

authorized and directed to accept service of process on behalf of the Underwriters in any suit and/or upon the request of the Assured to give a written undertaking to the Assured that they will enter a general appearance upon Underwriters' behalf in the event a suit shall be instituted.

Further, pursuant to any statute of any state, territory or district of the United States which makes provision therefore, Underwriters hereby designate the Superintendent, Commissioner or Director of Insurance, or other specified for that purpose in the statute, or his successor or successors in office, as their true and lawful attorney upon whom may be served any lawful process in any action, suit or proceeding instituted by or on behalf of the Assured or any beneficiary hereunder arising out of this contract of insurance, and hereby designate the above-named as the person to whom the said officer is authorized to mail such process or a true copy thereof.

8. This Policy may be cancelled on the short rate basis at the written request of the Assured. This Policy may also be cancelled with or without the return or tender of the unearned premium, by or on behalf of the Underwriters, by delivering to the Assured or by sending to the Assured by mail, registered or unregistered, at the address of the Assured stated in the schedule hereto, not less than ten days written notice stating when cancellation shall be effective, and in such case the Underwriters shall refund the paid premium less the earned portion thereof on demand. If the period of limitation relating to the giving of notice is prohibited or made void by any law controlling the construction hereof, such period shall be deemed to be amended so as to be equal to the minimum period of limitation permitted by such law.
9. If the Assured shall prefer any claim knowing the same to be false or fraudulent, as regards amount or otherwise, this Policy shall become void and all claim hereunder shall be forfeited.