, after converting to Canadian dollars. The conversion to Canadian dollars will be based on a rate obtained from a recognized quotation service as selected by Equitable Life;

#### (e) U.S. Blue Chip Index Interest Option:

Currently tracking the Dow Jones Industrial Average Total Return Index, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest not less than 100% of the comparative increase or decrease of the total return of this index, after converting to Canadian dollars. The conversion to Canadian dollars will be based on a rate obtained from a recognized quotation service as selected by Equitable Life.

#### Investment Interest Accounts - continued

#### 2) Performance Fund Interest Options:

Net Premiums invested in one or more of these accounts are credited or debited interest from the date each Net Premium is invested. The interest credited or debited is guaranteed to be not less than 100% of the net rate of return (i.e. less management fees and assuming the reinvestment of dividends) of the applicable mutual fund for each Performance Fund Interest Option. The rate of return the interest is based on can be either positive or negative depending on the movement of the applicable mutual fund. A negative rate of return will result in a debit to the Account Value (a negative interest rate). A positive rate of return will result in a credit to the Account Value (a positive interest rate).

Currently, interest rates are calculated on a daily basis (Business Day) at a time determined by Equitable Life, based on the movement of the applicable mutual fund. We reserve the right to change the timing and frequency of the calculation at our discretion.

The applicable mutual fund for each Performance Fund Interest Option is selected by Equitable Life and may change at any time. We reserve the right to discontinue the use of any Performance Fund Interest Option at our discretion and transfer the Account Value to the Daily Interest Account.

| The fo | plyowing are the current Performance Fund Interest Options available with Equation Generation IV:   |
|--------|---|
| (a)    | Performance Fund Interest Option – Global Currently tracking the Franklin Templeton Growth Fund Ltd. series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide   |
|        | interest that is that ased on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund;   |
| (b)    | Performance Fund Interest Option – Canadian  Currently tracking the McLean Budden Balanced Growth Fund, class A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund; |
|        |   |

(c) Performance Fund Interest Option – Canadian Bond

Currently tracking the McLean Budden Fixed Income Fund, class A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund;

(d) Performance Fund Interest Option – Global Fixed Income

Currently tracking Mackenzie Sentinel Global Bond Fund, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund;

(e) Performance Fund Interest Option – Canadian Value Stock

Currently tracking Mackenzie Cundill Canadian Security Fund, series C, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund;

(f) Performance Fund Interest Option – Large Cap Canadian Equity

Currently tracking Mackenzie Ivy Canadian Fund, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund;

(g) Performance Fund Interest Option – Global Balanced

Currently tracking the Templeton Global Balanced Fund, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this mutual fund.

#### Portfolio Interest Options:

Net premiums invested in one or more of these accounts are credited or debited interest from the date each Net Premium is invested. The interest credited or debited is guaranteed to be not less than 100% of the net rate of return (i.e. less management fees and assuming the reinvestment of dividends) of the applicable portfolio for each Portfolio Interest Option. The rate of return the interest is based on can be either positive or negative depending on the movement of the applicable portfolio. A negative rate of return will result in a debit to the Account Value (a negative interest rate). A positive rate of return will result in a credit to the Account Value (a positive interest rate).

Currently, interest rates are calculated on a daily basis (Business Day) at a time determined by Equitable Life, based on the movement of the applicable portfolio. We reserve the right to change the timing and frequency of the calculation at our discretion.

The applicable portfolio for each Portfolio Interest Option is selected by Equitable Life and may change at any time. We reserve the right to discontinue the use of any Portfolio Interest Option at our discretion and transfer the Account Value to the Daily Interest Account.

| The foll | owing are the o                               | current Portf | olio Inter | est | Options avai  | ilable | e with E  | guation Ge    | neration IV:                 |
|----------|---|---------------|------------|-----|---------------|--------|-----------|---------------|------------------------------|
| (a)      | Diversified                                   | . \   ,       | 1/1        |     |               |        |           |               |                              |
| (a)      | Currently tra                                 | dking the d   | uotent/al  | Div | ersified Indo |        |           |               | Equitable Life guarantees to |
|          | \   | \             | \ /        |     |               | JU%    | or the n  | et rate or r  | eturn of this portfolio;     |
| (b) \    | <b>Balanced In</b><br>Curre <u>ntly I</u> tra |               |            |     |               | ne Po  | ortfolio, | series A, E   | quitable Life guarantees to  |
|          | provide inter                                 | est that is b | ased on    | not | less than 10  | 0% (   | of the ne | et rate of re | eturn of this portfolio;     |

#### (c) Balanced Growth Portfolio Interest Option:

Currently tracking the Quotential Balanced Growth Portfolio, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this portfolio;

#### (d) Growth Portfolio Interest Option:

Currently tracking the Quotential Growth Portfolio, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this portfolio;

#### (e) Global Growth Portfolio Interest Option:

Currently tracking the Quotential Global Growth Portfolio, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this portfolio;

#### (f) Maximum Growth Portfolio Interest Option:

Currently tracking the Quotential Maximum Growth Portfolio, series A, Equitable Life guarantees to provide interest that is based on not less than 100% of the net rate of return of this portfolio.

Account Value:

At any time the Account Value of a Linked Interest Option is equal to the following:

- (a) Net Premiums and net transfers credited to that Linked Interest Option; plus
- (b) interest and any Investment Bonus and Incentive Bonus credited to that Linked Interest Option; less
- (c) interest debited to that Linked Interest Option; less
- (d) amounts withdrawn or transferred out of that Linked Interest Option; less
- (e) any administration fees or charges deemed to have come from these accounts.

#### Investment Interest Accounts - continued

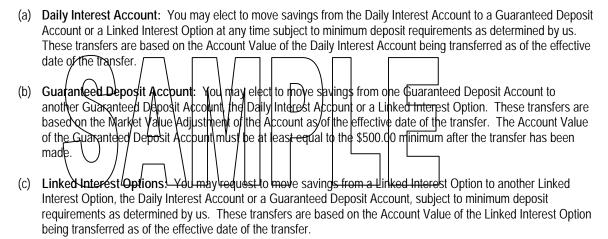
Changes to Your Investment Interest Accounts:

You may select to change your Investment Interest Accounts or the percentage of your Net Premium allocated to the various Investment Interest Accounts at any time, provided you submit your request in writing to Equitable Life's Head Office.

You may elect to transfer a portion of the Account Value of this policy from one Investment Interest Account to another Investment Interest Account available under this policy at any time, provided you submit your request in writing to Equitable Life's Head Office.

Equitable Life reserves the right to limit the number of requested transfers in any Policy Year.

There will be no additional fees charged for the transfers outlined below:



The effective date of the transfer will be within five (5) business days of receipt of your written request at Equitable Life's Head Office.

#### Investment Interest Accounts – continued

Notes About Your Investment Interest Accounts:

Linked Interest Options are NOT Mutual Funds or Indexes; you are NOT acquiring units in a mutual fund or investment fund or other security. You are placing funds on deposit, earning interest, with the general funds of Equitable Life. Performance is NOT guaranteed. You may be credited positive or negative interest depending on the performance of the Mutual Fund or Index being tracked. The Mutual Fund or Index being tracked may change at any time. Linked Interest Option Administration Fees will apply.

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#### **Policy Values**

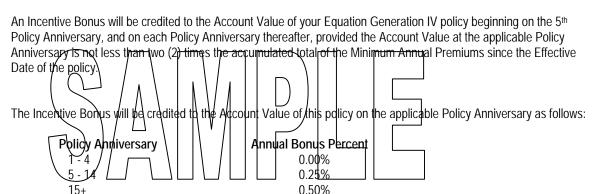
#### **Investment Bonus:**

Starting in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Policy Year, at each Monthly Anniversary a guaranteed Investment Bonus will be credited to the Account Value of the Equation Generation IV policy. This Investment Bonus will be credited regardless of the Account Value of the policy. Currently the Investment Bonus credited will be allocated in the same manner as the Net Premium allocation. Equitable Life reserves the right to change the manner in which the Investment Bonus is allocated at any time without prior notification.

The Investment Bonus will be equal to  $1/12^{\text{th}}$  of the annual bonus percent applied to the Account Value of this policy on the applicable Monthly Anniversary.

| Policy Year | Annual Bonus Percent |
|-------------|----------------------|
| 1           | 0.00%                |
| 2+          | 1.25%                |

#### **Incentive Bonus:**



Currently the Incentive Bonus credited will be allocated to the Investment Interest Accounts in the same manner as Premiums received. Equitable Life reserves the right to change the manner in which the Incentive Bonus is allocated to the Investment Interest Accounts at any time without prior notification.

#### **Account Value:**

The Account Value of this Equation Generation IV policy at any time will be equal to the sum of the following:

- (a) the Account Value of the Daily Interest Account;
- (b) the Account Value of all Guaranteed Deposit Accounts;
- (c) the Account Value of all Linked Interest Options.

#### Cash Surrender Value:

The Cash Surrender Value of this Equation Generation IV policy at any time will be equal to the sum of the following:

- (a) the Account Value of the Daily Interest Account;
- (b) the Market Value Adjustment of all Guaranteed Deposit Accounts;
- (c) the Account Value of all Linked Interest Options;
- (d) the Shuttle Account Value;

reduced by the total Surrender Charges and any Indebtedness to the policy.

#### Policy Values - continued

Non-Guaranteed Values:

The interest rate for the Linked Interest Options is **NOT GUARANTEED** and could be positive or negative depending on the performance of the applicable Linked Interest Options. A negative rate of return will result in a debit to the Account Value (a negative interest rate). A positive rate of return will result in a credit to the Account Value (a positive interest rate).

**Surrender Charges:** 

The Surrender Charges applicable to this policy are shown in the Table of Charges. If you choose to surrender your Equation Generation IV policy in the first or second Policy Years, the Surrender Charge is shown in the Table of Charges. For subsequent years up to and including year 10, where the charge is zero (0), monthly values will grade linearly to the value at the next Policy Anniversary. At the 10<sup>th</sup> Policy Anniversary and thereafter the Surrender Charge is zero (0).

If you take a withdrawal during the first ten (10) Policy Years, a pro-rata Surrender Charge will be calculated but not applied. Upon full surrender of your Equation Generation IV policy during the first ten (10) Policy Years, any pro-rata Surrender Charges that were calculated but not applied due to withdrawals, will apply upon the full surrender of the policy. Therefore all any time during the first ten (10) Policy Years, the total Surrender Charges are the total of the above, bus any Surrender Charges held in suspense for any previous withdrawals.

#### Monthly Charges

On each Monthly Anniversary a charge will be withdrawn from the Investment Interest Accounts. These monthly charges include but are not limited to the costs for the insurance portion of your plan, as well as any additional Riders or benefits.

The monthly charge for your Equation Generation IV policy will be equal to the sum of the following:

- (a) the total Administration Charges applicable for this policy;
- (b) the total of all Cost of Insurance Charges applicable to this policy;
- (c) the total Monthly Charge(s) for any optional additional benefits and Riders;
- (d) the Linked Interest Option Administration Fees.

Equitable Life will automatically deduct the Monthly Charges from the Accounts and/or Linked Interest Options based on the method you elected on the application for life insurance. You may have elected a percentage (%) of the total monthly charges to be deducted from specific accounts or you may have elected the monthly charges be deducted from all accounts on a pro-rata basis, depending on the Account Value in the Accounts at the Monthly Anniversary. In the event that you did not elect a method for deduction of monthly charges, the default method of pro-rata from all Accounts will be the method used. At any time you may change the method and/or Accounts from which your Monthly Charges are deducted by providing written notice at Equitable Life's Head Office.

If the Monthly Charges listed in items (a), (b), and (c), have not previously ceased, they will cease on the Policy Anniversary after the Equivalent Single Age is 100. (The same period as shown in the Table of Charges) Thereafter, no further deduction for these charges will be made.

Equitable Life reserves the right to deduct from the Investment Interest Accounts an amount equal to any taxes or assessments applicable to the policy, including those that are currently in plage or may be subsequently imposed.

**Administration Charges:** 

The guaranteed Administration Charge for this Joint Last-lo-Die Equation Generation IV policy is \$10.00 per month.

Cost of Insurance Charges Type:

The Cost of Insurance Charge for each Insurance Coverage is determined at the beginning of each Policy Month. The Cost of Insurance Charge is calculated by multiplying the current Amount at Risk by the current Cost of Insurance Rate for that insurance coverage as shown in the Table of Charges.

Depending on the Death Benefit Option selected, your Equation Generation IV policy has three (3) Cost of Insurance Types. You may choose from Yearly Renewable Term for Life (YRT), Yearly Renewable Term to Age 85 (YRT to 85) or Level Cost of Insurance (Level for Life). If you have selected YRT Cost of Insurance Charges, the rate per thousand of Amount at Risk will increase yearly until the Policy Anniversary after the Equivalent Single Age is 100. If you have selected YRT to 85 Cost of Insurance Charges, the rate per thousand of Amount at Risk will increase yearly until the Policy Anniversary after the Equivalent Single Age is 85. If you have selected Level Cost of Insurance Charges, the rate per thousand of Amount at Risk will remain level until the Policy Anniversary after the Equivalent Single Age is 100.

If your Death Benefit Option is Account Value Protector you may select to have YRT, YRT to 85 or Level Cost of Insurance Charges.

If your Death Benefit Option is Level Protector or Premium Protector you may select to have YRT or Level Cost of Insurance Charges.

If your Death Benefit Option is Inflation Protector, YRT Cost of Insurance Charges will apply.

You may at any time change your Cost of Insurance Charges from one type to another provided they are applicable to your Death Benefit Option. Evidence of insurability, as determined by Equitable Life, may be required when switching from one Cost of Insurance Charges to another. The Cost of Insurance Charges that will apply will be the rates that would have been used for a policy issued on the same date as the Effective Date of this policy, at the attained Equivalent Single Age with the same class of risk and smoking status.

#### Cost of Insurance Charges Type: - continued

The Amount at Risk for an Insurance Coverage is equal to the Death Benefit less the Account Value attributable to that Insurance Coverage.

The Cost of Insurance rates, as shown in the Table of Charges, are guaranteed not to increase from those shown.

# Additional Benefit And Rider Charges:

If you have elected to include any additional Benefit(s) and/or Rider(s) with your Equation Generation IV policy, Monthly Charges applicable to the additional Benefit(s)and/or Rider(s) are specified on the Coverage Specifications page(s) and/or are shown in the Table of Charges.

#### Linked Interest Option Administration Fees:

The Linked Interest Option Administration Fees apply only to the Account Value of the Index Interest Options, the Performance Fund Interest Options and the Portfolio Interest Options.

The current and maximum Linked Interest Option Administration Fees which apply to the Index Interest Options are as follows:

Canadian Equity Index Interest Option:
American Equity Index Interest Option:
U.S. Technologies Index Interest Option:
U.S. Blue Chip Index Interest Option:
3.00% per Policy Year (0.25% per month);
3.20% per Policy Year (0.2666% per month);
3.20% per Policy Year (0.25% per month);

The Linked Interest Option Administration Fees applicable to the Index Interest Options may be changed at any time, however, Equitable Life guarantees they will not exceed the current maximums.

The current and maximum Linked Interest Option Administration Fees which apply to the Account Value of the Performance Fund Interest Options (PFIO) are as follows:

# Current PFIO – Global 1.75% per Policy Year (0.1458% per month) PFIO – Canadian Bond 1.75% per Policy Year (0.1458% per month) PFIO – Global Fixed Income 1.75% per Policy Year (0.1458% per month) PFIO – Canadian Value Stock 1.75% per Policy Year (0.1458% per month) PFIO – Large Cap Canadian Equity 1.75% per Policy Year (0.1458% per month) PFIO – Global Balanced 1.75% per Policy Year (0.1458% per month)

Linked Interest Option Administration Fees applicable to the Performance Fund Interest Options may be changed at any time, however Equitable Life guarantees the fees will never exceed the current maximums.

#### Monthly Charges – continued

#### Linked Interest Option Administration Fees: -- continued

The current and maximum Linked Interest Option Administration Fees which apply to the Account Value of Portfolio Interest Options (PIO) are as follows:

|  | Current   |
|--|---|
| Diversified Income PIO   | 2.20% per Policy Year (0.1833% per month)   |
| Balanced Income PIO  | 2.20% per Policy Year (0.1833% per month)   |
| Balanced Growth PIO  | 2.20% per Policy Year (0.1833% per month)   |
| Growth PIO   | 2.20% per Policy Year (0.1833% per month)   |
| Global Growth PIO  | 2.20% per Policy Year (0.1833% per month)   |
| Maximum Growth PIO  Linked Interest Option Administration Fees app however, Equitable Life guarantees the fees wil | 2.20% per Policy Year (0.1833% per month)  Dicable to the Portfolio Interest Options may be changed at any time, ill never exceed the current maximums. |

#### **Dividends**

While in force, this Equation Generation IV policy may, at the end of each Policy Year, participate in the distribution of surplus of Equitable Life. If a distribution is declared for this policy, it would be credited as a dividend. The declaration of a dividend and the amount of any dividend payable, if any, will be determined by Equitable Life.

If any policy dividends are declared, they would be credited in a manner determined by Equitable Life at that time.

#### Cash Withdrawals

With your Equation Generation IV Universal Life policy you have access to the cash accumulating in your policy if and when you need or want it.

Cash Withdrawals from this Equation Generation IV policy are permitted at any time provided the Head Office of Equitable Life receives a written request from the Owner.

The amount you can withdraw must be at least \$500.00 and cannot exceed the current Cash Surrender Value of the policy, less any Indebtedness, less, \$500.00. For details on how the Cash Surrender Value of your policy is determined please see the Policy Values section.

If you choose to withdraw cash from your policy, the Death Benefit will be reduced by the portion of the Account Value withdrawn.

| If you have elected Account Value Protector as your Death Benefit Option, the Account Value will reduce by the amount withdrawn, thereby reducing              |
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| the Death Benefit. If you have elected bevel Projector, Inflation Projector or Premium Protector as your Death Benefit Option, the Sum Insured will            |
| be reduced by the portion of the Account Value Withdrawn, thereby reducing the Death Benefit.  |
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| If you choose to withdraw cash from your policy within the first ten (10) Policy Years, a pro-rata Surrende <del>r Cha</del> rge equal to the amount withdrawn |
| multiplied by the appropriate Surrender Charge rate divided by 1000 will be calculated but not deducted at the time of withdrawal. If you surrender            |
| your policy prior to completion of the 🤫 Policy/Year-the Surrender Charge that would have been applied to the Cash Withdrawal will be deducted at              |
| that time along with any other Surrender Charges that may apply at that time.  |
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| Equitable Life will charge a \$25.00 fee for each Cash Withdrawal from your policy.  |
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You may specify the Investment Interest Accounts from which your withdrawals are to be made. However, if there is any value in the Shuttle Account, all Cash Withdrawals will be made from this Account first. In the absence of written instructions Equitable Life will make the withdrawals from the Investment Interest Accounts using the same method as used for Monthly Charges, until Equitable Life receives alternative written instruction from you at our Head Office.

Daily Interest Account, Guaranteed Deposit Account and Linked Interest Option minimum balance requirements must continue to be met.

The effective date of your Cash Withdrawal will be within five (5) Business Days of receipt of your written request at the Head Office of Equitable Life.

#### **Policy Loans**

If a Cash Withdrawal does not meet your needs, you can take a Policy Loan with your Equation Generation IV policy.

At any time while this Equation Generation IV policy is in force, provided it has accumulated a Cash Surrender Value, you may request a Policy Loan from Equitable Life.

You may borrow up to the amount by which the Maximum Loan Value of this policy exceeds any current Indebtedness to your Equation Generation IV policy.

The Maximum Loan Value for this policy is equal to 90% of the Cash Surrender Value of the Guaranteed Deposit Accounts and the Daily Interest Account reduced by one year's loan interest. The Policy Loan Interest is based on the then current Policy Loan interest rate. The interest rate charged for the Policy Loan will be set by the Company from time to time. Interest on Policy Loans will accrue from the effective date of the loan.

If, at any time while this policy is in force, the total indebtedness to Equitable Life under this policy exceeds the Maximum Loan Value, Equitable Life reserves the right to transfer sufficient amounts from the Linked Interest Options to the Daily Interest Account or the Guaranteed Deposit Accounts to ensure that the Indebtedness of the Policy remains equal to the Maximum Loan Value. The required amounts will be transferred from the Linked Interest Options using the same method as elected by you for deduction of monthly charges and deposited to the Daily Interest Account, provided the Linked Interest Option minimum balance requirements are met.

The value of the Shuttle Account will not be considered in any Policy Loan calculation. You may not take a Policy Loan against the value in the Shuttle Account, regardless of which Shuttle Interest Accounts you have selected.

A Policy Loan may not be deferred for more than 90 days after the application is received at the Head Office of Equitable Life. A Policy Loan will only be granted after Equitable Life's Loan Agreement has been executed and delivered to the Company's Head Office.

At the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy, the portion of any outstanding Policy Loan balance plus any accrued interest will be deducted from the Death Benefit.

#### **Policy Surrender**

At any time while your Equation Generation IV policy is in force, you may surrender your policy for its current Cash Surrender Value, less any Indebtedness to the policy.

Please refer to the Policy Values Section of this policy for details on Cash Surrender Value determination.

The effective date of surrender of your policy will be within five (5) Business Days of receipt of your written request at Equitable Life's Head Office. This policy and all benefits and any Riders associated with this policy will terminate on the effective date of the surrender and Equitable Life will have no further liability under this policy or any Riders.

#### **Policy Lapse**

Your Equation Generation IV policy will lapse and all liability of Equitable Life will cease at the earliest date on which:

- (a) the Account Value of the policy is equal to zero (0);
- (b) the Cash Surrender Value of the policy is equal to zero (0) and the total of all Premiums paid, less all Cash Withdrawals, is less than the sum of the Minimum Annual Premiums, including any Rider or additional benefit Premiums payable since the Effective Date of this policy; or
- (c) the Indebtedness under this policy is equal to the Cash Surrender Value of the policy.

However, the coverage under your policy will continue until the end of the Grace Period.

#### **Grace Period:**

A Grace Period of 31 days measured from the date of policy lapse, as defined above, is permitted for payment in full of all overdue amounts as determined by Equitable Life. Your Equation Generation IV policy will terminate as of the date of lapse, if at the end of the Grace Period all overdue amounts have not yet been paid. Equitable Life will have no further liability under this policy.

In the event the last death of the lives insured occurs during the Grace Period, the portion of any overdue amounts applicable to the policy will be deducted from the Death Benefit payable.

#### Lapse Extension:

Your policy may continue for a maximum of 12 months, during which time we will deduct the Monthly Charges from your Account Value provided all of the following conditions are satisfied:

- (a) the policy has/been in force for at least 3 years;
- (b) the Account Value of the policy is greater than zero and sufficient to pay the Monthly Charges for a period of 12 months; and
- (c) the indebtedness under the policy does not exceed its current Cash Surrender Value.

After the maximum 12 months, unless a full Premium payment is remitted to cover all overdue amounts as determined by Equitable Life, your policy will terminate effective immediately. All benefits and Riders applicable to this policy will cease at that time and the policy will be terminated subject to the Grace Period provision above. Equitable Life will have no further liability under this policy.

#### Reinstatement:

Your Equation Generation IV policy may be reinstated within two (2) years of its lapse upon written application by you and submission of evidence of insurability (according to the then current underwriting guidelines as determined by Equitable Life) pertaining to all of the Lives insured (based on their attained age) that is satisfactory to Equitable Life.

The Reinstatement of this policy must be accompanied by the payment of an amount equal to the sum of the following:

- (a) the Premiums that would have been required to maintain the policy in force from the date of lapse to the date of reinstatement; plus
- (b) interest due on the above amount; plus
- (c) any Indebtedness under this policy.

These amounts will be determined by Equitable Life at the time of request of Reinstatement.

The rate of interest to be charged above will be determined by Equitable Life, but will not exceed that permitted under current legislation.

Any Account Value remaining in the policy at the time of lapse will be treated as a new investment and deposited as of the date of Reinstatement in the Daily Interest Account.

#### Tax Status

This Equation Generation IV policy is issued with the intention that it will be maintained exempt from accrual taxation under the provisions of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and Regulations in effect as of the Effective Date of this policy. Therefore, periodically, but not less than annually, this policy will be monitored to determine its tax status.

If, at any time, this Equation Generation IV policy fails any of the applicable exemption tests and is therefore subject to annual accrual taxation, according to the requirements of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and Regulations, Equitable Life reserves the right to transfer funds from a portion of the Cash Surrender Value attributable to the Daily Interest Account, Guaranteed Deposit Accounts and/or the Linked Interest Options to the Shuttle Account in order to maintain the policy's exempt status provided that it is possible for the Company to do so under the legislation in force at that time. Funds in the Shuttle Account do not make up any part of this policy and are subject to annual taxation.

You may have elected at issue to first have the total Death Benefit increased by up to a total of 8% of the total Death Benefit per Policy Year (including increases due to the Death Benefit Options elected) subject to the maximum Amount at Risk not exceeding 5 times the initial Amount at Risk. If at any Policy Anniversary the increase in Death Benefit is not sufficient to maintain the exempt status of your policy, a portion of the Cash Surrender Value of your policy will be transferred to the Shuttle Account as described above.

If on any Policy Anniversary, there is room for additional Premiums in your Equation Generation IV policy and you have funds in the Shuttle Account, Equitable Life will automatically pay a Premium from the Shuttle Account to your Equation Generation IV policy. The Premium paid will be allocated to the Interest Accounts in the same manner as elected by you on the application or subsequently changed. Provincial Government Premium Tax will be applied to each Premium paid to your Equation Generation IV policy from the Shuttle Account. See Net Premium for details on Premium Tax).

If your policy fails the exempt test at the time of a Premium payment Equitable Life will accept as a Premium for your Equation Generation IV policy

an amount that will maintain your policy's tax-exempt status. Equitable Life will deposit the balance to the Shuttle Account. The balance will not be considered a Premium payment under this policy.

The above provisions reflect the current provisions of the Indome Tax Act (Canada) and Regulations applicable to this policy as at the Effective Date. Equitable Life makes no guarantees that these provisions will not change. Equitable Life reserves the right to modify its practices to reflect any subsequent changes made in the Income Tax Act (Canada) and Regulations affecting this policy. Equitable Life will provide to the Owner any required tax reporting slips.

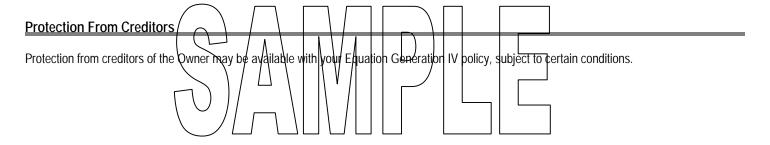
#### **Bereavement Counseling Benefit**

On the last death of the Lives Insured under this policy and payment of the Death Benefit, Equitable Life will provide a Bereavement Counseling Benefit to the Beneficiary(ies) of this Equation Generation IV policy. Equitable Life will reimburse the Beneficiary(ies) up to a maximum of \$500.00 toward the cost of counseling expenses, as long as the following rules are adhered to:

- the Beneficiary(ies) will submit receipts within 12 months of the date of the last death of the Lives Insured; and
- the counselor has professional accreditation or certification as determined appropriate by Equitable Life.

Reimbursement is subject to Equitable Life's then current administrative practices.

Regardless of the number of Beneficiaries under this policy only a sum total of \$500.00 will be reimbursed for counseling for all Beneficiaries. Equitable Life will not proportion the distribution of this benefit as per Beneficiary designation. Payment under this benefit will result upon remittance of receipts only.



#### Shuttle Account

The Shuttle Account is a separate premiums-on-deposit account which assists in maintaining your Equation Generation IV policy's taxexempt status. The Shuttle Account may have a separate Beneficiary(ies) and is paid out on death of the Owner or on termination or surrender of this Equation Generation IV policy.

In order to maintain your policy's tax-exempt status, a separate Shuttle Account (premiums-on-deposit account) will be set up in conjunction with your Equation Generation IV policy. As stated in the Premiums provision of this policy, any monies received over the Maximum Exempt Premium for any Policy Year will be deposited on your behalf to the Shuttle Account. The Shuttle Account is a premiums-on-deposit account where funds are held until such time as they can be paid as Premiums into your Equation Generation IV policy.

The Shuttle Account receives amounts in excess of the Maximum Exempt Premium. In addition, funds will be transferred to the Shuttle Account as required to maintain your Equation Generation IV policy status as exempt from annual accrual taxation. Funds in the Shuttle Account will automatically be used to pay Premiums to your Equation Generation IV policy on any Policy Anniversary, provided that enough tax-exempt room exists.

## Shuttle Interest Accounts:

The Shuttle Account is set up at issue of your Equation Generation IV policy with the same Investment Interest Accounts that are available within your Equation Generation IV policy. Selection of Shuttle Interest Accounts takes place on the application for life insurance. If you do not select any Shuttle Interest Accounts, any amounts transferred to the Shuttle Account will automatically be deposited into the Daily Interest Account.

You may at any fime in the future reducts in writing to change the allocation of the deposits made to the Shuttle Account. The first such change in any Policy Year is free of charge. Any additional changes in that year will be subject to a fee of \$25.00 per change.

Interest will be credited or debited to the Shuttle Interest Accounts in the same manner as the Investment Interest Accounts. Any administration fees applicable to the Investment Interest Accounts will also be applicable to the Shuttle Interest Accounts. Any interest earned in the Shuttle Account will be subject to annual taxation.

Equitable Life reserves the right to limit the terms of the Guaranteed Deposit Accounts available within the Shuttle Account from time to time. With respect to the Guaranteed Deposit Accounts within the Shuttle Account, a Market Value Adjustment will not be applied to funds paid as Premiums to your Equation Generation IV policy. However, should the Owner choose to withdraw funds from the Shuttle Account, a Market Value Adjustment, calculated in the same manner as a Market Value Adjustment applicable to the Guaranteed Deposit Accounts within the Equation Generation IV policy, will apply. Any minimum guarantees applicable to Guaranteed Deposit Accounts with your Equation Generation IV policy do not apply to Guaranteed Deposit Accounts held within the Shuttle Account.

The Shuttle Interest Accounts available are selected by Equitable Life. Equitable Life reserves the right to change or discontinue the use of any Shuttle Interest Account at our discretion and transfer the value to the Daily Interest Account.

#### **Shuttle Premiums:**

Shuttle Premiums are Premiums paid from the Shuttle Account to your Equation Generation IV policy. At each Policy Anniversary and after exempt testing, Equitable Life will determine the Maximum Exempt Premium for the following year. Upon determination of the Maximum Exempt Premium, Equitable Life will automatically pay a Premium, if possible, from the Shuttle Account to your Equation Generation IV policy. The Premium paid, less any applicable Premium tax, will be allocated to the Investment Interest Accounts within your Equation Generation IV policy, as elected by you on the application for life insurance or subsequently changed in writing by the Owner, or to the Daily Interest Account if no selection is made. The Premium paid from the Shuttle Account will be the lesser of the Maximum Exempt Premium and the Shuttle Account Value.

Premiums paid from the Shuttle Account will be deducted from the Shuttle Interest Accounts in the same method as used for the deduction of Monthly Charges from the Investment Interest Accounts, unless Equitable Life receives alternative written instruction from you at our Head Office.

#### Shuttle Account - continued

Shuttle Deposits:

Shuttle Deposits are funds that are transferred from your Equation Generation IV policy to the Shuttle Account. Shuttle Deposits will occur at any time a Premium in excess of the Maximum Exempt Premium is paid to your Equation Generation IV policy. Furthermore, Shuttle Deposits will occur on any Policy Anniversary where the Cash Surrender Value of your Equation Generation IV policy exceeds the maximum allowed under the provisions of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and Regulations. The amount of the Shuttle Deposit will be determined to be the amount necessary to maintain your policy's exempt status.

The Shuttle Deposits will be allocated to the Shuttle Account according to the allocation selected on the application for life insurance, or subsequently changed in writing by the Owner. If no selection is made, Shuttle Deposits will automatically be deposited to the Daily Interest Account.

Shuttle Deposits are not subject to Premium Tax.

**Investment Bonus:** The Investment Bonus does not apply to the Shuttle Account.

**Incentive Bonus:** The Incentive Bonus does not apply to the Shuttle Account.

In the Event Of Death:

On the last death of the Lives Insured under this Joint Last-to-Die Equation Generation IV policy, the Shuttle Account will be paid to the Owner of the Owner's Beneficiary (ies) as stipulated on the Policy Specifications page of this policy.

**Policy Surrender:** 

If your Equation Generation IV policy is surrendered, any Souttle Adcount Value will be surrendered and paid out to the Equation Generation IV Policy Owner. There are no Surrender Charges applicable to the Shuttle Account.

Withdrawal:

If you elect to withdraw cash from your Equation Generation IV policy and there are funds being held in the Shuttle Account, the funds held in the Shuttle Account will be withdrawn first to satisfy the requested withdrawal amount. The withdrawal order and provisions applicable to the Shuttle Account are the same as specified under the Cash Withdrawals section in your Equation Generation IV policy. If you have elected to have one or more Guaranteed Deposit Accounts as a Shuttle Interest Account, the same Market Value Adjustment as defined within your Equation Generation IV policy will apply upon withdrawal of funds from these accounts.

**Shuttle Account** 

Value:

At any time the Shuttle Account Value will be equal to the sum of all Shuttle Deposits plus any interest credited to the Shuttle Interest Accounts; less any interest debited to the Shuttle Interest Accounts; less any administration fees applicable to the Shuttle Interest Accounts; less any Shuttle Premiums paid to the Equation Generation IV policy; less any Cash Withdrawals.

Policy Loans:

You may not take a Policy Loan against the Shuttle Account Value, nor will the value of your Shuttle Account be used when determining the Maximum Loan Value for an Equation Generation IV Policy Loan.

Policy Lapse:

The value of your Shuttle Account will not be used in determining whether or not your Equation Generation IV policy will lapse. However, if there are funds in the Shuttle Account, room available in your Equation Generation IV policy and failure of the lapse test is imminent, Equitable Life will automatically pay a Premium from the Shuttle Account to your Equation Generation IV policy.

Taxation:

Any interest earned in the Shuttle Account is subject to annual accrual taxation. Each year, the amount of interest income will be reported on a tax information slip as Canadian source interest income, under current legislation.

Protection from Creditors:

Protection from creditors, which may be available to you with your Equation Generation IV Universal Life policy, does NOT apply to the Shuttle Account. The Shuttle Account is not part of the Equation Generation IV policy. It is a Premiums-on-Deposit Account.