Graded Lifetime Indemnity for Total Disability Rider - Policy Form 1414

This is a sample policy, subject to modification in certain states.

This rider is available on policies with a To Age 65 or To Age 67 benefit period. It may provide a monthly benefit that starts when the benefit period ends.

If you are totally disabled at the end of the policy benefit period, the amount of the Lifetime Indemnity will be determined by your age at the onset of that continuous period of total disability. Berkshire Life Insurance Company of America 700 South Street Pittsfield, MA 01201

GRADED LIFETIME INDEMNITY FOR TOTAL DISABILITY RIDER

This rider is a part of the Policy to which it is attached. All provisions of the Policy apply to this rider and remain the same except where We change them by this rider.

The Policy is amended by adding or changing the following provisions:

DEFINITIONS

Lifetime Indemnity

The Lifetime Indemnity is the amount We will pay to You each month while You remain continuously Totally Disabled in the same claim after the Expiration Date of the Policy. Lifetime Indemnity is equal to the Monthly Indemnity that was payable for Total Disability in the last month of the Benefit Period multiplied by the Lifetime Indemnity Percentage.

Lifetime Indemnity Percentage

Lifetime Indemnity Percentage is determined based upon the following table:

If Your continuous Total Disability started:	The Lifetime Indemnity Percentage is:
Prior to Age 46	100%
At or after Age 46, but before Age 47	95%
At or after Age 47, but before Age 48	90%
At or after Age 48, but before Age 49	85%
At or after Age 49, but before Age 50	80%
At or after Age 50, but before Age 51	75%
At or after Age 51, but before Age 52	70%
At or after Age 52, but before Age 53	65%
At or after Age 53, but before Age 54	60%
At or after Age 54, but before Age 55	55%
At or after Age 55, but before Age 56	50%
At or after Age 56, but before Age 57	45%
At or after Age 57, but before Age 58	40%
At or after Age 58, but before Age 59	35%
At or after Age 59, but before Age 60	30%
At or after Age 60, but before Age 61	25%
At or after Age 61, but before Age 62	20%
At or after Age 62, but before Age 63	15%
At or after Age 63, but before Age 64	10%
At or after Age 64, but before Age 65	5%

This factor does not reduce benefits that may be payable prior to the end of the benefit period.

PROVISIONS RELATING TO LIFETIME INDEMNITY

At or after Age 65

Lifetime Indemnity Total Disability BenefitThis rider provides a Lifetime Indemnity for Total Disability beyond the end of the Benefit Period. We will pay the Lifetime Indemnity at the end of each month during Your continuous Total Disability, for the rest of your life if:

- You become Totally Disabled while the Policy is in force; and We paid Total Disability benefits under the Policy until the Expiration Date or the end of the Benefit Period, whichever is later; and

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- You remain continuously Totally Disabled in the same claim from the same or directly related cause or causes after the Expiration Date or the end of the Benefit Period, whichever is later; and You continue to satisfy all of the terms and conditions of the Policy.

We will not increase the Lifetime Indemnity because You are Totally Disabled from more than one cause at the

This rider does not extend the Benefit Period for the Policy or for any other rider included with the Policy. Lifetime Indemnity will not be payable under this rider for any period for which benefits are payable under the Total Disability Benefit provision of the Policy.

This rider does not extend the Maximum Benefit Period for Mental and/or Substance-Related Disorders as shown in the Schedule Page.

Proof of Loss

In addition to any Proof of Loss required by the Policy, You must continue to provide Us with written Proof of Loss necessary to establish that You remain continuously Totally Disabled.

Premium and RenewalThe premium for this rider is shown in the schedule page. You may not renew this rider after the Expiration Date of the Policy.

TERMINATION

Termination of the Lifetime Indemnity Total Disability Benefit
Benefits payable under this rider will no longer be payable when the first of the following occurs:

- You are no longer continuously Totally Disabled in the same claim from the same or directly related cause or causes; or
 Your death.

Termination of this Rider

This rider will terminate when the first of the following events occurs:

- You attain Age 65 and You are not Totally Disabled; or the premium for this rider remains unpaid for more than 31 days; or the date of Your written request to terminate this rider; or
- when Lifetime Indemnity is no longer payable.

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