



PROVISIONS FOR  
**eXTRA *cancer waiver***

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## 1 Policy Owners' Protection Scheme

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This policy is protected under the Policy Owners' Protection Scheme which is administered by the Singapore Deposit Insurance Corporation (SDIC). Coverage for your policy is automatic and no further action is required from you. For more information on the types of benefits that are covered under the scheme as well as the limits of coverage, where applicable, please contact us or visit the Life Insurance Association (LIA) or SDIC web-sites ([www.lia.org.sg](http://www.lia.org.sg) or [www.sdic.org.sg](http://www.sdic.org.sg)).

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## 2 Our Responsibilities

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This is a regular premium non-participating rider that waives the premium of the basic policy and any attaching riders if the life insured is diagnosed with Major Cancer. The premium will be waived up to earlier of the policy anniversary before the life insured turns age 86 or the expiry of this rider. At expiry date, if we have not paid out any claims, this rider will end and no benefits will be payable.

This rider can only be attached at policy application.

### 2.1 eXTRA cancer waiver

eXTRA *cancer waiver* allows you to continue the basic policy and any attaching riders without paying premiums from the next premium due date following the life insured's diagnosis of Major Cancer for the first time during the policy term. The Major Cancer must be diagnosed by a doctor. The premium will be waived up to earlier of the policy anniversary before the life insured turns age 86 or the expiry of this rider.

### 2.2 Definition of Major Cancer

A malignant tumour positively diagnosed with histological confirmation and characterized by the uncontrolled growth of malignant cells with invasion and destruction of normal tissue.

The term Major Cancer includes, but is not limited to, leukemia, lymphoma and sarcoma.

Major Cancer diagnosed on the basis of finding tumour cells and/or tumour-associated molecules in blood, saliva, faeces, urine or any other bodily fluid in the absence of further definitive and clinically verifiable evidence does not meet the above definition.

For the above definition, the following are excluded:

- All tumours which are histologically classified as any of the following:
  - Pre-malignant;
  - Non-invasive;
  - Carcinoma-in-situ (Tis) or Ta;
  - Having borderline malignancy;
  - Having any degree of malignant potential;
  - Having suspicious malignancy;
  - Neoplasm of uncertain or unknown behavior; or
  - All grades of dysplasia, squamous intraepithelial lesions (HSIL and LSIL) and intra epithelial neoplasia;
- Any non-melanoma skin carcinoma, skin confined primary cutaneous lymphoma and dermatofibrosarcoma protuberans unless there is evidence of metastases to lymph nodes or beyond;
- Malignant melanoma that has not caused invasion beyond the epidermis;
- All Prostate cancers histologically described as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below; or Prostate cancers of another equivalent or lesser classification;
- All Thyroid cancers histologically classified as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below;
- All Neuroendocrine tumours histologically classified as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below;

- All tumours of the Urinary Bladder histologically classified as T1N0M0 (TNM Classification) or below;
- All Gastro-Intestinal Stromal tumours histologically classified as Stage I or IA according to the latest edition of the AJCC Cancer Staging Manual, or below;
- Chronic Lymphocytic Leukaemia less than RAI Stage 3;
- All bone marrow malignancies which do not require recurrent blood transfusions, chemotherapy, targeted cancer therapies, bone marrow transplant, haematopoietic stem cell transplant or other major interventionist treatment; and
- All tumours in the presence of HIV infection

\*The Life Insurance Association Singapore (LIA) has standard Definitions for 37 severe-stage Critical Illnesses (Version 2019). This Critical Illness falls under Version 2019. You may refer to [www.lia.org.sg](http://www.lia.org.sg) for the standard Definitions (Version 2019).

### 2.3 Benefit Limitation

The benefits payable under this eXTRA *cancer waiver* rider and under any guaranteed issuance policies with Critical Illness benefits or Major Cancer benefits issued by Etiqa, shall not exceed a maximum of Three Hundred Thousand Singapore Dollars (SGD 300,000) for the same Life insured.

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## 3 Your Responsibilities

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### 3.1 Premium

The premium that you pay for this rider is level and guaranteed throughout the premium payment term.

### 3.2 Reinstatement

If Your rider ends due to not paying an outstanding amount due, You may apply to bring back Your rider (reinstatement) within twelve (12) months from the rider lapsed date by:

- paying the outstanding amount You owe with interest and
- giving Us satisfactory proof of the Life insured's good health, at Your own expense.

Reinstatement is subject to Our approval at Our sole discretion.

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## 4 What is Not Covered?

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### 4.1 eXTRA *cancer waiver*

There are certain conditions under which We do not waive the Premiums:

1. The Major Cancer is directly or indirectly, wholly or partly caused by:
  - Intentional acts (sane or insane) such as self-harm or attempted suicide within one (1) year of the policy issue date or the last reinstatement date, whichever is later;
  - Effects of drug or alcohol addiction;
  - Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), AIDS-related conditions or infection in the presence of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) except HIV due to blood transfusion and occupationally acquired HIV; or
  - Any Pre-existing condition.
2. The Major Cancer is diagnosed within the waiting period. The waiting period is 12 months from the effective date of this rider or the last reinstatement date, whichever is later.

3. The Life insured did not survive for 30 days after the date of diagnosis of the Major Cancer.
4. When there is condition(s) specific to the Life insured which We will not cover, We will state them on Our offer of conditional acceptance, the policy information page and Endorsement.

When any of the exclusion happens, We will return the total Premiums paid without interest, less any amounts owing to Us.

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## **5 Making Claims from the Policy**

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### **5.1 How to make a Claim**

We must be informed in writing within 3 months of the event giving rise to the claim. At the Proper claimant's own expense, he/she must give Us all documents and evidence We ask for to assess the claim. This may include re-examining the Life insured by a particular Doctor We appoint.

### **5.2 Who do We pay Benefits to**

If the policy has been assigned, the Benefit amount will be paid to the Assignee. If the policy has not been assigned, the Benefit amount will be paid to either You or Your executors, administrators, Nominees or any other Proper claimant if We have proof of the relationship of the person claiming the Benefit.

Before We pay any Benefit, We will deduct any amount You owe on this policy from the Benefit. By paying out the Benefit, it will end Our legal responsibility on this policy.

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## **6 Our Rights**

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### **6.1 Incontestability**

Claims will not be rejected and this policy will not be voided or have its terms revised after this policy has been in-force for two (2) years from the Policy commencement date or the latest Reinstatement date, whichever is later, except for:

- a) fraud;
- b) material non-disclosure and/or misrepresentation of a material fact that would have impacted acceptance of coverage;
- c) non-payment of Premium; or
- d) policy exclusions.

However, if the above mentioned event occurs, We reserve the rights to void the policy, revise the terms of the policy or reject any claims even after two (2) years have passed from the Policy commencement date or the latest Reinstatement date, whichever is later. We will refund all Premiums paid (less any amounts previously paid to You under this policy) without interest and less any amounts owing to Us as well as any expenses incurred by Us in providing You the policy.

### **6.2 Correction of Mistakes and Errors**

When We find any mistake or error made in this policy, We will make the correction and inform You by way of an Endorsement.

### **6.3 Fraud and Misrepresentation**

If You or such other claimant or anyone acting on his / their behalf fraudulently makes any claim under this policy or obtains any sum payable under this policy through fraudulent means or devices, all Benefits paid under this policy shall be forfeited and must be immediately repaid. This policy will be terminated immediately and there will be no refund of Premiums. We shall have no liability in respect of such claims and shall be entitled to recover any payment made prior to the discovery of the fraud or misrepresentation.

### **6.4 Change of Address, Country of Residence or Citizenship**

You must, as soon as practicable within three (3) months of the changes, notify Us in writing if there is a change in Your citizenship and / or usual country of residence. A change in the usual country of residence will be deemed to mean Your living or intending to live in another country other than Singapore in excess of twelve (12) consecutive calendar months.

You must also, as soon as practicable within three (3) months of the change, notify Us in writing if there is a change of address for the Life insured (if any).

We reserve the right and sole discretion to terminate or decline to renew the policy or continue cover on prevailing or varied terms and conditions.

### **6.5 No Cover**

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, this policy shall not cover or provide for the payment of claims or Benefits to specific persons or entities where the application of or compliance with certain laws and regulations including but not limited to trade sanctions, anti-terrorism or anti-money laundering (as may be applicable to Us, Our parent companies and/or Our ultimate controlling entities, Our reinsurers, their parent company and/or ultimate controlling entity) prohibit performance under the policy based on:

- the identity, domicile, residence, place of incorporation, establishment (whether incorporated or unincorporated), or citizenship, of You, or claimant or the parent company and ultimate controlling entity of You, or claimant; or
- the country where the claim arises.

Should any person or entity be found to have been erroneously enrolled under this policy, insurance coverage for such person or entity shall cease with immediate effect and any unearned Premiums paid in respect of such person or entity shall, subject to compliance with laws and regulations, be refunded without interest to You.

Should any claim for payment of any nature be found to have been made under this policy by a person or entity excluded by this provision, no such payment will be made.

### **6.6 Changes in Taxation, Regulations and Legislation**

At any time when there are changes in taxation, regulations or legislation that will affect this policy, We may vary the terms of the policy. If We do so, We shall notify You by giving You 30 days' notice prior to such change.

### **6.7 Errors in Age / Gender / Smoker Status / Country of Residence**

If Your Age, gender, smoker status and/or country of residence is not correctly stated such that the Premium paid is wrong, We reserve the rights to adjust the Benefits. For underpayment of Premium, the claims will be pro-rated as if You have purchased a lower cover. For overpayment of Premium, We will refund the excess Premium paid without interest.

Based on the correct Age, gender, smoker status and/or country of residence, if You are not eligible to apply for this policy, We will not pay any Benefits and the policy will be terminated. When this happens, We will refund all Premiums paid (less any amounts previously paid to You under this policy) without interest and less any amounts owing to Us as well as any expenses incurred by Us in providing You the policy.

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## 7 Your Rights

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### 7.1 Free Look

You may return this policy for cancellation within fourteen (14) days after You receive the policy document, for any reason. We will deduct any costs incurred by the Company in assessing the risk under the policy, such as payments for medical check-up and other expenses, from the Premium You paid and refund the balance to You.

If Your policy document is sent by email, We consider this policy is delivered to You one (1) day after the date of emailing. If Your policy document is sent by post, We consider this policy is delivered to You seven (7) days after the date of posting.

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## 8 When Will Your Policy End?

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This rider will end when any of the following events happens first:

- a) Termination of the Basic policy;
- b) Rider Expiry date;
- c) We paid out the rider Benefit in full;
- d) Premium is not paid on time and there is insufficient Surrender value in Basic policy; or
- e) Your written request and Our acceptance of the application to terminate this rider.

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## 9 What Do We Mean With These Words?

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**Age** means the Age at next birthday.

**Assignee** means any person to whom You have transferred Your rights as the Policy Owner and the assignment is registered with Us.

**Basic policy** means the policy as it exists, including the supplementary terms and any Endorsement made to it, without any optional supplementary contract / rider.

**Benefit(s)** means any payments that We will pay and/or the amount of Premium that We will waive when certain events defined in this policy occur.

**Doctor** means a licensed person who is qualified by degree in western medicine to practice medicine. The license is given by the appropriate medical authority of his country of residence to practice medicine within his scope of licensing and training. This cannot be You, the Life insured, a family member or a relative.

**Endorsement** means any written change to the policy which is issued and properly authorised by Us.

**Expiry date** means the date the rider ends and where no Benefit is payable.

**Life insured** means the person whom We provide the cover for. The Life insured does not have any right to the policy, unless he/she is also the Policy owner.

**Nominee(s)** is a person that You have nominated (under the **Insurance Act 1966** and **Insurance (Nomination of Beneficiaries) Regulations 2009**) to receive the policy monies payable under the policy upon Your death. The nomination must be registered with Us.

**Non-participating** means it does not share in any surplus or profits of the Company's fund.

**Policy commencement date** means the date the policy commences, as shown in the Policy Information Page.

**Policy issue date** means the date We issue the policy. This is shown in the Policy Information Page.

**Policy owner** is the person named as the owner in the Policy Information Page or any Endorsement issued by Us. The Policy owner has full rights on the policy, unless the policy has been transferred to another party.

**Policy year / Policy anniversary** is the 1-year period that starts on the Policy commencement date or any subsequent anniversary of the Policy commencement date.

**Premium(s)** is the amount of money that You pay regularly to Us to keep this policy in force.

**Pre-existing condition** means the existence of any signs or symptoms before the Policy commencement date or Reinstatement date for which treatment, medication, consultation, advice, or diagnosis has been sought or received by the Life insured or would have caused any reasonable and sensible person to get medical advice or treatment.

**Proper claimant(s)** has the meaning in the **Insurance Act 1966**. It means a person who claims to be entitled to the sums in question as executor of the deceased, or who claims to be entitled to that sum (whether for his own Benefit or not) and is the widower, widow, parent, child, brother, sister, nephew or niece of the deceased.

**Proposal form** means the form You signed to buy this policy from Us. It includes anything written, said (and recorded) and/or any document given to Us which has information for Us to rely on before We decide to issue this policy.

**Reinstatement date** is the date We reinstate Your policy back to inforce.

**Surrender value** means the monetary value the Basic policy has accumulated over the lifetime of the policy, minus any outstanding amount that You owe Us.

**Waiting period** is the time period during which we do not pay the Benefit. This period begins from the:

- a) Policy issue date;
- b) Policy commencement date;
- c) date of increase/addition of any Benefits; or
- d) Reinstatement date

whichever is the latest.

**We, Our, Us, the Company** means Etiqa Insurance Pte. Ltd. (Co. Reg. No. 201331905K).

**You, Your** means the Policy owner.