[LTFRB MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2014-002, January 23, 2014]

GUIDELINES FOR IMPLEMENTING THE 2013-2015 ENHANCED PERSONAL PASSENGER ACCIDENT INSURANCE PROGRAM (PPAIP) AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Adopted: 23 January 2014 Date Filed: 27 January 2014

WHEREAS, on February 28, 2001, the Board issued **Memorandum Circular No. 2001-010** prescribing and requiring the "Passenger Personal Accident Insurance Program" (PPAIP) for Public Utility Vehicles (PUVs) nationwide. The said MC was issued by the Board pursuant to Section 5(K) of Commonwealth Act No. 146, as amended by Executive Order No. 202, which grants the LTFRB the power "To formulate, promulgate, administer, implement and enforce rules and regulations on land transportation public utilities, standards of measurements and/or design, and rules and regulations requiring operators of any public land transportation service to equip, install and provide in their utilities and in their stations such devices, equipment facilities and operating procedures and techniques as may promote safety, protection, comfort and convenience to persons and property in their charges as well as the safety of persons and property within their areas of operations".

WHEREAS, the Supreme Court upheld the validity, legality and propriety of the said LTFRB MC No. 2001-010 in the case of "Eastern Assurance and Surety Corp. (EASCO) vs. LTFRB, et al" (G.R. No. 149717, October 7, 2003).

WHEREAS, the Board adopted an enhanced and detailed benefits for the 2013-2015 Passenger Personal Accident Insurance Program (PPAIP) as enunciated in the October 2013 Instruction to Participants, to wit:

BENEFITS	AMOUNT PER PASSENGER
A. ACCIDENTAL DEATH	PHP150,000.00
B. LOSS OF TWO OR MORE LIMBS	PHP75,000.00
C. TOTAL AND IRREVOCABLE LOSS OF SIGHT IN BOTH EYES	PHP75,000.00
D. DISMEMBERMENT IN ONE LIMB	PHP30,000.00
E. TOTAL AND IRREVOCABLE LOSS OF SIGHT IN ONE EYE	PHP30,000.00
F. MEDICAL TREATMENT (WITHOUT NEED OF RECEIPTS)	PHP5,000.00
G. MAXIMUM MEDICAL TREATMENT (RECEIPTS NEEDED, EXCEPT ITEMS A-E)	PHP15,000.00

H. LOSS OF ARM, AT OR ABOVE ELBOW I. LOSS OF BOTH HANDS OR ALL FINGERS AND BOTH THUMBS J. LOSS OF ARM BETWEEN ELBOW AND WRIST K. LOSS OF HAND L. LOSS OF FOUR FINGERS PHP25,500.00 M. LOSS OF ONE THUMB PHP18,000.00 N. LOSS OF INDEX FINGER PHP9,000.00 O. LOSS OF MIDDLE FINGER PHP6,000.00 P. LOSS OF RING FINGER PHP3,000.00 Q. LOSS OF LITTLE FINGER PHP3,000.00 R. LOSS OF METACARPALS 1ST OR 2ND ADDITIONAL 3RD, 4TH AND 5TH PHP36,000.00 S. LOSS OF LEG ABOVE THE KNEE PHP36,000.00
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V. LOSS OF BIG TOE PHP3,000.00
W. LOSS OF ALL TOES IN ONE FOOT PHP9,000.00
X. LOSS OF ANY TOE OTHER THAN THE PHP600.00 BIG TOE
Y. LOSS OF HEARING FOR BOTH EARS PHP30,000.00
Z. LOSS OF HEARING FOR ONE EAR PHP4,200.00
AB. BURIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PHP10,000.00 ENROLLED DRIVER
AC. BURIAL ASSISTANCE FOR PHP10,000.00 ENROLLED CONDUCTOR
AD. ONE TIME EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE FOR ONE CHILD OF THE DECEASED DRIVER PHP5,000.00
AE. ONE TIME EDUCATIONAL PHP5,000.00 ASSISTANCE FOR ONE CHILD OF THE DECEASED CONDUCTOR
AF. CASKET FOR THE DRIVER PHP5,000.00
AG. CASKET FOR THE CONDUCTOR PHP5,000.00
AH. AMBULANCE ASSISTANCE PHP5,000.00
AI. PERMANENT TOTAL DISABILITY PHP75,000.00
AJ. BAIL BOND PHP30,000.00
AK. LEGAL ASSISTANCE SERVICES

WHEREAS, after conducting a transparent accreditation process, the Board entered into a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) on November 15, 2013 with the two (2) accredited insurance groups represented by their Lead Insurance Company and Management Company, to wit: