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NOTICE REQUIRED BY PROVINCIAL LEGISLATION

This policy contains a provision removing or restricting the right of the insured to designate persons to whom or for whose benefit insurance money is to be payable.

Important Notice - Read Carefully Before You Travel

You have purchased a travel insurance policy - what's next? We want you to understand (and it is in your best interest to know) what your policy includes, what it excludes, and what is limited (payable but with limits). Please take time to read through your policy before you travel. Italicized terms are defined in your policy.

- Travel insurance covers claims arising from sudden and unexpected situations (i.e. accidents and emergencies) and typically not follow-up or recurrent care.
- To qualify for this insurance, you must meet all of the eligibility requirements.
- · This insurance contains limitations and exclusions (i.e. medical conditions that are not stable, pregnancy, child born on trip, excessive use of alcohol, high risk activities).
- This insurance may not cover claims related to pre-existing medical conditions, whether disclosed or not at time of policy purchase.
- Contact the Assistance Centre before seeking treatment or your benefits may be limited.
- In the event of a claim your prior medical history may be reviewed.
- If you have been asked to complete a medical questionnaire and any of your answers are not accurate or complete, your policy will be voidable.

It is your responsibility to understand your coverage. If you have questions, call 1 866 298-2722.

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Everyone wants to have a carefree trip and should be able to travel with confidence in their travel insurance purchase. Most people travel every day without a problem, but if something does happen, the member companies of the Travel Health Insurance Association of Canada (THiA) want you to know your rights. THiA's Travel Insurance Bill of Rights and Responsibilities builds on the golden rules of travel insurance:

> Know your health • Know your trip Know your policy . Know your rights

For more information, go to www.thiaonline.com

TRAVEL ASSISTANCE. ANYWHERE IN THE WORLD.

Before you travel, be sure to download ACM's free assistance & claims app, ACM TravelAid™. The GPSenabled **ACM TravelAid™**, available from Google Play and App store, provides travellers with the following services, from anywhere in the world:

- · Direct link to the assistance centre
- Healthcare provider information
- Directions to the nearest medical facility
- Official travel advisories
- Travel tips
- Claim submission support

The TravelAid mobile app can also provide you with local emergency telephone numbers (such as 911 in North America), and pre- and post-departure travel tips. We recommend that you download the app before you travel to avoid incurring roaming charges that may apply at your destination.

HELP IS JUST A PHONE CALL AWAY.

Our multilingual Assistance Centre is there to help and support you 24 hours a day, every day of the year, with:

Pre-Trip Information

- √ Passport and Visa information
- Health hazards advisory
- Weather information
- Currency exchange information
- Consulate and Embassy locations

During A Medical Emergency

- Verifying and explaining coverage
- Referral to a doctor, hospital, or other health care providers
- Monitoring your medical emergency and keeping your family informed
- Arranging for return transportation home when medically necessary
- Arranging direct billing of covered expenses (where possible)

Other Services

- $\sqrt{}$ Assistance with lost, stolen or delayed baggage
- Assistance in obtaining emergency cash
- Translation and interpreter services in a medical emergency
- Emergency message services
- Help to replace lost or stolen airline tickets
- Assistance in obtaining prescription drugs
- √ Assistance in obtaining legal help or bail bond

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRAVEL INSURANCE

It is important *you* read and understand *your* policy before *you* travel. It is *your* responsibility to review the terms, conditions and limitations outlined in this policy.

To be eligible for insurance under this policy, *you* must meet all the eligibility requirements outlined on Page 5 of this policy.

A *pre-existing condition* exclusion applies to *your* coverage. It is *your* responsibility to review and understand the *pre-existing condition* exclusion that applies to *you*:

- Trip Interruption Insurance: please review the pre-existing condition exclusions listed on Page 10 of this policy.
- Emergency Medical Insurance: please review the pre-existing condition exclusions listed on Page 16 of this policy.

ITALICIZED WORDS have a specific meaning. Please refer to the "Definitions" section of this policy to find the meaning of each italicized word.

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10-Day Free Look to Review this Policy

You have 10 days from your insurance purchase date to review this policy.

If it does not meet *your* needs, *you* may terminate this insurance coverage and receive a premium refund if:

- (i) you have not departed on your trip; and
- (ii) there is no claim in progress.

To request a premium refund, simply contact *your* travel agent from whom *you* purchased the insurance.

After the 10-Day Free Look, refund of premium is not available.

MEDICAL CONCIERGE SERVICES

Manulife Travel Insurance is pleased to provide you with value-added medical concierge services.

What services are available?

StandbyMD has an International network of medical providers and partners who provide services across time zones and who assure a quick and streamlined access to healthcare 24 / 7 / 365 all over the world.

StandbyMD allows you to access multiple levels of personalized care ranging from:

- Teleconsultations for eligible cases (telephone / chat / videoconference access to a qualified physician who can assess your symptoms and provide treatment options)
- A network of visiting physicians (in 141 countries and over 4,500 cities)
- In-network clinics close to the patient
- In-network ERs located close to the patient only if necessary

In addition, when you travel within Canada or to the United States, StandbyMD offers same-day co-ordination and delivery of lost/forgotten prescription maintenance medication, eyeglasses or contact lenses and medical supplies.

How does this service work? StandbyMD's risk assessment algorithm triages patients according to their symptoms, profiles and location.

Based on the information provided they are instantly referred to the most appropriate level of care their specific situation requires.

StandbyMD uses a worldwide network of providers that offer high-quality care at preferred rates and direct billing solutions, minimizing the likelihood of paying out-of-pocket.

The StandbyMD program will assist with co-ordinating payment of eligible expenses subject to the terms and conditions of the policy. To access this service, simply call the Assistance Centre using the phone numbers indicated on the wallet card.

Disclaimer, Waiver, and Limitation of Liability: StandbyMD is not intended to be a substitute for professional medical advice, it is provided for the purpose of assisting you in finding medical providers. The advice provided by StandbyMD is a recommendation only, and entirely voluntary.

You still retain the right to choose for yourself, your own level of care regardless of StandbyMD's recommendation. Medical providers utilized by StandbyMD are not employees, agents, nor in any way affiliated with StandbyMD, beyond accepting StandbyMD's referrals. StandbyMD does not have any control, real or implied, over the medical judgment of participating medical providers, nor their actions or inactions. StandbyMD, upon making referrals under this policy does not assume any responsibility for:

- the availability.
- their quality,
- the results or outcome of any treatment or service.

Policyholders hereby specifically waive any and all rights to proceed legally against StandbyMD or anyone related to StandbyMD* in any and all claims, demands, actions, causes of action, and suits of any kind, nature, or amount which relate to, or in any way directly or indirectly flow from the medical concierge services that StandbyMD is offering.

StandbyMD's liability under these medical concierge services, if any, is limited solely to the amount of payment made to participating medical providers for the services that a policyholder obtained after they received a referral from StandbyMD.

*Related persons include principals, parents, successors and assigns of StandbyMD.

INTRODUCTION

Policy Contract

This is *your* insurance policy, a contract detailing terms and conditions of the insurance coverage *you* purchased. Coverage under this policy is issued on the basis of information provided in *your* application. *Your* entire contract with *us* consists of: this policy; *your* application for this policy; the confirmation issued in respect of that application; and any other amendments or endorsements resulting from extensions of coverage.

How to contact us

ntroduction / Plan At-A-Glance

Prior to travelling, or when travelling and *you* require *emergency* assistance, call **1 800 211-9093** toll-free from the USA and Canada **+1 (519) 251-7821** collect where available For coverage information or general enquiries, please contact Manulife Travel Customer Service at **1 866 298-2722**.

ALL-INCLUSIVE TRAVEL INSURANCE PLAN AT-A-GLANCE

INSURANCE OFFERED	COVERAGE AMOUNTS PER INSURED
Emergency Medical [†]	Up to \$5,000,000 CDN for covered expenses if <i>you</i> have a valid <i>government health insurance plan</i> ; otherwise up to \$25,000
Trip Interruption [†] *	Actual covered expenses up to \$3,000 per <i>trip</i>
Baggage Loss or Damage	Up to \$1,000 per <i>trip</i>
Baggage Delay	Up to \$500 per trip
Flight Accident	Up to \$100,000 for death or double dismemberment or \$50,000 for single dismemberment
Travel Accident	Up to \$50,000 for death or double dismemberment or \$25,000 for single dismemberment

[†] If your covered expense results from an act of terrorism, all benefit maximums shown in this policy may be reduced subject to the Act of Terrorism Coverage provision.

Children Under 2 Years Old at No Extra Charge:

With the purchase of this insurance, coverage for *children* (or a *child*) older than 30 days old and under 2 years old for the entire duration of *your trip* is provided at no extra charge.

ELIGIBILITY

TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THIS INSURANCE

You must be a resident of Canada and covered under a government health insurance plan for the entire duration of the trip. If at time of claim, it is discovered that you no longer have coverage under a government health insurance plan, the maximum amount payable for all eligible expenses combined will be limited to \$25,000.

If you have purchased a *trip* from Senior Discovery Tours, you must pay the required premium before you leave home. You must buy coverage for the entire duration of your trip.

Coverage must be purchased at the time you book your trip.

If you are age 75 or older, you must also meet all of the following eligibility requirements:

- You are not travelling against the advice of a physician.
- In the past five (5) years, you have not been diagnosed and/or been medically treated and/or been hospitalized and/or been prescribed or taken medication for three (3) or more of the following conditions: Heart Condition; Lung Condition; High Blood Pressure and/or Diabetes,
- You have never been diagnosed with Metastatic Cancer or a terminal illness with a life expectancy of less than two (2) years.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOUR TRAVEL INSURANCE

THE DATE YOUR COVERAGE STARTS / YOUR EFFECTIVE DATE OF COVERAGE

For *Emergency* Medical Insurance, coverage starts when *you* leave *home*.

For *Trip* Interruption Insurance; Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay Insurance and Flight & Travel Accident Insurance, coverage starts on *your departure date*.

THE DATE YOUR COVERAGE ENDS / YOUR COVERAGE EXPIRY DATE

For *Emergency* **Medical Insurance**, coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return home; or
- b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

For *Trip* Interruption Insurance; Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay Insurance and Flight & Travel Accident Insurance, coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date when you return to your departure point, or
- b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

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^{*} Default coverage is included.

AUTOMATIC EXTENSION

Under *Trip* Interruption insurance, *we* will extend *your* coverage automatically beyond the date *you* were scheduled to return *home* as per *your confirmation:*

- for up to 10 days, if you have an emergency that prevents you from returning home on that date; or
- for up to 30 days, if you are hospitalized and that hospitalization prevents you from returning home on that date.

However, if travel is medically possible before the applicable 10 or 30 days have passed, we will honour your claim for eligible expenses only until such earlier date.

Under all other types of insurance, we will extend your coverage automatically beyond the date you were scheduled to return home as per your confirmation if:

- your common carrier is delayed. In this case, we will extend your coverage for up to 72 hours; or
- you or your travel companion are hospitalized on that date. In this case, we will extend your coverage during the hospitalization and for up to 5 days after discharge from the hospital; or
- you or your travel companion have an emergency that does not require hospitalization but prevents travel.
 In this case, we will extend your coverage for up to 5 days.

In any case, we will not extend any coverage beyond 12 months after your effective date of insurance.

TO STAY LONGER THAN PLANNED

Extensions: If you have not left home yet, simply call Senior Discovery Tours to ask for the extension. If, however, you are already on your trip and need to apply for an extension of your coverage before the expiry date of your existing coverage, simply call Senior Discovery Tours. You may be able to extend your coverage as long as:

- the total length of your trip does not exceed 183 days (unless otherwise permitted by your government health insurance plan) or 60 days for those age 55 and older;
- you pay the additional premium; and
- you have had no event that has resulted or may result in

Any extension is subject to the approval of the Assistance Centre.

TRIP INTERRUPTION INSURANCE

Trip Interruption Insurance coverage starts on *your departure* date.

Trip Interruption Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return to your departure point; or
- b) on the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Please note that the maximum aggregate payable for all *Trip* Interruption, Misconnection and Delayed Return benefits listed below is \$3,000 per *trip*.

Benefits - What does <u>Trip Interruption</u> Insurance cover? If your trip is interrupted due to a covered event listed immediately below that occurs on or after the day you plan to leave *home*, we will pay:

- A. Up to \$2,000 for the prepaid portion of *your trip* that is non-refundable and non-transferable to another travel date less the prepaid unused transportation *home*.
- B. Your additional and unplanned hotel and meal expenses, your essential phone calls, internet usage fees and taxi fares (or car rental in lieu of taxi fares) to a maximum of up to \$300 per day for up to 2 days (\$600 maximum total benefit) when no earlier transportation arrangements are available.
- C. Your one-way economy class fare via the most costeffective itinerary to your or your group's next destination, or to return home.

Events Covered Under *Trip* Interruption Insurance: Medical Related Events

- You or your travel companion develop(s) a medical condition.
- A member of your immediate family or your key-person, a member of your travel companion's immediate family or their key-person develops a medical condition.
- Your friend or the person whose guest you will be during your trip is admitted to a hospital in an emergency.
- ‡You, your spouse, your travel companion or your travel companion's spouse are quarantined.

Pregnancy and Adoption

- You or your travel companion develop(s) any complication of pregnancy within the first thirty-one (31) weeks of pregnancy.
- A member of your immediate family or your key-person, a member of your travel companion's immediate family or their key-person develops any complication of pregnancy within the first thirty-one (31) weeks of pregnancy.
- You, your spouse, your travel companion or your travel companion's spouse legally adopt(s) a child and the actual date of the adoption falls during your trip.

Trip Interruption Insurance

Death

- You or your travel companion die(s).
- A member of your immediate family or your key-person, a member of your travel companion's immediate family or their key-person dies.
- Your friend dies or the person whose guest you will be during your trip dies.

Work and Educational Obligations

- 11. ‡You, your spouse, your travel companion or your travel companion's spouse are called to service as a reservist, firefighter, military or police staff during your trip.
- 12. ‡ You, your spouse, your travel companion or travel companion's spouse:
 - a) lose a permanent job because of lay-off or dismissal without just cause, or
 - b) are transferred by *your I* their respective employer; and must move *your I* their respective principal residence.

Government and Legal

Trip Interruption Insurance

- 13. ‡ You, your spouse, your travel companion or your travel companion's spouse are called to jury duty or to be a defendant in a civil suit or are subpoenaed to be a witness during your trip.
- 14. ‡ Your or your travel companion's travel visa is not issued for a reason beyond your / their control, provided the documentation shows you or your travel companion were eligible to apply, that the refusal is not due to a late application, and the application is not a subsequent attempt for a visa that had been previously refused.
- 15. ‡ The Government of Canada issues an "Avoid Non-Essential Travel" or an "Avoid All Travel" travel advisory after your departure date, advising or recommending that Canadian residents should not visit a destination included in your trip.

Accommodations and Transportation

- 16. ‡You, your spouse, your travel companion or your travel companion's spouse are unable to occupy your / their respective principal residence or to operate your / their respective place of business because of a natural disaster.
- 17. ‡ You miss a connection or must interrupt your trip because of the delay of your connecting private passenger vehicle or common carrier, when the delay is caused by the mechanical failure of your connecting private passenger vehicle or common carrier, a traffic accident, an emergency police-directed road closure or weather conditions. Your connecting private passenger vehicle or common carrier must have been scheduled to arrive at your point of boarding at least 1.5 hours before the scheduled time of departure.

Weather

 ‡ Weather conditions, earthquakes or volcanic eruptions cause delays to at least 30% of your trip and you choose not to travel.

Hijacking

19. ‡ You, your spouse, your travel companion or your travel companion's spouse are hijacked.

Benefits - What does Misconnection Insurance cover?

If any of the covered events listed immediately below prevents *you* from travelling as shown on *your confirmation*, *we* will pay for *your* misconnection expenses, being the lesser of:

- a) the change fee charged by the airline for *your* missed connection if this option is available, or
- b) up to \$2,000 for the cost of *your* one-way economy transportation via the most cost-effective itinerary to the next destination. *Your* travel arrangements must have been booked with the Travel Agency *you* purchased this policy from.

Misconnection Insurance covered events:

- 1. ‡ You miss your next connecting flight because the plane that is providing transportation for a portion of your trip leaves later than originally scheduled.
- 2. ‡ The *plane* that is providing transportation for a portion of *your trip* leaves earlier than originally scheduled and the ticket *you* have purchased for *your* prior connector flight via another airline becomes unusable.

Only misconnection expenses as calculated above will be payable under these circumstances.

Benefits - What does <u>Delayed Return Insurance</u> cover? If any of the covered events listed immediately below happens after *you* leave *home* and makes it impossible for *you* to return *home* as shown on *your confirmation*, we will, for the length of time that *you* are prevented from travelling, pay up to \$3,000 for:

- A. *Your* additional and unplanned hotel and meal expenses, *your* essential phone calls, internet usage fees and taxi fares (or car rental in lieu of taxi fares) to a maximum of up to \$150 per day.
- B. Up to \$2,500 for the extra costs of *your* economy class transportation via the most cost-effective itinerary to return *home*. If the delay is a result of a *medical condition,* it must be on the advice of the attending *physician* at *your* destination.

Delayed Return Insurance covered events:

- 1. You have a medical emergency.
- 2. A member of *your immediate family* has a medical *emergency* or dies at *your* destination.

- 3. Your travel companion has a medical emergency or dies at your destination.
- The person whose guest you are during your trip is admitted to hospital with an emergency or dies at your destination.

What else does *Trip* Interruption & Delayed Return Insurance cover?

- 1. ‡ In the event your travel companion's plane is delayed by weather conditions, earthquakes or volcanic eruptions for at least 30% of your trip, and your travel companion decides not to go on the trip as booked, we will cover the cost of your next occupancy charge up to \$1,000.
- In the event you die after the start of your trip: We will reimburse your estate up to \$1,000 for your prepaid unused trip arrangements.

Exclusions & Limitations - What does *Trip* Interruption Insurance not cover?

The following exclusions are applicable to all coverages detailed in this section, including *Trip* Interruption, Misconnection and Delayed Return Insurance:

- Any expense in excess of \$3,000 in the aggregate for all Trip Interruption, Misconnection and Delayed Return benefits.
- A medical condition that was not stable in the 6 months before your effective date.
 In addition to the "stable" requirement, we will not cover any expenses relating to:
- your/their heart condition if, in the 6 months before the effective date for this insurance, any of your/their heart condition(s) has/have not been stable or you/they have taken any form of nitroglycerine for the relief of angina pain; and/or
- your/their lung condition if, in the 6 months before the effective date for this insurance, any of your/their lung condition(s) has/have not been stable or you/they required treatment with oxygen or prednisone for any lung condition.
- 3. *Trip* Cancellation expenses incurred before departure.
- 4. Any reason, circumstance, event or medical condition affecting you or anyone, which you were aware of on or before the date you purchased this coverage, and which may eventually prevent you from starting and/or completing your covered trip as booked when you purchase this insurance coverage.
- Travel arrangements booked through the Travel Agency for which no premium was paid at the time of the initial deposit or when cancellation penalties apply; travel arrangements not booked with the Travel Agency *you* purchased this policy from.
- 6. The *medical condition* or death of a person who is ill when the purpose of *your trip* is to visit that person.

- Your self-inflicted injuries, unless medical evidence establishes that the injuries are related to a mental health illness.
- 8. Any *medical condition*, including symptoms of withdrawal, arising from, or in any way related to, *your* chronic use of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants whether prior to or during *your trip*.
 - Any medical condition arising during your trip from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants.
- Any medical condition that is the result of you not following treatment as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- 10. Any loss resulting from *your minor mental or emotional* disorder.
- Any claim that results from or is related to your commission or attempted commission of a criminal offence or illegal act.
- 12. routine pre-natal or post-natal care;
 - pregnancy, delivery, or complications of either, arising 9 weeks before the expected date of delivery or 9 weeks after.
- 13. Your child born during the trip.
- 14. A medical condition:
 - when you knew or for which it is reasonable to believe or expect that treatment will be required during your trip; and/or
 - for which future investigation or *treatment* was planned before *you* left *home*; and/or
 - which caused symptoms that would have caused an ordinarily prudent person to seek treatment in the 6 months before leaving home: and/or
 - that caused a *physician* to advise *you* not to go on *your trip*.
- 15. A travel visa that is not issued because of a late application.
- 16. An act of war or act of terrorism. Limited coverage applies with respect to an act of terrorism as described in the Act of Terrorism Coverage provision.
- 17. Any act of terrorism or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating "Avoid all nonessential travel" or "Avoid all travel" regarding the country, region or city of your destination, before your effective date.

To view the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.

This exclusion does not apply to claims for an *emergency* or a *medical condition* unrelated to the travel advisory.

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DEFAULT PROTECTION COVERAGE

We will provide *Default* Protection Coverage subject to the benefit limits and exclusions listed below.

If you:

- a) have contracted with a travel supplier who defaults; and
- b) as a result of the *default*, *you* do not receive part or all of the *travel services* for which *you* have contracted; and
- c) cannot recover all of the cost of such undelivered *travel* services either from the *travel* supplier, any federal, provincial or other compensation fund, or from any other source that is legally responsible or under contract to reimburse you for the cost of such undelivered *travel* services, then, we will reimburse you as follows: For default after your departure date: we will reimburse you for the non-refundable portion of the amount that you prepaid for such undelivered *travel* services up to \$1,500 of the *Trip* Interruption coverage that you purchased in connection with your trip except prepaid unused transportation home and subject to the following Benefit Limits:

Benefit Limits

The amount payable to *you* in respect of any one *trip* will not exceed \$1,500 CDN and \$7,500 CDN for all persons who are covered under the same Senior Discovery Tours All-Inclusive Travel Insurance policy. Any benefits payable shall also be subject to an overall aggregate maximum payable limit specified below relating to all in-force travel policies issued by *us*, including this policy.

If total claims otherwise payable for this type of coverage under all travel policies issued by *us*, resulting from the *default* of one or more *travel suppliers* occurring within an applicable time period, exceeds the aggregate maximum payable limit, then the amount paid on each claim shall be reduced on a pro rata basis so that the total amount paid in respect of all such claims shall be the aggregate maximum payable limit.

The maximum aggregate limits are:

- a) \$1,000,000 CDN with respect to the *default* of any one (1) *travel supplier;* and
- b) \$3,000,000 CDN with respect to all *defaults* of all *travel suppliers* occurring in the same calendar year.

If, in *our* judgment, the total of all payable claims on account of the *default* of one or more *travel suppliers* exceeds the applicable limits, *your* pro-rated claim may be paid after the end of the calendar year in which *you* qualify for benefits.

Exclusions

We will not cover any loss concerning, caused by or resulting from any of the following:

 a) Loss or damage, incurred by you, which is or can be recovered from any other source, including any federal, provincial or other compensation fund;

- b) Loss arising as a result of a *default* if, at the time of booking, the *travel supplier* is bankrupt, insolvent or in receivership or has sought protection from creditors under any bankruptcy, insolvency or similar legislation;
- c) Loss arising as a consequence of the bankruptcy or insolvency of a retail travel agent, agency or broker;
- d) Loss arising as a result of the default of a foreign travel supplier if the travel services to be provided by such foreign travel supplier are not part of a package tour sold to you;
- Losses incurred by an individual who has not purchased coverage for *Trip* Interruption Insurance coverage under the Senior Discovery Tours All-Inclusive Travel Insurance policy, in connection with *your trip* which resulted in such losses;
- f) Insurance purchased or trips booked after the default; or
- g) Travel services that were actually provided.

EMERGENCY MEDICAL INSURANCE

Emergency Medical Insurance coverage starts when you leave home.

Emergency Medical Insurance coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return home; or
- b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Benefits - What does *Emergency* Medical Insurance cover? *Emergency* Medical Insurance covers *you* for up to \$5,000,000 CDN of *reasonable and customary* expenses, incurred by *you* as a result of *emergency treatment* required by *you* during *your trip* if a *medical condition* begins unexpectedly after *you* leave *home*, but only if these covered expenses are not covered by *your government health insurance plan* or any other benefit plan. The medical attention must be required as part of *your emergency treatment* and ordered by a *physician* (or a dentist in the case of dental *treatment*).

In the event of an emergency, call the Assistance Centre immediately: 1 800 211-9093 toll-free from the USA and Canada or +1 (519) 251-7821 collect where available.

You must call the Assistance Centre before obtaining emergency treatment, so that we may:

- confirm coverage
- provide pre-approval of treatment.

If it is medically impossible for *you* to call prior to obtaining *emergency treatment, we* ask *you* to call or have someone call on *your* behalf as soon as possible. Otherwise, if *you* do not call the Assistance Centre before *you* obtain *emergency treatment you* will be responsible for 25% of *your* medical expenses covered under this insurance.

After your medical emergency treatment has started, the Assistance Centre must assess and pre-approve additional medical treatment. If you undergo tests as part of a medical

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investigation, treatment or surgery, obtain treatment or undergo surgery that is not pre-approved, your claim will not be paid. This includes but is not limited to MRI, MRCP, CAT Scan, CT Angiogram, sonograms, ultrasounds, Nuclear Stress Test, biopsies, Angiogram, Angioplasty, cardiovascular surgery including any associated diagnostic test(s), Cardiac Catheterization or any surgery.

Subject to the policy's maximums, exclusions and limitations, the eligible covered expenses are:

- 1. Expenses to receive emergency treatment Medical care received from a physician in or out of a hospital, the cost of a semi-private hospital room (or an intensive or coronary care unit where medically necessary and could not be omitted without adversely affecting your condition or quality of medical care), the services of a licensed private duty nurse while you are in hospital, the rental or purchase (whichever is less) of a hospital bed, wheelchair, brace, crutch or other medical appliance, tests that are needed to diagnose or find out more about your condition, and drugs that are prescribed for you and are available only by prescription from a physician or dentist.
- Expenses to receive professional services –
 Care received from a licensed chiropractor, osteopath,
 physiotherapist, chiropodist or podiatrist, up to \$300
 by profession.
- Expenses for ambulance transportation Reasonable and customary charges for local licensed ambulance service to transport you to the nearest qualified medical service provider in an emergency.
- 4. **Expenses for** *emergency* **dental** *treatment* If *you* need *emergency* dental *treatment, we* will pay:
 - up to \$300 for the relief of dental pain; and
 - if you suffer an accidental blow to the mouth, up to \$3,000 to repair or replace your natural or permanently attached artificial teeth (up to \$2,000 during your trip and up to \$1,000 to continue medically necessary treatment in the 90 days after the accident and after you return home).
- 5. Expenses to bring someone to your bedside —
 If you are travelling alone and are admitted to a hospital for 3 days or more because of a medical emergency, when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay the round-trip economy class fare via the most costeffective itinerary for someone to be with you. We will also pay up to \$300 for that person's hotel and meals and cover him/her under this Emergency Medical insurance (subject to eligibility and they must be stable for the 12 month period prior to their departure date) until you are medically fit to return home. For a child insured under this policy, this benefit is available immediately upon his/her hospital admission.
- 6. Extra expenses for meals, hotel, phone calls and taxi If a medical *emergency* prevents *you* or *your travel companion* from returning *home* as originally planned, or if *your emergency* medical *treatment* or that of *your travel companion* requires *your* transfer to a

- location that is different from *your* original destination, *we* will reimburse up to a maximum of \$300 per day and \$3,000 in total for *your* extra meals, hotel, essential phone calls, internet usage fees and taxi fares (or car rental in lieu of taxi fares). *We* will only pay for these expenses if *you* have actually paid for them.
- Expenses related to your death If you should die during your trip from an emergency covered under this insurance, we will reimburse your estate for:
 - the return *home* of *your* body (in the standard transportation container normally used by the airline), plus up to \$3,000 to have *your* body prepared where *you* die and the cost of a standard casket;
 - up to \$3,000 to have your body prepared and the cost of a standard casket or urn, plus up to \$3,000 for your burial where you die: or
 - the return home of your ashes. plus up to \$3,000 to cremate your body where you die including the cost of a standard urn.

In addition, if someone is legally required to identify *your* body and must travel to the place of *your* death, when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay the round-trip economy class airfare via the most cost-effective itinerary for that person and up to \$300 for that person's hotel and meal expenses. We will also provide that person with *Emergency* Medical insurance under the same terms and limitations of this policy for up to 72 hours.

- Expenses to bring you home If your treating physician recommends that you return home because of your emergency or if our medical advisors recommend that you return home after your emergency, when approved and arranged in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay the reasonable and customary expenses for:
 - the extra cost of an economy class fare via the most cost-effective itinerary; or
 - a stretcher fare on a commercial flight via the most cost-effective itinerary, if a stretcher is medically necessary; and
 - the return cost of an economy class fare via the most cost-effective itinerary for a qualified medical attendant to accompany you, and the attendant's reasonable fees and expenses, if this is medically necessary or required by the airline; or
 - the cost of air ambulance transportation, if this is medically necessary, is appropriate and consistent with the diagnosis and could not be omitted without adversely affecting your condition or quality of medical care.
- Expenses to return children under your care –
 If you are admitted to hospital for more than 24 hours or
 must return home because of an emergency, when
 approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will pay
 for the extra cost of the one-way economy class airfare to

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- return *your children* or grand*children home* via the most cost-effective itinerary and the return economy class airfare via the most cost-effective itinerary for a qualified escort when the airline requires it. The *children* or grand*children* must have been under *your* care during *your trip* and be covered under this policy.
- 10. Expenses for a travel companion to accompany you home If you have a travel companion and must return home because of a medical emergency, we will pay the extra cost of one-way economy class airfare via the most cost-effective itinerary for that person to accompany you home.
- 11. Expenses to return your vehicle home If because of a medical emergency, hospitalization, death or repatriation, you are unable to drive home the vehicle you used during your trip, when approved in advance by the Assistance Centre, we will cover up to the reasonable cost charged by a commercial agency to bring your vehicle home. If you rented a vehicle during your trip, we will cover its return to the rental agency.

Exclusions & Limitations – What does *Emergency* Medical Insurance not cover?

We will not pay for any losses, expenses or benefits relating to:

- A pre-existing condition. When reading this section, please take the time to review the definitions of "pre-existing condition" and "stable" at the end of this booklet.
 - We will not pay any expenses relating to a *pre-existing* condition that was not *stable* in the six (6) months before your effective date. In addition, we will not cover any expenses relating to:
 - a heart condition, if, in the six (6) months before your effective date, any heart condition has not been stable or you have taken any form of nitroglycerine for the relief of angina pain; and/or
 - a lung condition if, in the six (6) months before your effective date, any lung condition has not been stable or you required treatment with oxygen or prednisone for any lung condition.
- 2. Expenses that exceed \$25,000, if *you* do not have valid coverage under a *government health insurance plan* for the entire duration of *your trip.*
- Covered expenses that exceed the reasonable and customary charges where the medical emergency happens.
- 4. Covered expenses that exceed 75% of the cost we would normally have to pay under this insurance, if you do not contact the Assistance Centre at the time of the emergency, unless your medical condition makes it medically impossible for you to call (in that case, the 25% co-insurance does not apply).
- 5. Any *treatment* that is not for an *emergency*.
- The continued treatment of a medical condition or related condition, following emergency treatment during your trip, if our medical advisors determine that your emergency has ended.

- 7. A medical condition:
 - when you knew or for which it is reasonable to believe or expect that treatment will be required during your trip; and/or
 - for which future investigation or treatment was planned before you left home; and/or
 - which produced symptoms that would have caused an ordinarily prudent person to seek treatment in the 6 months before your effective date; and/or
 - that had caused *your physician* to advise *you* not to travel.
- 8. An *emergency* resulting from an accident that occurs while *you* are participating in:
 - any sport, snorkeling or scuba-diving when that sport, snorkeling or scuba-diving is your principal paid occupation;
 - any sport or activity indicated below:
 - any form of BASE jumping (ie: wingsuit flying);
 - hang-gliding;
 - rock climbing;
 - mountain-climbing which involves the ascent or descent of a mountain requiring the use of specialized equipment, including crampons, pickaxes, anchors, bolts, carabiners and lead or toprope anchoring equipment;
 - any competition, speed event or other high-risk activity involving the use of a motor vehicle on land, water or air, including training activities, whether on approved tracks or elsewhere.
- Your self-inflicted injuries, unless medical evidence establishes that the injuries are related to a mental health illness.
- Any claim that results from or is related to your commission or attempted commission of a criminal offence or illegal act.
- Any medical condition that is the result of you not following treatment as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.
- 12. Any *medical condition*, including symptoms of withdrawal, arising from, or in any way related to, *your* chronic use of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants whether prior to or during *your trip*.
 - Any medical condition arising during your trip from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants.
- Any loss resulting from your minor mental or emotional disorder.
- 14. routine pre-natal or post-natal care;
 - pregnancy, delivery, or complications of either, arising 9 weeks before the expected date of delivery or 9 weeks after.
- 15. Your child born during the trip.

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- 16. For insured *children* under 2 years of *age*: any *medical condition* related to a birth defect.
- 17. Any treatment, services or supplies not medically necessary, or any medical procedures and/or tests (including but not limited to MRI, MRCP, CAT Scan, CT Angiogram, Nuclear Stress Test, Angiogram or Cardiac Catheterization) not authorized by the Assistance Centre in advance. All surgery must be authorized by the Assistance Centre prior to being performed except in extreme circumstances where surgery is performed on an emergency basis.
- 18. Any further medical treatment if our medical advisors determine that you should transfer to another facility or return to your home province or territory of residence for treatment, and you choose not to.
- Any benefit that must be authorized or arranged in advance by the Assistance Centre when it has given no authorization or made no arrangement for that benefit.
- 20. An act of war or act of terrorism. Limited coverage applies with respect to an act of terrorism as described in the Act of Terrorism Coverage provision.
- 21. Any act of terrorism or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating "Avoid all nonessential travel" or "Avoid all travel" regarding the country, region or city of your destination, before your effective date.

To view the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.

This exclusion does not apply to claims for an *emergency* or a *medical condition* unrelated to the travel advisory.

BAGGAGE LOSS, DAMAGE & DELAY INSURANCE

Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay coverage starts on *your departure date*.

Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date *you* return to *your departure point*; or
- b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Benefits - What does Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay Insurance cover?

Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay Insurance covers the loss of, damage to, and delay of the baggage and effects that belong to *you* and that *you* use during *your trip*.

We will pay:

- Up to \$100 in total per trip for the replacement of a lost or stolen passport, driver's licence, birth certificate or travel visa.
- 2. Up to \$500 in total per *trip* for necessary toiletries and clothing when *your* checked luggage is delayed by the

- carrier for at least 10 hours while *you* are en route. This benefit is payable only when the delay happens before *your* return *home*.
- Up to \$300 per trip for any item or set of items which is lost, stolen or damaged during your trip to a maximum of \$1,000. Jewellery or cameras (including camera equipment) are respectively considered a single item.

Exclusions & Limitations - What does Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay Insurance <u>not</u> cover?

We will not cover expenses or benefits relating to:

- Animals, perishable items, bikes that are not checked as baggage with the common carrier, household items and furniture, artificial teeth or limbs, hearing aids, glasses of any type, contact lenses, money, tickets, securities, documents, items related to your occupation, antiques or collector items, items that are fragile, items that are obtained illegally, or articles that are insured on a valued basis by another insurer.
- Damage or loss resulting from wear and tear, deterioration, defect, mechanical breakdown, your imprudence or omission.
- 3. Unaccompanied baggage, personal property left unattended, personal property left in an unattended *vehicle* or unlocked trunk and any jewellery or cameras placed in the custody of a *common carrier*.
- 4. In instances of theft, losses unreported to authorities.
- 5. Any loss resulting from an act of war or an act of terrorism while at a destination when, an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating "Avoid all non-essential travel" or "Avoid all travel" regarding the country, region or city of your destination, before your effective date.

To view the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.

FLIGHT & TRAVEL ACCIDENT INSURANCE

Flight & Travel Accident coverage starts on *your departure date*. Flight & Travel Accident coverage ends on the earlier of:

- a) the date you return to your departure point, or
- b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Benefits - What does Flight & Travel Accident Insurance cover?

We will cover the following Flight & Travel Accident Insurance benefits:

- If an accidental injury sustained during your trip causes you to die, to become completely and permanently blind in both eyes or to have two of your limbs fully severed above your wrist or ankle joint in the 12 months after the accident, we will pay:
 - a) \$50,000 under Travel Accident insurance; or
 - b) \$100,000 under Flight Accident insurance.

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- 2. If an accidental injury sustained during your trip causes you to become completely and permanently blind in one eye or to have one of your limbs fully severed above a wrist or ankle joint in the 12 months after the accident, we will pay:
 - a) \$25,000 under Travel Accident insurance; orb) \$50,000 under Flight Accident insurance.
- If you sustain more than one accidental injury during your trip, we will pay the applicable insured sum only for the one accident that entitles you to the largest benefit amount.

For Flight Accident Insurance, the accident giving rise to *your injury* must happen:

- a) while you are travelling on a commercial passenger plane for which a ticket was issued to you for your entire airline trip; or
- b) if making a flight connection, while riding over land or water at the expense of the airline, riding in a limousine or bus provided by the airport authority, or in a scheduled helicopter shuttle service between airports; or
- while you are at an airport for the departure or arrival of the flight covered by this insurance.

Exclusions & Limitations - What does Flight & Travel Accident Insurance not cover?

We will not pay for losses or expenses incurred for, or as the result of the following:

- An emergency resulting from an accident that occurs while you are participating in:
- any sport, snorkeling or scuba-diving when that sport, snorkeling or scuba-diving is your principal paid occupation;
- any sport or activity indicated below:
 - any form of BASE jumping (ie: wingsuit flying);
 - hang-gliding;
 - rock climbing;
 - mountain-climbing which involves the ascent or descent of a mountain requiring the use of specialized equipment, including crampons, pickaxes, anchors, bolts, carabiners and lead or top-rope anchoring equipment;
 - any competition, speed event or other high-risk activity involving the use of a motor vehicle on land, water or air, including training activities, whether on approved tracks or elsewhere.
- 2. Piloting an aircraft, learning to pilot an aircraft, or acting as a member of an aircraft crew.
- 3. *Your* self-inflicted injuries, unless medical evidence establishes that the injuries are related to a mental health illness.
- Any claim that results from or is related to your or your beneficiary's commission or attempted commission of a criminal offence or illegal act.
- Any medical condition that is the result of you not following treatment as prescribed to you, including prescribed medication.

- Any medical condition, including symptoms of withdrawal, arising from, or in any way related to, your chronic use of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants whether prior to or during your trip.
 - Any medical condition arising during your trip from, or in any way related to, the abuse of alcohol, drugs or other intoxicants.
- Any loss resulting from your minor mental or emotional disorder.
- A loss caused directly or indirectly from an existing disease or body infirmity, even if the proximate cause of its activation or reactivation is the result of an accidental injury.
- 9. An act of war or act of terrorism.
- 10. Any act of terrorism or any medical condition you suffer or contract when an official travel advisory was issued by the Canadian government stating "Avoid all non-essential travel" or "Avoid all travel" regarding the country, region or city of your destination, before the effective date. To view the travel advisories, visit the Government of Canada Travel site.
 - This exclusion does not apply to claims for an *emergency* or a *medical condition* unrelated to the travel advisory.

ACT OF TERRORISM COVERAGE

Where an *act of terrorism* directly or indirectly causes *you* a loss for which benefits would otherwise be payable in accordance with the terms and conditions of this policy, this insurance will provide coverage as follows:

- We will, for all Emergency Medical Insurance and Trip Interruption Insurance coverage, provide benefits to you for your eligible expenses, subject to the maximums shown in the benefits section and this provision; and
- The benefits payable, as described directly above, are in excess to all other potential sources of recovery, including alternative or replacement travel options offered by airlines, tour operators, cruise lines and other travel suppliers and other insurance coverage (even where such other coverage is described as excess) and will only become available after you have exhausted all such other sources.

Any benefits payable pursuant to *our Emergency* Medical Insurance and *Trip* Interruption Insurance shall be subject to an overall maximum aggregate payable limit relating to all in-force travel policies issued by *us*, including this policy. If total claims otherwise payable for a type of coverage under all travel policies issued by *us*, resulting from one or more *acts of terrorism* occurring within an applicable time period, exceeds this aggregate maximum payable limit, then the amount paid on each claim shall be reduced on a pro rata basis so that the total amount paid in respect of all such claims shall be the aggregate maximum payable limit.

Terrorism Coverage

Coverage is only available for up to two (2) acts of terrorism within a calendar year and the maximum payable limit for each act of terrorism is:

Type of Insurance Coverage	Maximum Aggregate for each Act of Terrorism (CDN\$)
Emergency Medical	\$35,000,000
Trip Interruption	\$2,500,000

If, in *our* judgment, the total of all payable claims under one or more *acts of terrorism* may exceed the applicable limits, *your* prorated claim may be paid after the end of the calendar year in which *you* qualify for benefits.

Exclusion to this Act of Terrorism Coverage provision Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary within this policy or any endorsement thereto, this policy does not cover any liability, loss, cost or expense of whatsoever nature which is directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from, arising out of or in connection with any acts of terrorism perpetrated by biological, chemical, nuclear or radioactive means, regardless of any other cause contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the liability, loss, cost or expense.

WHAT ELSE DO YOU NEED TO KNOW?

This insurance is void in the case of fraud or attempted fraud, or if *you* conceal or misrepresent any material fact or circumstance concerning this insurance, either at time of application for this policy (including any request for extension of coverage for benefits), at the time of claim or at any other moment during *your* coverage period.

We will not pay a claim if you, any person insured under this policy or anyone acting on your behalf attempt to deceive us or makes a fraudulent, false or exaggerated statement or claim.

When completing the application, *your* answers must be complete and accurate. In the event of a claim, *we* will review *your* medical history. If any of *your* answers are found to be incomplete or inaccurate:

- · your coverage will be void,
- which means your claim will not be paid.

You must be accurate and complete in your dealings with us at all times.

This policy is non-participating. *You* are not entitled to share in *our* divisible surplus.

The right of any person to designate persons to whom or for whose benefit insurance money is payable is restricted.

This policy shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the province or territory of residence of the insured.

Despite any other provision contained in the contract, the contract is subject to the applicable statutory conditions in the Insurance Act, as applicable in *your* province of residence, respecting contracts of accident and sickness insurance.

Limitation of Liability

Our liability under this policy is limited solely to the payment of eligible benefits, up to the maximum amount purchased, for any loss or expense. Neither we, upon making payment under this policy, nor our agents or administrators assume any responsibility for the availability, quality, results or outcome of any treatment or service, or your failure to obtain any treatment or service covered under the terms of this policy. The participation of the insurers is several and not joint and none of them will under any circumstances participate in the interest and liabilities of any of the others.

Premium

The required premium is due and payable at the time of purchase and will be determined according to the schedule of premium rates then in effect. Premium rates and policy terms and conditions are subject to change without prior notice. Upon payment of premium, this document becomes a binding contract provided it is accompanied by a *confirmation* upon which a contract number appears and *we* have received *your* completed application prior to *your departure date*. If the premium is insufficient for the period of coverage selected, *we* will:

- 1. charge and collect any underpayment; or
- 2. shorten the policy period by written endorsement if an underpayment in premium cannot be collected.

Coverage will be null and void if the premium is not received, if a cheque is not honoured for any reason, if credit card charges are invalid or if no proof of *your* payment exists.

Subrogation

How does this insurance work with other coverages that *you* may have?

This is second payor coverage. *You* may have other in-force plans or contracts such as, but not limited to, third party liability, auto insurance, group or individual health insurance providing *hospital*, medical or therapeutic coverage. In this case, the amounts payable under this insurance are limited to that portion of *your* eligible expenses that are in excess of the amounts provided by those other in-force plans or contracts.

Total benefits paid to *you* by all insurers cannot exceed *your* actual expenses. *We* will coordinate the payment of benefits with all insurers who provide *you* with benefits similar to those provided under this insurance (except if *your* current or former employer provides *you* with an extended health insurance plan with a lifetime maximum coverage of \$50,000 or less, *we* will not coordinate payment with that coverage. If

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your lifetime maximum is more than \$50,000, we will coordinate payment), to a maximum of the largest amount specified by any such insurer.

In addition, we have full rights of subrogation. In the event of a payment of a claim under this policy, we will have the right to proceed, in your name, but at our expense, against third parties who may be responsible for giving rise to a claim under this policy. You will execute and deliver such documents as are necessary and cooperate fully with us to allow us to fully assert our rights. You must do nothing to prejudice such rights.

If you are insured under more than one insurance policy underwritten by us, the total amount we pay to you cannot exceed your actual expenses; and the maximum you are entitled to is the largest amount specified for the benefit in any one policy. If the total amount of all accident insurance you have under policies issued by us is more than \$100,000, our aggregate liability will not exceed that amount, and any excess insurance will be void and the premiums paid for such excess insurance will be refunded.

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IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY

In the event of an emergency, call the Assistance Centre immediately prior to receiving treatment:

1 800 211-9093 toll-free from the USA and Canada or
+1 (519) 251-7821 collect from anywhere else in the world.
The Assistance Centre is ready to assist you 24 hours a day, every day of the year.

Please note that if you do not call the Assistance Centre in an emergency, you will have to pay 25% of the eligible medical expenses we would normally pay under this policy (25% co-insurance).

If it is medically impossible for *you* to call when the *emergency* happens, the 25% co-insurance will not apply. In this case, *we* ask that *you* call as soon as *you* can or that someone call on *your* behalf. Do not assume that someone will contact the Assistance Centre for *you*. It is *your* responsibility to verify that the Assistance Centre has been contacted.

If at time of claim, it is discovered that *you* no longer have coverage under a *government health insurance plan*, the maximum amount payable for all eligible expenses combined will be limited to \$25,000.

If you choose to pay eligible expenses directly to a health service provider without prior approval by the Assistance Centre, these services will be reimbursed to you on the basis of the reasonable and customary charges that we would have paid directly to such provider. Medical charges that you pay may be higher than this amount; therefore you will be responsible for any difference between the amount you paid and the reasonable and customary charges reimbursed by us. Some benefits are not covered if they have not been authorized and arranged by the Assistance Centre.

To Make a Claim for Benefits

To make a claim for benefits under this policy, your written proof of claim and your fully completed Manulife Travel Insurance claim form(s) must be submitted to us within 90 days after the event, but not more than 12 months after the date of such event or loss.

More information on the documentation that must be submitted with *your* written proof of claim is provided on the following pages.

Written claims correspondence should be mailed to:

Manulife Travel Insurance/Global Excel Management c/o Active Care Management

P.O. BOX 1237, Station A, Windsor, ON N9A 6P8

Online Claims Submission

For quick and easy submission of *your* Proof of Claim, visit https://manulife.acmtravel.ca and please have all of *your* documentation available [in electronic format].

You may also call the Assistance Centre directly to inquire about your claim status at: 1 877 882-2955.

For coverage information or general enquiries, please contact Manulife Travel Customer Service at **1 866 298-2722**.

If you are making a *Trip* Interruption Insurance claim, we will need proof of the cause of the claim, including:

- a) a medical certificate completed by the attending physician and stating why travel was not possible as booked, if the claim is for medical reasons;
- a report from the police or other responsible authority documenting the reason for the delay if *your* claim is due to a misconnection.

We will also need, as applicable:

- a) complete original unused transportation tickets and vouchers;
- b) original passenger receipts for the new tickets *you* had to purchase;
- c) original receipts for the travel arrangements you had paid in advance and for the extra hotel, meal, telephone, internet usage fees, taxi fares or car rental and taxi expenses you may have had;
- d) any other invoice or receipt supporting your claim; and
- e) the entire medical files of any person whose health or *medical condition* is the reason for *your* claim.

If you are making a Default Protection claim,

we must receive written notice of the claim within sixty (60) days of the day on which the *travel supplier* announces that it is in *default. You* must submit proof of loss (including original receipts, proofs of payment to *travel suppliers*, proof of payment for insurance, unused transportation or accommodation documents and, where appropriate, evidence of claim to or reimbursement from any federal, provincial or other compensation fund, or other insurance, or any other source (including credit card companies) that is legally

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responsible or under contract to reimburse you for the cost of such undelivered travel services) no later than thirty (30) days immediately after such filing deadline.

If you are making an Emergency Medical claim, we will need:

- a) original itemized receipts for all bills and invoices:
- b) proof of payment by you and by any other benefit plan;
- c) medical records including complete diagnosis by the attending physician or documentation by the hospital, which must state that the *treatment* was appropriate and consistent with the diagnosis and could not be omitted without adversely affecting your condition and quality of medical care and cannot be delayed until your return home;
- d) proof of the accident if *you* are submitting a claim for dental expenses resulting from an accident;
- e) proof of travel (including *departure date* and return dates): and
- f) your historical medical records (if we determine applicable).

If you are making a Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay **Insurance claim,** the following conditions apply:

- 1. In the event of theft, burglary, robbery, malicious mischief, disappearance or loss of an item, vou must obtain written documented evidence from the police immediately or, if the police are unavailable, the hotel manager, tour guide or transportation authorities. You must also take all precautions to protect, save or recover the property immediately, and advise us as soon as you return home. Your claim will not be valid under this insurance if you do not comply with these conditions.
- 2. If the property you have checked with a common carrier is delayed, we will continue to provide coverage until the property is delivered by the carrier.
- 3. We cover the current actual cash value of your property when it is lost or damaged. We also reserve the option to repair or replace your property with other of similar kind, quality and value. We may also ask you to submit damaged items for an appraisal of the damage. If a lost or damaged article is part of a set, we will cover a reasonable and fair proportion of the total value of the set, but not the total value of the set.

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4. If you need to make a claim under this insurance, we will need: a) copies of reports from the authorities as proof of loss, damage or delay; and b) proof that you owned the articles, and receipts for their replacement.

If you are making a Flight & Travel Accident Insurance claim, the following conditions apply:

- 1. We will need: a) police, autopsy or coroner's report; b) medical records; and c) death certificate, as applicable.
- 2. If your body is not found within 12 months of the accident, we will presume that you died as a result of your injuries.

Who will we pay your benefits to if you have a claim? Except in the case of your death, we will pay the reasonable and customary expenses under this insurance to you or the provider of the service. Any sum payable for loss of life will be payable to *your* estate. *You* must repay *us* any amount paid or authorized by us on your behalf if we determine that the amount is not payable under your policy. All amounts shown throughout this contract are in Canadian dollars. If currency conversion is necessary, we will use our exchange

Is there anything else you should know if you have a

rate on the date *you* received the service outlined in *your*

claim. We will not pay for any interest under this insurance.

If you disagree with our claim decision, the matter may be submitted for judicial resolution under the applicable law(s) of the Canadian province or territory where you reside at the time of application for this policy.

Every action or proceeding against an insurer for the recovery of insurance money payable under the contract is absolutely barred unless commenced within the time set out in the Insurance Act, or in the Limitations Act, 2002 in Ontario, or other applicable legislation.

For the purposes of determining the validity of a claim under this policy, we may obtain and review the medical records of the attending physician(s), including the records of the regular physician(s) at home. These records may be used to determine the validity of a claim whether or not the contents of the medical records were made known to vou before vou incurred a claim under this policy. In addition, we have the right, and you shall afford us the opportunity, to have you medically examined when and as often as may reasonably be required while benefits are being claimed under this policy. If you die, we have the right to request an autopsy, if not prohibited by law.

Important telephone numbers: For coverage information, general enquiries, to apply for an extension or a refund of premium, please call the Customer Service Centre at 1 877 666-2767.

DEFINITIONS

When italicized in this policy, the term:

Act of terrorism means any activity that involves a threat to use or the actual use of violence or any dangerous or threatening act, or the use of force. Such act is directed against the general public, governments, organizations, properties or infrastructures, or electronic systems.

The intention of such activity is to:

- instill fear in the general public;
- disrupt the economy;
- intimidate, coerce or overthrow a sitting government or occupying power; and/or
- promote political, social, religious or economic objectives.

Act of war means hostile or warlike action, whether declared or not, in a time of peace or war, whether initiated by a local government, foreign government or foreign group, civil unrest, insurrection, rebellion or civil war.

Age means your age at time of application.

Change in medication means the medication dosage, frequency or type has been reduced, increased or stopped, and/or new medication(s) has/have been prescribed.

Exceptions: the routine adjustment of Coumadin, warfarin or insulin (as long as they are not newly prescribed or stopped) to test *your* blood levels; and a change from a brand name medication to a generic brand medication of the same dosage.

Child, Children means your unmarried, dependent son or daughter or your grandchild(ren) travelling with you or joins you during your trip and is either: i) under 21 years of age, ii) under 26 years of age if full-time student; or iii) your child of any age who is mentally or physically disabled. In addition, for Emergency Medical Insurance, the children must be older than 30 days of age.

Common carrier means a conveyance, (such as a bus, taxi, train, boat, airplane) which is licensed, intended and used to transport paying passengers.

Confirmation means the application for this policy and any other documents confirming *your* insurance coverage once *you* have paid the required premium; and *your trip* arrangements. It may also include tickets or receipts issued by an airline, travel agent, tour operator, rental agency, cruise line or other accommodation or travel provider with whom *you* made arrangements for *your trip*.

Default means the inability of a *travel supplier* to provide *travel services* for which *you* have contracted with the *travel supplier*, because of complete or substantially complete cessation of business by the *travel supplier* resulting directly or indirectly from bankruptcy or insolvency thereof.

Departure date means the date *you* leave for *your trip*. **Departure point** means the place *you* leave from for *your trip* and are going to return to.

Effective date means the date on which *your* coverage starts. All coverages start on *your departure date*.

Emergency means a sudden and unforeseen *medical* condition that requires immediate treatment. An emergency no longer exists when the evidence reviewed by the Assistance Centre indicates that no further treatment is required at destination or you are able to return to your province or territory of residence for further treatment.

Expiry date means the date your coverage ends.

- For *Emergency* Medical Insurance, coverage ends on the earlier of:
 - a) the date you return home; or
 - b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.
- For Trip Interruption Insurance; Baggage Loss, Damage & Delay Insurance and Flight & Travel Accident Insurance, coverage ends on the earlier of:
 - a) the date when *vou* return to *vour departure point*; or
 - b) the expiry date as shown on your confirmation.

Government health insurance plan means the health insurance coverage that a Canadian provincial or territorial government provides to its residents.

Heart condition means **ANY** disorder relating to *your* heart. Heart conditions include but are not limited to the following:

- · An abnormal cardiac test result
- Atrial fibrillation
- Chest pain or discomfort due to the heart, or angina
- Heart failure, or heart attack, or myocardial infarction, or cardiac arrest
- Heart murmur (Does not include a murmur that existed as a child if the *physician* has advised that there is no murmur as an adult.)
- Narrowing or blockage of a coronary artery, or coronary artery disease
- Prior heart surgery of any kind, including but not limited to angioplasty, bypass surgery, valvuloplasty, valve replacement, heart ablation surgery, heart transplantation or surgery for any congenital heart disorder
- Any heart valve disorder, or any rapid, or slow, or irregular heartbeats or heart rates for which a *physician* has prescribed medication, or for which there has been surgery or cardioversion
- Treatment with a pacemaker or a cardiac defibrillator device
- Water on the lungs or swelling of the ankles due to a heart disorder.

Home means *your* Canadian province or territory of residence. In the case of *Trip* Interruption, Flight and Travel Accident, and Baggage Insurance, it means the *departure point*.

Hospital means an institution that is licensed as an accredited hospital that is staffed and operated for the care and treatment of in-patients and out-patients. Treatment must be supervised by physicians and there must be registered nurses on duty 24 hours a day. Diagnostic and surgical capabilities must also exist on the premises or in facilities controlled by the establishment. A hospital is not an establishment used mainly as a clinic, extended or palliative care facility, rehabilitation facility, addiction treatment centre, convalescent, rest or nursing home, home for the aged or health spa.

Immediate family means *spouse*, parent, legal guardian, stepparent, grandparent, step-grandparent, grandchild, in-law, natural or adopted child, step-child, brother, sister, step-brother, stepsister, aunt, uncle, niece or nephew.

Injury means sudden bodily harm that is caused by external and purely accidental means, and independent of *sickness* or disease.

Key-person means someone to whom a dependent's full-time care is entrusted and who cannot reasonably be replaced, a business partner, or an employee who is critical to the ongoing affairs of *your* business, during the *trip*.

Medical condition means any disease, *sickness* or *injury* (including symptoms of undiagnosed conditions).

Definitions

Minor mental or emotional disorder means:

- · having anxiety or panic attacks, or
- being in an emotional state or in a stressful situation.

A *minor mental or emotional disorder* is one where *your treatment* includes only minor tranquilizers or minor antianxiety (anxiolytics) medication or no prescribed medication at all.

Physician means a person:

- who is not you or a member of your immediate family or your travel companion;
- licensed in the jurisdiction where the services are provided, to prescribe and administer medical treatment.

Plane means a multi-engined aircraft operated by and licensed to a regularly scheduled airline on a regularly scheduled *trip* operated between licensed airports and holding a valid Canadian Air Transport Board licence, Charter Air Carrier licence, or its foreign equivalent, and operated by a certified pilot.

Pre-existing condition means a *medical condition* that existed before *your effective date*.

Reasonable and customary means charges incurred for goods and services that are comparable to what other providers charge for similar goods and services in the same geographical area.

Rental vehicle means a passenger automobile, mini-van, self-propelled mobile home, self-propelled camper truck or self-propelled trailer that you use during your trip and rent, under a written contract, from a commercial rental agency licensed under the laws of its jurisdiction. Excluded from coverage: truck, panel van, bus, sport utility vehicle while you use it off road, automobile designed and manufactured primarily for off-road use while it is being used off road, motorcycle, moped, motorbike, recreational vehicle (other than self-propelled motor homes), all-terrain vehicle, non self-propelled camper, non self-propelled trailer, automobile that is more than 20 years old, limousine, or exotic vehicle of these or similar makes: Aston Martin, Bentley, Ferrari, Porsche or Rolls Royce.

Sickness means illness, disease, disorder or any symptom. **Spouse** means someone to whom one is legally married, or with whom one has been residing and publicly represented as a spouse.

Stable means a *medical condition* is considered *stable* when all of the following statements are true:

- there has not been any new treatment prescribed or recommended, or change(s) to existing treatment (including a stoppage in treatment), and
- there has not been any change in medication, or any recommendation or starting of a new prescription drug, and
- 3. the medical condition has not become worse, and
- 4. there has not been any new, more frequent or more severe symptoms, and
- there has been no hospitalization or referral to a specialist, and
- 6. there have not been any tests, investigation or treatment recommended, but not yet complete, nor any outstanding test results, and
- 7. there is no planned or pending *treatment*.

All of the above conditions must be met for a *medical* condition to be considered stable.

Travel companion means someone who shares *trip* arrangements with *you* on any one *trip*, up to a maximum of 5 persons including *you*.

Travel Services means transportation, sleeping accommodation or other service provided or arranged by a *travel supplier* for *your* use (but does not include taxes or insurance).

Travel Supplier means a tour operator, travel wholesaler, airline, cruise line, provider of ground transport or provider of travel accommodation or provider of other services to *you* that is:

- a) contracted to provide travel services to you; and
- b) licensed, registered or is otherwise legally authorized in the particular location of the *travel supplier* to operate and provide *travel services* as shown on *your confirmation*.

Treatment means hospitalization, a procedure prescribed, performed or recommended by a *physician* for a *medical condition*. This includes but is not limited to prescribed medication, investigative testing and surgery.

Important: Any reference to testing, tests, test results, or investigations excludes genetic tests. "Genetic test" means a test that analyzes DNA, RNA or chromosomes for purposes such as the prediction of disease or vertical transmission risks, or monitoring, diagnosis or prognosis.

Trip means the period of time between *your* effective date and expiry date as shown on *your confirmation*.

Vehicle includes any private or rental passenger automobile, boat, mobile home, camper truck or trailer home which *you* use during *your trip* exclusively for the transportation of passengers (other than for hire).

We, us, our means FNAIC in connection with risk identified with ‡ throughout this document; and Manulife in connection with all other coverages under this policy coverage.

You, yourself, your means the person(s) named as the insured(s) on the confirmation, for whom insurance coverage was applied for and for whom the appropriate premium was received by us.

Definitions

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