SSQ Financial Group

# DECLARATION OF INSURABILITY

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| Name of Employer | | |
| Name of Employee | Occupation | |
| Employee's Address | | |
| Home Telephone | Work Telephone | Best Time to Contact ☐ Home ☐ Work ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m. ☐ evening |
| Name of Applicant | | ☐ Employee ☐ Spouse ☐ Child |
| **1.** Height: _____ ft _____ in or _____ cm Weight: _____ lb or _____ kg | Date of Birth Y M D | ☐ Male ☐ Female |

**2. Name and address of your family physician or medical facility:** _____

Date and reason for last consultation: _____

Describe the symptoms that motivated this consultation: _____

Tests ordered? _____ Results? _____

Future tests recommended? _____ Treatment or medication prescribed? _____

| **3. Indicate whether you ever had symptoms, been told you have symptoms, sought medical attention or received treatment for any of the following:** | Yes | No |
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| a) Eye, ear, nose or throat disorders; | ☐ | ☐ |
| b) Dizziness, fainting, convulsions, epilepsy, headaches, paralysis, paresthesia, numbness, neurological condition, meningitis, motor neuron disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), multiple sclerosis, Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, degenerative disease; | ☐ | ☐ |
| c) Shortness of breath, persistent hoarseness or cough, coughing up blood, chronic bronchitis, pleurisy, asthma, emphysema, sleep apnea or other respiratory disorders; | ☐ | ☐ |
| d) Chest pain, palpitations, high blood pressure, rheumatic fever, heart murmur, heart attack, angina, cardiomyopathy, heart enlargement, pulmonary hypertension, abnormal ECG, stroke (CVA), transient ischemic attack (TIA), cardiac arrhythmia, peripheral vascular disease, ankle swelling, phlebitis or any other disorders of the heart or blood vessels; | ☐ | ☐ |
| e) Hepatitis, carrier of hepatitis, cirrhosis, jaundice, intestinal bleeding, ulcer, colitis, ulcerative colitis, Crohn's disease, ileitis, diverticulitis, or other disorders of the esophagus, stomach, intestine, liver or pancreas; | ☐ | ☐ |
| f) Sugar, blood, pus or protein in urine, stones or other disorders of the kidneys, bladder, prostate, testicles or reproductive organs, sexually transmitted disease, breast disorder including lumps, cysts, other physical changes or abnormal mammogram findings or biopsy; | ☐ | ☐ |
| g) Diabetes, thyroid, high cholesterol or other endocrine disorders; | ☐ | ☐ |
| h) Anxiety, depression, burnout or other psychiatric, psychological or nervous disorders, chronic fatigue syndrome, fibromyalgia, insomnia, mental retardation or other mental disorders; | ☐ | ☐ |
| i) Lupus, scleroderma, muscular dystrophy, neuritis, arthritis, rheumatism, gout or other disorders of the bones or muscles, including the spine, back, neck and joints; | ☐ | ☐ |
| j) Physical deformity, amputation, lameness or disability; | ☐ | ☐ |
| k) Cancer or tumor, cyst, polyp, mole, mass or growth, lump, skin or lymph gland disorders; | ☐ | ☐ |
| l) AIDS, positive HIV screening test or AIDS-related complex (ARC), positive result for a hepatitis B or C sceening test, anemia, immunodeficiency or other blood disorders; | ☐ | ☐ |
| m) Any mental or physical disorder not mentioned above. | ☐ | ☐ |
| **4.** Within the past 5 years, have you: | | |
| a) consulted a chiropractor, physiotherapist, psychologist, acupuncturist, audiologist, speech therapist, osteopath, podiatrist or any other health care professionnal? | ☐ | ☐ |
| b) had an electrocardiogram (resting or stress), echocardiogram, X-Ray, MRI, blood test, biopsy or any other test? | ☐ | ☐ |
| c) been a patient in a hospital or a clinic? | ☐ | ☐ |
| **5.** Are you currently taking any medications, receiving any treatment(s) or following a special diet? | ☐ | ☐ |
| **6.** Have you been advised to undergo medical treatment, be hospitalized, undergo an operation or have any tests done, which was not completed? | ☐ | ☐ |
| **7.** Do you have any signs or symptoms for which you have not sought treatment or consulted a doctor? | ☐ | ☐ |
| **8.** Within the past 5 years, have you been absent from work or had to stop your ordinary activities for a period of 7 days or more due to illness(es) or injury(ies)? | ☐ | ☐ |

**Please provide details for any question answered "YES" in questions 3 to 8. If additional space is required, please attach a separate sheet duly dated and signed.**

| Question # | Nature of disorder | Date of first occurrence | Frequency of episodes | Medication / Treatment | Date of recovery or current status |
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**Do not answer questions 9 to 17 for children under age 18**

| | Yes | No |
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**9.** a) Do you consume alcoholic beverages? If yes, quantity per week: Beer: _____ bottle(s), Wine: _____ glass(es), Hard liquor: _____ ounce(s) ☐ ☐

b) Has your level of consumption been higher in the past? If yes, state when and why you changed your consumption habits: ☐ ☐

Date: Y M Reason: _____

Previous quantity per week: Beer: _____ bottle(s), Wine: _____ glass(es), Hard liquor: _____ ounce(s)

c) Have you ever used marijuana, hashish or cannabis? ☐ ☐

If yes, quantity: _____ frequency: _____ duration: from Y M to Y M

d) Have you ever used cocaine, LSD, heroine or other narcotic drugs? ☐ ☐

If yes, type: _____ quantity: _____ frequency: _____ duration: from Y M to Y M

e) Have you ever undergone drugs or alcohol detoxification treatment or been advised to do so? ☐ ☐

If yes, date: Y M Name of Institution: _____

**10.** Within the past 12 months, have you used tobacco products such as cigarette, cigar, cigarillo or pipe or smoked drugs? ☐ ☐

**11.** Do you intend to travel or live outside Canada or the United States? ☐ ☐

If yes, date: Y M Destination: _____ Duration of trip: _____

**12.** Within the past 5 years, has your driver's licence been suspended or taken away from you? ☐ ☐

If yes, date: Y M Reason: _____

**13.** Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence or are there any charges pending against you ? ☐ ☐

If yes, date: Y M Type of criminal offence: _____ Sentence: _____

**14.** Within the past 5 years, have you practiced a high-risk activity such as mountain climbing, parachuting, motor vehicle racing, hang-gliding, scuba diving, flying in an ultra-light or privately owned aircraft or other? ☐ ☐

If yes, activity: _____ Date of most recent participation: Y M

Do you still intend to practice this activity? ☐ ☐

**15.** Has any application for insurance filled by you been refused or been modified or accepted with an extra premium or exclusion? ☐ ☐

If yes, date: Y M Reason: _____ Insurer: _____

**16. Family history** Do any of the family members suffer or have they ever suffered from heart disease, primary pulmonary hypertension, cancer, diabetes, polycystic kidney disease, mental illness, stroke, cerebrovascular disease, neurological conditions, motor neuron disease, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis (ALS), multiple sclerosis, Alzheimer's disease, Parkinson's disease, Huntington's disease, haemophilia, muscular dystrophy or any other hereditary disorder? ☐ ☐

If yes, provide details:

| | Illness(es) | Age at onset | Age if alive | Age at death | | Illness(es) | Age at onset | Age if alive | Age at death |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Father | | | | | Brother(s) | | | | |
| Mother | | | | | Sister(s) | | | | |

**17. For women only:**

Are you currently pregnant? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, a) Expected due date: Y M

b) Are you experiencing any complications with the pregnancy? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, provide details: _____

c) Is the delivery anticipated to be normal? Yes ☐ No ☐ If no, provide details: _____

**MIB, Inc.**

Information regarding your insurability will be treated as confidential. SSQ, Life Insurance Company Inc. or its reinsurers may, however, make a brief report thereon to the MIB, Inc., formerly known as Medical Information Bureau, a not-for-profit membership organization of insurance companies, which operates an information exchange on behalf of its members. If you apply to another MIB member company for life or health insurance coverage, or a claim for benefits is submitted to such a company, MIB, upon request, will supply such company with the information about you in its file.

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## DECLARATION AND AUTHORIZATION TO OBTAIN AND TO DISCLOSE PERSONAL INFORMATION TO OTHERS

I hereby declare that I have read this statement and I certify that the answers recorded above are full, complete, true and consistent with the statements I have made. I understand that these answers shall form the basis of the insurance contract. I also understand that any misrepresentation or concealment on my part may lead to insurance being cancelled. I acknowledge that I have kept a complete and duly signed copy of this form.

I have read both notices above regarding personal information protection and the MIB, Inc. and I concur with the contents thereof.

I hereby authorize SSQ, Life Insurance Company Inc., SSQ, Insurance Company Inc., its mandataries, its service providers and its reinsurers, as required for determining insurability and for insurance management, including claim settlement purposes:

a) to obtain information, solely to the extent required for processing my file, from any individual or corporation, or any public or parapublic organization which has personal information about me or about my dependents, according to the terms of the contract, including any physician or health care professional, any medical or paramedical facility, the MIB, Inc. and any other insurer; and

b) to only disclose the personal information that they may have about me or about my dependents, according to the terms of the contract, to the extent required, to such individual or organization.

A copy of this authorization shall be as valid as the original. This authorization shall be valid only for the period necessary to effect the purposes stated herein.

**X** Date: Y M D **X** Signature of Applicant: _____

(Parent or guardian if for a child under age 18)