



The Prudential Insurance Company of America
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General Information and Instructions *(Read the instructions about the change(s) you wish to make)*

- Review the accuracy of any pre-filled information. **Initial any corrections or deletions that you make to the preprinted text. If you do not, we may not be able to act upon your request.**
- Return the completed form in its entirety. **Do not send us your policy.**
- We will record the change(s) and send a confirmation.
- On these pages, *me, my, you, your, and I* refer to the owner(s). *We, us, and our* refer to the Prudential company that issued the policy.
- **This form does not provide for every arrangement. If the arrangement you want is not on this form, please contact our Customer Service Office.**

Changing Your Beneficiary *(Complete the Request to Change Beneficiary section)*

1. To help facilitate payment when a claim is made, we need to have certain information about each beneficiary. The information we request for each beneficiary helps us identify and locate the beneficiary for payment. We recognize the confidential nature of the information requested, and we assure you that this information is for our internal use only and will not be shared.
2. Proceeds will be paid in a lump sum unless indicated otherwise in the **Additional/Special Beneficiary Requests** section. If information about a different method of payment was requested, we have enclosed **A Word About Settlement Options**. If you have not received it, contact our Customer Service Office.
3. It is important to understand the difference between primary (class 1), contingent (class 2), and tertiary (class 3) categories of beneficiaries.
 - **Primary beneficiaries** will receive any proceeds payable at the insured's death.
 - If no primary beneficiary survives the insured, the **contingent beneficiaries** will receive any proceeds.
 - If neither primary nor contingent beneficiaries survive the insured, **tertiary beneficiaries** will receive any proceeds.
4. If there is more than one beneficiary in the same class, they will be paid in equal shares or to the survivor(s) of them, unless specified otherwise.
5. **Testamentary Trust** (i.e., a trust that is established under a will) – A Testamentary Trust should only be named as a beneficiary if the insured's last will and testament provides for the establishment of a trust. The death benefit can only be paid to a Testamentary Trust if the trust is named in the will and the will is probated. If the Insured's last will and testament is not admitted to probate, under the terms of the beneficiary arrangement, we will not be able to pay the claim to the contingent beneficiary (or the insured's estate if no contingent is named) until 18 months after the Insured's death (or if permitted by law, a shorter period as requested in the **Additional/Special Beneficiary Requests** section.)
6. Our responsibility for the payment of the proceeds to a Trust ends with payment made to the Trustee(s); we have no responsibility regarding any subsequent distribution made by the Trustee(s).

Special Beneficiary Designations *(Use the Additional/Special Beneficiary Requests section)*

For the following designations, include the information shown in the quotations (as well as any other identifying information described in this section.)

1. **Children as a group.** (This would include any legally adopted children.) Write *"Children of the insured."*
2. **Children by representation.** (We do not use the term "per stirpes" in our beneficiary designations.)
If a child is not living and therefore not eligible to receive payment, and if any such child's share is to be distributed equally to his or her surviving children, then write: *"his (or her) children by representation"* next to any beneficiary this will apply to.
For children as a group write *"children of the Insured, their children by representation."*
3. **Creditor Beneficiary or Funeral Home.**
 - a. *"(Business Name), of (city, state), its successors or assigns, creditor, as its interest may appear."* For entities other than a corporation omit 'its successors or assigns'. or
 - b. *"(Individual's name), his/her estate, creditor of the Insured, as his/her interest may appear."*
 For any creditor arrangement, be sure to indicate who is to receive any balance. *"Pay balance, if any, to Jane Smith, wife."*
4. **Dollars and Balance Arrangements. Note: Only one dollar amount can be shown.**
 - *"Pay \$80,000, or the proceeds, if less, to Jane Doe, wife, and the balance, if any, to John Doe, son."*

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Special Beneficiary Designations (Use the *Additional/Special Beneficiary Requests* section) (continued)

5. Percentages and Fractions.

- Percentage arrangement: "Pay 75% to Jane Doe, wife, and 25% to John Doe, son."
- Fraction arrangement: "Pay $\frac{3}{4}$ to Jane Doe, wife, and $\frac{1}{4}$ to John Doe, son."

In the examples above, if Jane Doe is not living when the insured dies, her share will not be payable to John Doe. If you want that share to be paid to the other beneficiary (or to someone else), then write:

"Pay 75% to Jane Doe, wife, if living, otherwise to John Doe, son; and 25% to John Doe, son, if living, otherwise Jane Doe, wife."

6. Short Term Survivorship Provision.

If this provision is chosen, any beneficiary who dies after the insured (but within the period of days you specify) will be considered to have died before the insured. The specified period (from 1 to 30 days) must be indicated, as follows:

"Include Short Term Survivorship Provision of (1 to 30) days."

For Kentucky Residents – Additional Information Regarding the Beneficiary Change

The State of Kentucky prohibits a beneficiary from collecting benefits under an insurance policy if convicted of taking the life of the decedent or of certain felonies involving abuse, neglect or financial exploitation of the decedent resulting in a loss to the decedent of more than \$300 in financial or other resources, or both.

The forfeiture will not occur if:

- The insurance policy was executed prior to January 1, 2012.
- The felony was committed prior to January 1, 2012.
- The decedent, knowing of that person's conviction, reaffirms that person's right to receive the policy benefits by executing a new policy, or requesting a beneficiary change on an existing policy, which names that person as a beneficiary.

If a forfeiture occurs, and there are no other beneficiaries, the forfeited interest shall be paid to the State for deposit into the elder and vulnerable adult victims trust fund.

Changing the Owner (Complete the *Request for Ownership Change* section or the *Request for Trust Ownership* section)

A change in ownership in and of itself does not affect the interest of any beneficiary designated to receive the proceeds payable at the insured's death. A specific request to change the beneficiary designation is required. Also, because of possible tax implications, you should consider making the beneficiary and ownership arrangements the same.

An ownership change will not affect the rights of any collateral assignee we know of.

If a minor is named as owner, that minor may not exercise ownership rights except as permitted by law.

For a policy that currently provides for the insured to automatically become the owner at age 21 (Juvenile Policy) – the ownership change requested on this form will alter this arrangement so that the insured will not automatically become the owner at age 21. To retain the automatic transfer of ownership to the insured at age 21, please contact our Customer Service Office.

Important Tax Information (When ownership is being changed)

The new owner must give the **taxpayer identification number** in the **Tax Certification for Change of Ownership** section. For an individual, this is his or her Social Security number. If joint owners are named, the one who is assuming tax reporting responsibility should complete the **Tax Certification for Change of Ownership** section. Note: *Any new owner must provide tax-related information and will be responsible for any future tax consequences of the policy.*

New owners must tell us if they have received notice from the Internal Revenue Service of being subject to **backup withholding** because they did not report all taxable interest and dividends on a filed tax return. A taxpayer is not subject to backup withholding if (a) no such notice was received from the IRS, or (b) if the IRS recently told the taxpayer that he or she is no longer subject to a backup withholding order. New owners must check the appropriate box in the **Tax Certification for Change of Ownership** section.

New owners may be subject to **IRS penalties** if they fail to provide a correct taxpayer identification number, fail to report taxable interest or dividends on a filed tax return, or give false tax information.

Limiting the Owner's Rights (This is not available for *Intermediate* or *Weekly Premium* policies)

You may limit all or just certain rights. Please contact our Customer Service Office for further instructions.

Important Notice – Civil Union Act

If your state has enacted a Civil Union Act or similar legislation, which provides that parties treat civil unions and marriages equally in all aspects, we are providing this notice to confirm that we comply with all states Civil Union Acts or similar legislation.



Request to Change Beneficiary/Ownership on Life Insurance Policies

Please print using blue or black ink.

Initial any corrections or deletions that you make to the preprinted text.

About Your Policy

You can use this form to make changes to more than one policy as long as each policy insures the same person(s) and has the same owner, and you are requesting the same changes for each policy.

Policy number(s) (eight or nine characters)

Name of insured (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Name of joint insured, if any (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Has your mailing address, telephone number(s), or e-mail address changed?

Complete this section only if you are requesting a permanent change in your mailing address, have a new telephone number(s), or e-mail address.

Full address _____

Telephone number: Home _____ Mobile (Cell) _____

e-mail address _____

Mailing Instructions

Unless otherwise indicated in this section, confirmation of the change(s) will be mailed to the owner at the address in our records.

Name of Recipient of confirmation (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Full address _____

Request to Change Beneficiary (This revokes all prior beneficiary designations)

All beneficiaries need to be restated even if they are not being changed. For example, if you are changing only the contingent beneficiary, you must restate the primary beneficiary. If more space is needed for additional beneficiaries, use the **Additional/Special Beneficiary Requests** section.

A. To name **individual beneficiary(ies)**, complete the following:

Primary **Contingent** **Tertiary**

Name (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Relationship to insured _____ Date of birth _____ Soc. Sec. no. _____

Full address _____

Telephone number: Home _____ Mobile (Cell) _____

e-mail address _____

Primary **Contingent** **Tertiary**

Name (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Relationship to insured _____ Date of birth _____ Soc. Sec. no. _____

Full address _____

Telephone number: Home _____ Mobile (Cell) _____

e-mail address _____

Primary **Contingent** **Tertiary**

Name (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Relationship to insured _____ Date of birth _____ Soc. Sec. no. _____

Full address _____

Telephone number: Home _____ Mobile (Cell) _____

e-mail address _____

Request for Ownership Change (To name a trust, refer to the Request for Trust Ownership section)

If more space is needed use the **Special Ownership Request** section. The new owner should complete the **Tax Certification for Change of Ownership** section.

A. To name an **individual(s) as owner(s)**, check one box and complete the **Owner(s) Information** below.

- The insured**, while living, otherwise his or her estate.
- One owner**, otherwise owner's estate.
- One owner**, otherwise the insured, otherwise the estate of last owner to die (if applicable).
- Successive owners**, otherwise estate of last owner to die.
- Successive owners**, otherwise the insured, otherwise the estate of last owner to die (if applicable).
- Joint owners**, otherwise survivor(s), otherwise estate of last owner to die.
- Joint owners**, otherwise survivor(s), otherwise the insured, otherwise the estate of last owner to die (if applicable).

Owner(s) Information (For successive owners, name in order of priority. For joint owners, the owner that will receive all notices and will assume tax reporting responsibilities should be shown first. If joint owners are named, all will need to sign for any subsequent requests.)

Name (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Relationship to insured _____ Date of birth _____ Soc. Sec. no. _____

Full address _____

Telephone number: Home _____ Mobile (Cell) _____

e-mail address _____

Name (first, middle initial, last name) _____

Relationship to insured _____ Date of birth _____ Soc. Sec. no. _____

Full address _____

Telephone number: Home _____ Mobile (Cell) _____

e-mail address _____

Note: If only one name is shown above, but no box is checked, we will assume that the desired arrangement is "one owner, otherwise owner's estate."

B. To name a **business/organization**, complete the following:

Name of business/organization _____

Full address _____

Telephone # _____ e-mail address _____

Type of **business/organization**

<input type="checkbox"/> Corporation	<input type="checkbox"/> Partnership	<input type="checkbox"/> Sole Proprietorship
<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Liability Company	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	

Name of sole proprietor (if applicable) _____

The new owner should complete the **Tax Certification for Change of Ownership** section.

Special Ownership Request

Use this section to explain any special ownership request, to request a limitation of rights, or to include additional information.

If you use this space for additional owners, please provide the full name, relationship to the insured, date of birth, social security number, address, home and/or mobile (cell) telephone number(s), e-mail address, and whether the owner is a primary owner or successive owner.

Initial any corrections or deletions that you make to the preprinted text.

Request for Trust Ownership (Complete this section when ownership is changing to a trust)

A. Name of current trustee(s) _____

Date of trust agreement ____/____/____

Name of trust _____

Name of grantor(s) _____

Relationship of the grantor(s) to the insured _____

Trust address _____

Telephone # _____ e-mail address _____

Trust is: (check one) irrevocable revocable (If the trust is not in effect, the owner(s) will be the grantor or the grantor's estate, or for multiple grantors, the grantors jointly with the right of survivorship.)

Either complete section B below, or submit the trust agreement, or submit a Certification of Trust where permitted by state law.

B. The trustee(s) certify(ies) that the trust is in effect and that the trustee(s) may, with respect to the policy(ies) listed in the **About Your Policy** section:

- Invest trust funds in the policy(ies). • Exercise all rights of ownership and control. • Be named as owner.

If there is more than one trustee, this statement (as well as any forms required to exercise any rights under the policy[ies]) must be signed by all the trustees, unless the terms of the trust agreement or any applicable state law provide otherwise. Indicate below who is authorized to sign for changes, requests, etc.

- All trustees must sign.
- Any trustee may sign alone.
- The majority of trustees must sign.
- _____ alone, is the only person authorized to act.
- Other (please explain) _____

The trustee(s) agree(s) that life insurance policy transactions based on the above statements will be the sole responsibility of the trustee(s) and not of Prudential or the subsidiary that issued the policy.

X _____ X _____
Trustee signature Current date mo/day/yr Trustee signature Current date mo/day/yr

X _____ X _____
Trustee signature Current date mo/day/yr Trustee signature Current date mo/day/yr

Tax Certification for Change of Ownership (See the **Important Tax Information** instructions for information on this section)

The new owner must complete (a) or (b) below.

(a) Under penalties of perjury, I certify that my correct taxpayer identification number is:

New owner's Social Security number _____ - _____ - _____ New owner's date of birth _____
— or — month / day / year

New owner's employer identification number _____ - _____

I am not subject to backup withholding for the reasons stated in the Important Tax Information instructions.

(Check the box below only if you are subject to backup withholding.)

I have been notified by the Internal Revenue Service that I am subject to backup withholding due to underreporting of interest or dividends.

(b) I am not a U.S. person (including resident alien). I am a citizen of _____
Attach the applicable IRS Form W-8(BEN, ECI, EXP, IMY).

Please refer to the Signature(s)/Signature Requirements section.

X _____
New owner's signature Date signed month/day/year

Signer's title (for business/trust owner only)

Business/Trust name (if applicable)

Signature(s)/Signature Requirements (Always complete)

Your request cannot be processed without the correct signature(s), date, and applicable documentation.

- For **individual policyowner(s)**, the person (or persons if there are joint owners) that owns the policy must sign.
- For **corporations**, an authorized officer must sign. Be sure to include the title of the officer and the company name.
 - If **president** – no additional requirements
 - If **vice president** – for policies over \$1,000,000, provide a Corporate Secretary’s statement reflecting the vice president’s authority to sign
 - If **any other officer** – provide a corporate resolution
- For **limited liability companies (LLC)**, a copy of the document that identifies who is authorized to act on behalf of the LLC (e.g. operating agreement) **must** be submitted. The individual(s) authorized to act should sign and include his/her title and the company name.
- For **partnerships (LP, LLP, and LLLP)**, the form should be signed by at least two general partners, followed by the title “general partner” after each signature. If the company only has one general partner, then the sole general partner should sign followed by the title “sole general partner”. Also, include the company name.
- For **sole proprietorships**, submit the signature of the owner, followed by “doing business as (company name), a sole proprietorship.”
- For **trusts**, the trustee(s) must sign and include the title “trustee” after their signature. The name of the trust must also be indicated in the space provided for Business/Trust name. All trustees must sign unless the trust itself or state law provides otherwise.
- A **holder of a power of attorney** for the policyowner must sign the form and include the title “attorney-in-fact for (owner’s name).” In addition, a copy of the power of attorney papers must be submitted along with the request.
- For **guardian (conservator) of the estate** - sign as “guardian of the estate of (name of ward)”. A copy of the guardianship papers must also be submitted. Depending on the rights granted by the guardianship papers or the state, a court order authorizing the change may also be required.
- For a policy containing a **limitation of rights**, the person or entity in whose favor the rights have been limited must also sign.

If an ownership change has been requested, new owner must complete the Tax Certification for Change of Ownership section. Transferring ownership may have tax consequences. Because each situation is unique, neither we nor our representatives can provide tax advice. We suggest that you consult with your attorney or other tax advisor regarding any tax implications which may arise from this request.

By signing this form, I:

- certify that I am authorized to sign this form,
- certify that the change(s) being requested are not subject to, or in conflict with, any prior agreement, legal proceeding, or court/administrative order, which restrict, limit, or otherwise prohibit such change(s), including, but not limited to divorce or bankruptcy proceedings,
- authorize all request(s) made on this form, both preprinted and handwritten, which are subject to the terms and conditions of the policy,
- request a waiver of any policy provision that requires me to send Prudential the policy for endorsement of the change(s),
- certify that the policy(ies) is/are in my possession and that no other person has any claim or interest in it/them, except for a collateral assignee under any assignment now on record with Prudential,
- certify that if the owner is a corporation or partnership, that it is not under receivership, trusteeship, or conservatorship, and/or has not been dissolved, and if a partnership, that no notice of disassociation has been filed by any partner, and
- understand that any endorsement that Prudential may issue will conform to its rules and practices.

X _____
Current owner’s signature Date signed month/day/year

X _____
Current joint owner’s signature(s) (if applicable) Date signed month/day/year

Signer’s title (for business/trust owned only) Business/Trust name (if applicable)

For Massachusetts residents only

State law requires that a disinterested adult, who is not a party to the policy, witness any request to change the beneficiary arrangement. Your Prudential representative may sign as a witness.

X _____
Witness’ signature (Massachusetts only)