

INFORMATION CIRCULAR

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CATEGORY: INSURANCE

TO: | Managing General Agents, Associate General Agents, Advisors, General Agents and National

Accounts

SUBJECT: Fast & Full[®] Life App. earns 10% more than paper – new promotion

Effective February 15, 2018, we are increasing first year commission rates for life insurance sales submitted through our Fast & Full Life Application by up to 5% FYC compared to paper applications, which means the amount of first year commissions can be 10% more for Fast & Full Life App. sales vs paper. This additional first year commission is eligible for basic bonus commission. There is no change to the commission rate for additional benefits.

New Fast & Full Life App promotion details

- First year commission rates on sales submitted through our Fast & Full Life App. are up to 5% FYC more compared to first year commission rates for sales via paper applications.
- The following table summarizes first year commission rates for sales submitted via paper versus Fast & Full Life App.

| | Policy Year 1 (FYC) Commission Rate | |
|---|--|-------------|
| Product | Paper | Fast & Full |
| EstateMax & Optimax Wealth Life Pay & 20 Pay | 50% | 55% |
| EstateMax & Optimax Wealth 8 Pay & Solution ART | 25% | 27.5% |
| Solution 10 & Solution 20 | 45% | 50% |
| Solution 30 & Solution 100 | 50% | 55% |
| CI Protect & CI Protect Plus | 45% | 50% |
| Additional benefits | 70% | 70% |

There are no commission rate changes for additional benefits or policy years other than the first policy year.*

What's new on Fast & Full?

Our latest enhancement, PAD-on-Approval, allows for payment of the initial premium by Pre-Authorized Debit
upon application approval. It is ideal for owners who want confirmation of application approval prior to paying
the first premium and the application is not eligible for auto-approval and does not include temporary
insurance coverage.

Benefits of Fast & Full

- Features like PAD-on-Approval and eContract Delivery speed up the application and contract delivery process and allow Advisors to focus on growing their business.
- Saves time and can result in applications being settled faster (3 days vs. 24 days for paper applications**).
- eContract Delivery reduces paper and courier costs, with the potential for contract delivery within 24 hours of Empire Life receiving an auto approved application.***

Reference

Mike Stocks, Vice President and Chief Marketing Officer, Retail

^{*} This promotion can be withdrawn by Empire Life at any time.

^{**} Time to issue policy for Fast & Full Life Applications using eHQ that receive auto-approval vs. paper applications, Jan-Dec 2017 - Empire data on file.

^{***} Available on coverage amounts up to \$499,999, ages 18-49.