

MODALITIES FOR FULL COMPREHENSIVE INSURANCE FOR WORKING JOURNALISTS IN ANDHRA PRADESH

1. Government have issued orders, vide G.O.Rt.No. 570, GA (I&PR) Dept., Dt:11.3.2016, for implementation of Full Comprehensive Insurance Scheme to the working Journalists.
2. All the accredited journalists of Andhra Pradesh are eligible for coverage under the scheme. Further, any working journalist in print media of AP (as defined in Working Journalists Act) and Output Editor / News Coordinator / Producer / Anchor working in electronic media of AP are eligible on production of valid ID proof issued by the management for coverage.
3. The scheme is not applicable to family members of the Journalists.
4. The sum assured under the scheme is Rs.10.00 lakhs per year.
5. The benefits of the Personal Accident Insurance with Extended cover and Medical Extension are:

S.No.	Claim	Benefit
1.	Death	Rs.10.00 lakhs
2.	Permanent Total Disablement	Rs.10.00 lakhs
3.	Permanent Partial Disablement	Amount will be paid as per the percentage of permanent partial disablement as specified in the policy
4.	Temporary Total Disablement	Weekly benefit upto Rs.5000/- for a maximum of 104 weeks
5.	Ambulance charges for carriage of dead body to place of residence.	Rs.1000/-
6.	Education Fund for dependent children following Death or Permanent Total disablement	Rs.5000/- per child subject to maximum of Rs.10,000/-
7.	Medical Expenses due to accident (Up to 10% of the sum Insured or 40% of the admissible claim whichever is less	In addition to the insured claim, the working journalists are also eligible for medical expenses due to accidents. The maximum amount, Insurance Company will pay towards medical expenses is 10% of the sum assured (Rs.1.00 Lakh) or 40% of the admissible claim whichever is less.

- I. The scheme will be implemented from 1.5.2016 to 30.4.2017.
- II. The Journalists shall have to pay a premium of Rs.198/- towards Journalist share in the bank account of concerned DPRO to be opened for this purpose.

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- III. They shall submit the prescribed application form duly filled in along with counterfoil in original as proof of payment, to the DDs/ ADs/ DPROs concerned within the stipulated time. They shall write the name, mobile number, organization etc., on the reverse of the counterfoil.
- IV. The last date for submission of the applications in DPRO's office is 12th April 2016.
- V. The last date for submission of applications by the DPROs in excel format along with contribution amount to be paid to the Commissionerate along with consolidated single demand draft or by way of transfer by 16th April, 2016.
- VI. The share of premium is 50:50 by the government and Journalists.
- VII. In the case of journalists not possessing accreditation card, they have to enclose the latest ID proof along with the application.
- VIII. The Journalists shall fill up the particulars in the prescribed application form supplied by the Insurance Company.
- IX. On receipt of premium from the Journalists, the Dy. Directors/ Asst. Directors/ DPROs shall furnish the consolidated list in the format enclosed as Annexure-I, along with original application form duly retaining one copy with them.

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COMMISSIONER

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