

# SOOKSHMA LITE PROSPECTUS/SALES LITERATURE

## Introduction

This prospectus gives basic information about the **Sookshma Lite** Policy that You can purchase from Us, i.e. the **Generali Central Insurance Company Limited**. The **Sookshma Lite** Policy provides insurance cover for physical loss or damage to, or destruction of, Insured Property relating to Your business.

This policy is meant for enterprises where the total value at risk across all insurable asset classes at one location <u>does not exceed ₹ 5 Crore (Rupees Five Crore)</u> at the policy commencement date.

# **Important Dos and Don'ts**

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1.	While filling up the Proposal Form	<ul> <li>Read the instructions in the proposal form carefully before filling up the details.</li> </ul>		
	Troposarr um	<ul> <li>Understand the basis for arriving at the Sum Insured for Building, Plant and Machinery, Furniture, Fixtures, Fittings, Stocks and other Contents before filling up the details. This is given below in this Prospectus under the heading 'Sum Insured'. It is also explained in the Proposal Form.</li> <li>Make sure You have opted for the correct policy based on the total Sum Insured.</li> <li>Fill up the proposal form completely and answer all the questions truthfully.</li> </ul>		
2.	During the Policy Period	<ul> <li>Make full disclosure in the proposal and related documents about Yourself and all the Insurable Assets.</li> <li>Remember, the information You give Us is the basis of Our contract with You.</li> <li>You must inform Us of any changes in the business premises or if it remains unoccupied for more than 30 days.</li> <li>Do not allow unauthorised persons to occupy Your premises.</li> <li>Ensure that all security procedures are in force.</li> </ul>		
3.	When You have a Claim	<ul> <li>Give notice of loss to Us, as required.</li> <li>Inform the respective authorities, as required.</li> <li>Make true and full disclosures in Your claim form.</li> <li>Give all documents supporting the claim.</li> <li>Give full cooperation for inspection and investigation of claim.</li> </ul>		

#### The Insurance Cover

In this Prospectus, You will find information about the following insurance covers:

1. **Standard Cover:** We cover physical loss or damage, or destruction caused to the building and structures, plant and machinery, stock and other assets relating to Your business. These are the Insured Properties.

If any Insured Property is lost, damaged or destroyed, We provide cover as follows-

Your Loss	Condition	We pay, but not more than
		the Sum Insured



Any Insured Property is damaged (Partial Loss)	You have repaired such property.	Cost of repairs
If any Insured Stock is damaged (Partial Loss)		Extent of the loss of such Partial Loss
Any Building or Plant and Machinery or Furniture, Fixture, Fittings is completely destroyed (Total Loss)	You have rebuilt the building or reinstated /replaced such property	Reinstatement /Replacement Value (i.e amount at which the Insured Property can be reinstated or replaced by a similar property, without deducting depreciation)
Stock is completely destroyed (Total Loss)		a) For raw material: Landed Cost at Your Premises, b) For stock in process: Input Cost of the stock at the time of damage, c) For finished stock: the Manufacturing Cost of the finished stock or the Contract Price of goods sold but not delivered.
Any Building, Plant and Machinery, Furniture, Fixture and Fittings is completely destroyed (Total Loss)	You have not rebuilt the building or reinstated other property.	Market Value (Reinstatement Value less Depreciation)

- You must commence the repairs, reinstatement or reconstruction within a reasonable time
  after the date of damage or destruction. You must complete the repairs or reinstatement
  within 12 months from the date of damage or destruction or within such time as We may
  allow.
- ii. In all cases, We will not pay more than the relevant Sum Insured.
- iii. We will pay only to the extent required to bring the Property to a condition substantially the same as, but not superior, better or more extensive than its condition if it were new on the date it is damaged or destroyed.
- iv. You can reconstruct the new building on the same site, or another site. If You reconstruct the new building on another site, We will not pay You more than what We would pay to reconstruct on the same site.
  - 2. In-built Covers: Under the Standard Cover, We also pay the following:

	In-built Cover	Details
1.	Additions, alterations or extensions	Property that You erect, acquire or add during the Policy Period is covered upto 15% of the Sum Insured for that item (excluding stocks).
2.	Stocks on floater basis	,
3.	Temporary removal of stocks	Loss to stock temporarily removed to other premises for fabrication, processing or finishing upto 10% of value.
4.	Cover for Specific Contents	Cover for Money upto ₹50,000 (Rupees Fifty Thousand) during the policy period, cover for documents such as deeds, manuscripts, business books, plans, drawings, securities etc. upto ₹50,000 (Rupees Fifty Thousand) during the policy period,



		cover for computer programmes, information and data upto ₹5 Lakh (Rupees Five Lakh) during the policy period and cover for personal effects of employees, Directors and visitors upto ₹15,000 (Rupees Fifteen Thousand) per person for a maximum of 20 persons during the policy period.	
5.	Start-Up Expenses	Start-up cost incurred by You in respect of insured risk consequent upon a loss or damage due to insured events upto ₹ 1 Lakh (Rupees One Lakh).	
6.	Professional fees	Reasonable fees of architects, surveyors and consulting engineers upto 5 % of the claim amount.	
7.	Cost for Removal of debris	Reasonable expenses for removal of debris upto 2 % of the claim amount.	
8.	Costs compelled by Municipal Regulations	Additional cost of reconstruction of property incurred solely for complying with municipal regulations.	

# Which unexpected events are covered?

We pay for the physical loss, damage or destruction caused to Insured Property by the following unforeseen events occurring during the Policy Period.

The events covered are given in the Column A and those not covered in respect of these events are given in Column B.

	Column A	Column B
	<b>We cover</b> physical loss or damage, or destruction caused to the Insured Property by	We do not cover loss or damage, or destruction caused to the Insured Property by
1.	Fire, including due to its own fermentation, or natural heating or spontaneous combustion.	caused by a. its undergoing any heating or drying process, or b. burning of Insured Property by order of any Public Authority.
2.	Explosion or Implosion	a. caused to boilers, economizers or other vessels, machinery or apparatus in which steam is generated, or their contents, resulting from their own explosion or implosion, or b. caused by centrifugal forces.
3.	Lightning	-
4.	Earthquake, volcanic eruption, or other convulsions of nature	-
5.	Storm, Cyclone, Typhoon, Tempest, Hurricane, Tornado, Tsunami, Flood and Inundation,	-
6.	Subsidence of the land on which Your Premises stand, Landslide, Rockslide	caused by a. normal cracking, settlement or bedding down of new structures, b. the settlement or movement of made up ground, c. coastal or river erosion, d. defective design or workmanship or use of defective materials, or



		e. demolition, construction, structural alterations or repair of any property, or ground works or excavations.
7.	Bush fire, Forest fire, Jungle fire,	-
8.	Impact damage of any kind, i.e., damage caused by impact of, or collision caused by, any external physical object (e.g. vehicle, falling trees, aircraft, wall etc.)	a. caused by pressure waves caused by aircraft or other aerial or space devices travelling at sonic or supersonic speeds, b. b)caused by vehicle, animal or aircraft belonging to or owned by Insured or their employee while acting in course of employment.
9.	Missile testing operations	-
10.	Riot, Strikes, Malicious Damages	caused by a. total or partial cessation of work or the retardation or interruption or cessation of any process or operations or omissions of any kind, b. temporary or permanent dispossession, confiscation, commandeering, requisition or destruction by order of the government or any lawful authority, or c. temporary or permanent dispossession of any Building by unlawful occupation by any person.
11.	Bursting or overflowing of water tanks, apparatus and pipes,	-
12.	Leakage from automatic sprinkler installations.	a. repairs or alterations in the Building in which Your Business is located, b. repairs, removal or extension of any sprinkler installation, or c. defects in the construction known to You.
13.	Theft within 7 days from the occurrence of, and proximately caused by, any of the above Insured Events	if it is a. of any article or thing outside Your Premises, or b. of any article or thing attached from the outside of the outer walls or the roof of Your Premises, unless securely mounted.

# **Examples**

- i. Your insured building catches fire. All its doors are opened for fighting the fire. A person takes advantage of the situation and carries away insured electronic equipment. Since this theft follows a fire and is within 7 days of occurrence of the fire, We will pay for Your loss upto the limits of the applicable Sum Insured for that equipment.
- ii. During riots, a rioter breaks a window of Your shop and takes away articles of value ₹ 35,000. It costs ₹ 20,000 to repair the window. Here the loss is due to theft which occurred within 7 days of occurrence of the riot, which is an insured event. It arose at a time when You were not in a position to protect Your property. We will pay ₹



35,000 for the loss of articles, and ₹ 20,000 for repairs of the window, but not more than the Sum Insured.

## **Optional Covers**

You can purchase the following Options Cover under **Sookshma Lite** Policy. You must apply for these covers, and pay additional premium, as required.

# 1. Sabotage And Terrorism Damage Cover Endorsement (Material Damage Only)

#### **INSURING CLAUSE**

Subject otherwise to the terms, exclusions, provisions and conditions contained in the Policy and in consideration of the payment by the Insured to the Company of additional premium as stated in the Original Policy Schedule, it is hereby agreed and declared that notwithstanding anything stated in the 'Terrorism Risk Exclusion" of this Policy to the contrary, this Policy is extended to cover physical loss or physical damage occurring during the period of this Policy caused by an act of sabotage and/or terrorism to the location/s mentioned in the schedule subject to the exclusions, limits and excess described hereinafter.

For the purpose of this cover, an act of terrorism means an act or series of acts, including but not limited to the use of force or violence and/or the threat thereof, of any person or group(s) of persons, whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organization(s) or government(s), or unlawful associations, recognized under Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 (as amended from time to time) or any other related and applicable national or state legislation formulated to combat unlawful and terrorist activities in the nation for the time being in force, committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public or any section of the public in fear for such purposes.

For the purpose of this cover, an act of sabotage means a subversive act or series of such acts committed for political, religious or ideological purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public in fear for such purposes.

This cover also includes loss, damage, cost or expense directly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any action taken in suppressing, controlling, preventing or minimizing the consequences of an act of sabotage and/or terrorism by the duly empowered government or Military Authority.

Provided that if the Insured is eligible for indemnity under any government compensation plan or other similar scheme in respect of the damage described above, this Policy shall be excess of any recovery due from such plan or scheme.

For the purpose of the aforesaid inclusion clause, "Military Authority" shall mean armed forces, paramilitary forces, police or any other authority constituted by the government for maintaining law and order.

#### LOSSES EXCLUDED

This cover shall not indemnify loss of or damage to property caused by any or all of the following:-

1. loss by seizure or legal or illegal occupation;



- 2. loss or damage caused by:
- (i) voluntary abandonment or vacation,
- (ii) confiscation, commandeering, nationalisation, requisition, detention, embargo, quarantine, or any result of any order of public or government authority, which deprives the Insured of the use or value of its property;
- 3. loss or damage arising from acts of contraband or illegal transportation or illegal trade;
- 4. loss or damage directly or indirectly arising from or in consequence of the seepage and or discharge of pollutants or contaminants, which pollutants and contaminants shall include but not be limited to any solid, liquid, gaseous or thermal irritant, contaminant or toxic or hazardous substance or any substance the presence, existence or release of which endangers or threatens to endanger the health, safety or welfare of persons or the environment;
- 5. loss or damage arising directly or indirectly from or in consequence of chemical or biological emission, release, discharge, dispersal or escape or chemical or biological exposure of any kind:
- 6. loss or damage arising directly or indirectly from or in consequence of asbestos emission, release, discharge, dispersal or escape or asbestos exposure of any kind;
- 7. any fine, levy, duty, interest or penalty or cost or compensation/damages and/or other assessment which is incurred by the Insured or which is imposed by any court, government agency, public or civil authority or any other person;
- 8. loss or damage by electronic means including but not limited to computer hacking or the introduction of any form of computer virus or corrupting or unauthorised instructions or code or the use of any electromagnetic weapon. This exclusion shall not operate to exclude losses (which would otherwise be covered under this Policy) arising from the use of any computer, computer system or computer software programme or any other electronic system in the launch and/or guidance system and/or firing mechanism of any weapon or missile;
- 9. loss or damage caused by vandals or other persons acting maliciously or by way of protest or strikes, labour unrest or riots;
- 10. loss or increased cost occasioned by any public or government or local or civil authority's enforcement of any ordinance or law regulating the reconstruction, repair or demolition of any property insured hereunder;
- 11. any consequential loss or damage, loss of use, delay or loss of markets, loss of income, depreciation, reduction in functionality, or increased cost of working;
- 12. loss or damage caused by factors including but not limited to cessation, fluctuation or variation in, or insufficiency of, water, gas or electricity supplies and telecommunications or any type of service;
- 13. loss or increased cost as a result of threat or hoax;
- 14. loss or damage caused by or arising out of burglary, house breaking, looting, theft, larceny or any such attempt or any omission of any kind of any person (whether or not such act is committed in the course of a disturbance of public peace) in any action taken in respect of an act of sabotage and/or terrorism;



- 15. loss or damage caused by mysterious disappearance or unexplained loss;
- 16. loss or damage directly or indirectly caused by mould, mildew, fungus, spores or other micro-organism of any type, nature or description, including but not limited to any substance whose presence poses an actual or potential threat to human health;
- 17. total or partial cessation of work or the retardation or interruption or cessation of any process or operations or omissions of any kind;
- 18. Any loss due to fines or damages for breach of contract, or penalties of whatever nature;
- 19. Any infidelity, fraudulent, dishonest or criminal act by any director, officer or trustee of the Insured whether acting alone or in collusion with others;
- 20. Any debt, insolvency or commercial failure, whether to provide bond or security or otherwise, or any other financial cause of any party or person whatsoever.
- 21. loss or damage caused by Civil Commotion, Insurrection, Revolution or Rebellion, Mutiny and/or Coup d'Etat and Civil War except as may be insured specifically under any Political Violence Extension to this cover:
- 22. Third party liability howsoever arising except as may be insured specifically under any Third-Party Liability Extension to this cover.

#### **LIMIT OF INDEMNITY**

The limit of indemnity under this cover shall not exceed the Total Sum Insured given in the Policy Schedule or INR 20,000,000,000 per compound/location whichever is lower.

In respect of sabotage and/or terrorism cover for dwellings, limit of indemnity shall not exceed Total Sum Insured as mentioned in the Policy Schedule or INR 4,000,000,000 per compound/location whichever is lower.

In respect of several locations being covered under a single policy on a floater basis, the maximum aggregate loss suffered from all the locations mentioned in the Policy schedule shall not exceed Total Sum Insured as mentioned in the Policy Schedule or INR 20,000,000,000/-whichever is lower.

In respect of several insurance policies within the same compound/location with one or different insurers, the maximum aggregate loss payable per compound/location by any one or all insurers, shall be INR 20,000,000,000. If the actual aggregate loss suffered at one compound/location is more than INR 20,000,000,000, the amounts payable towards individual policies shall be reduced in proportion to the sum insured of the policies.

#### **EXCESS**

Shops & Residential Risks: 1% of the claim amount for each and every claim subject to Minimum of INR 10,000 and Maximum of INR 500,000

Non-Industrial Risks: 1% of the claim amount for each and every claim subject to Minimum of INR 25,000 and Maximum of INR 1,000,000

Industrial Risks: 5% of the claim amount for each and every claim subject to Minimum of INR 100,000 and Maximum of INR 25,00,000

## **ADD ON COVERS**



It is further declared and agreed that the limit of indemnity including the claim on add on cover(s) shall not exceed total sum insured plus separate sublimit opted for add on cover(s) or INR 20,000,000,000 whichever is lower. In respect of several insurance policies within the same compound/location, the maximum aggregate loss payable per compound/location by any one or all insurers shall be INR 20,000,000,000.

In respect of sabotage and/or terrorism cover for long term dwellings, limit of indemnity including the claim on add on cover(s) shall not exceed total sum insured plus separate sublimit opted for add on cover(s) or INR 4,000,000,000/- whichever is lower. In respect of several insurance policies within the same compound/location, the maximum aggregate loss payable per compound/location by any one or all insurers shall be INR 4,000,000,000/-

#### MID TERM COVER

In case the coverage under this endorsement is granted during the currency of the policy, no claims will be payable for loss or damage to property caused by an act of sabotage and/or terrorism occurring during the first 15 (fifteen) days from the date of granting such cover. There should be no known or recorded/reported losses from ground up including threats/hoaxes from date of inception of policy to the date of granting such cover.

# SANCTION, LIMITATION AND EXCLUSION CLAUSE

No (re)insurer shall be deemed to provide cover and no (re)insurer shall be liable to pay any claim or provide any benefit hereunder to the extent that the provision of such cover, payment of such claim or provision of such benefit would expose that (re)insurer to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom or United States of America.

#### **CANCELLATION CLAUSE**

Notwithstanding the cancellation provisions relating to the basic insurance policy on which this endorsement is issued, there shall be no refund of premium allowed for cancellation of the Sabotage and/or Terrorism risk insurance during the period of insurance except where such cancellation is done along with the cancellation of the basic insurance. Where a policy is cancelled and rewritten mid-term purely for the purpose of coinciding with the accounting year of the insured, pro-rate refund of the cancelled policy premium will be allowed.

If the cancellation is for any other purpose, refund of premium will only be allowed after charging short term scale rates.

Note: The definitions, terms and conditions of main Policy save as modified or endorsed herein shall apply.

(Forming Part of Sabotage & Terrorism Damage Cover Endorsement of Policy No.....) wherever opted

- I. Terrorism Third Party Liability Insurance Add On Cover
- 1. Insuring Clause
- 1.1. In consideration of the premium paid and subject to the exclusions, limits, and terms and conditions contained herein, this add on cover indemnifies the Insured for its ascertained Loss by reason of the liability imposed upon the Insured by law or assumed under an indemnification contract, for damages in respect of a claim, arising out of a loss up to but not



exceeding the sub limit (i.e. 10% of the Total Sum Insured Value for Sabotage and Terrorism Endorsement or INR 25,00,00,000 whichever is less, each any one loss and in all for the Policy Period) for Bodily Injury and/or Property Damage resulting solely and directly from an act or acts of sabotage and terrorism as defined under Sabotage and Terrorism damage cover endorsement.

- 1.2. Provided such claim made is first received by the Insured during the Policy Period or the Insured gives written notification to Insurer of the discovery of his involvement in such act of sabotage and terrorism within 90 days of the expiry of the Policy.
- 1.3. Regardless of the number of claims made against the Insured, the Insured shall always be liable for the deductible, in respect of each and every loss. Each loss's deductible amount shall be subject to no aggregate limitation regardless of the number of losses or claims made against the Insured.
- 1.4. As soon as the Insured becomes aware of a loss or receives a claim, the Insured shall promptly, and at its own expense, take all reasonable steps to prevent further Bodily Injury and/or Property Damage resulting from the same loss or conditions which may give rise to a similar loss.
- 1.5. Insurer shall not be called upon to assume the handling or control of the defence or settlement of any claim made against the Insured however the Insurer shall have the right, but not the duty, to participate with the Insured in the defence or settlement of any claim which may be indemnifiable in whole or in part by this Policy.
- 1.6. Insurer will pay any defence expenses incurred after exhaustion of the deductible amount or each loss deductible amount, whichever is the greater, provided the prior written consent of Insurer is obtained before those defence expenses are incurred and subject to Insurer' limits of liability under this endorsement.
- 1.7. Whenever any written demand received by the Insured for damages is finally resolved by a payment by the Insured which, regardless of the amount thereof, is only covered in part by this Policy, then the percentage of any defence expenses that can be included in the Ultimate Net Loss shall be calculated by dividing that part of such payment which is covered by this Policy, by the total amount paid by the Insured.
- 1.8. In the event the Insured elects not to appeal, a judgement which may, in whole or in part, involve indemnity under this Policy, Insurer may, following discussion with the Insured, elect to make such appeal at their own cost and expense and shall be liable for the taxable costs and disbursements and any additional interest incidental to such appeal; but in no event shall the liability of Insurer exceed the relevant limits of liability plus such cost, expense, disbursements and interest.

#### 2. Definition

The words "Bodily Injury", wherever used in this policy, shall mean all physical injury to a third-party human being including death, sickness, disease or disability and all mental injury, anguish or shock to such human being resulting from such physical injury.

#### 3. Exclusions



- 1. Any loss arising from War (whether before or after the outbreak of hostilities) between any two or more countries;
- 2. Loss, injury or damage arising out of discrimination or humiliation;
- 3. Loss or damage to property
- (a) owned, leased, rented or occupied by the Insured;
- (b) in the care, custody or control of the Insured;
- 4. Mental injury, anguish, shock or the like where no physical injury has occurred to the litigant;
- 5. Loss or damage caused by Civil Commotion, Insurrection, Revolution or Rebellion, Mutiny and/or Coup d'Etat and Civil War except as may be insured specifically under any Political Violence Extension to Sabotage and Terrorism Endorsement;

SUBJECT OTHERWISE TO ALL THE TERMS, CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS, DEDUCTIBLES, LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS OF THE MAIN POLICY AND SABOTAGE AND TERRORISM ENDORSEMENT TO WHICH THIS EXTENSION IS ATTACHED.

(Forming Part of Sabotage & Terrorism Damage Cover Endorsement of Policy No.....) wherever opted

II. Political Violence Insurance Extension - Property Damage Wording

# 1. INSURING CLAUSE

In consideration of the premium paid and subject to the exclusions, limits, and terms and conditions contained herein, this add on cover indemnifies the Insured for its ascertained Loss for any one loss up to but not exceeding the sub limit (i.e. 10% of Total Sum Insured for Sabotage and Terrorism Endorsement or INR 50,00,00,000 whichever is lesser, each in respect of any one loss and in the aggregate) against:

- 1.1 Physical loss or physical damage to the Buildings and Contents which belong to the Insured or for which the Insured is legally responsible, directly caused by one or more of the following perils occurring during the Policy Period and in respect of which the Insured has purchased cover:
- 1. Civil Commotion;
- 2. Insurrection, Revolution or Rebellion;
- 3. Mutiny and/or Coup d'Etat;
- 4. Civil War.

Such perils in respect of which cover has been purchased by the Insured shall be the "Covered Causes of Loss".

#### 2. DEFINITIONS

"Civil Commotion" shall mean any act committed in the course of a disturbance of the public peace (where such disturbance is motivated by political reasons) by any person taking part



together with others in such disturbance or any act of any lawfully constituted authority for the purpose of suppressing or minimising the consequence of such act.

"Civil War" shall mean an internecine war, or a war carried on between or among opposing citizens of the same country or nation.

"Coup d'Etat" shall mean the sudden, violent and illegal overthrow of a sovereign government or any attempt at such overthrow.

"Insurrection, Revolution and Rebellion" shall mean a deliberate, organised and open resistance, by force and arms, to the laws or operations of a sovereign government, committed by its citizens or subjects and/or a rising against a sovereign government or other authority.

"Mutiny" shall mean a wilful resistance by members of legally armed or peace-keeping forces to a superior officer.

## 3. EXCLUSIONS

This cover DOES NOT INDEMNIFY AGAINST:

- 1. Any loss arising from War (whether before or after the outbreak of hostilities) between any two or more countries.
- 2. Third party liability howsoever arising except as may be insured specifically under any Third-Party Liability Extension to this cover;

#### 4. CHANGES/AMENDMENTS

Any addenda, amendments or endorsements to this Policy shall only be valid if agreed by Insurers in writing.

SUBJECT OTHERWISE TO ALL THE TERMS, CONDITIONS, DEFINITIONS, DEDUCTIBLES, LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS OF THE MAIN POLICY AND SABOTAGE AND TERRORISM ENDORSEMENT TO WHICH THIS EXTENSION IS ATTACHED.

## 2. Declaration Policy For Stocks

- 1. We agree to cover Your Stock on receipt of provisional premium based on Your declaration of the value of Stock, the premium being liable to be adjusted at expiry of the Policy Period, as follows:
- 2. You will declare to Us in writing signed by You or an authorised person, the value of Your Stock less any amount insured by Policies other than declaration policies. If any Stock is covered by declaration policies, You must apportion to each policy a share of the value of stocks insured by such declaration policies pro-rata to the respective amounts named in those policies.
- 3. Your declaration shall state
- i. Average of the value at risk on each day of the month, or
- ii. Highest value at risk during the month
- 4. The value for Your declaration shall be the market value. Any loss covered shall be settled on the basis of the market value immediately before the loss.



- 5. You must give a separate declaration relating to each separate location.
- 6. You shall give such declaration before the last day of the succeeding month. If You do not make a declaration in time, We will consider the Sum Insured mentioned in the Policy Schedule as the value at risk.
- 7. At the end of the Policy Period, the actual premium will be calculated at the rate applied under the Policy on the average Sum Insured, i.e.,

The total of values declared or deemed to have been declared ÷ the number of declarations made or deemed to have been made.

- 8. If the premium calculated on adjustment is less than the provisional premium You have paid, We will repay the amount of the difference not exceeding 50% of the provisional premium.
- 9. If at the time of loss there is another subsisting insurance policy covering the insured Stock other than on declaration basis, whether You have taken such policy or some one else, We will only pay the amount of difference by which the value of the Stock at the time of loss exceeds the Sum Insured under the other policies, and We will not be liable to contribute more than that proportion which such difference bears to the total value of stocks. In all cases, the maximum We will pay is the relevant Sum Insured.
- 10. If after loss has occurred, it is found that the amount of last declaration before the loss is less that the amount which ought to be declared, We will pay only that proportion of loss which the amount in the last declaration bears to the amount that ought to have been declared.
- 11. If You cancel the policy (whether any stock exists or not), We will retain short period premium calculated on the average amount insured until the cancellation, or 50% of the provisional premium, whichever is higher. If You cancel the policy after loss has occurred, We will retain the premium of the higher of the two amounts:
- i. The pro-rata proportion of the premium calculated on the average amount insured until cancellation plus the pro-rata proportion of the premium from the date of loss to the end of the Policy Period, and
- ii. 50% of the provisional premium.
- 12. You cannot reduce the Sum Insured during the Policy Period.
- 13. We will not pay more than the Sum Insured, and You need not pay premium on value in excess of the Sum Insured. You and Us can increase the Sum Insured by agreement, and its effective date will be added by Endorsement on the Policy. You are liable to pay an additional provisional premium on the increased Sum Insured proportionate to the unexpired Policy Period. If the rate for the class of the relevant risk is revised during the Policy Period, You must pay an additional provisional premium on the revised rate for the unexpired period. In both these cases, the premium will be adjusted at the end of the Policy Period as stated in Clause 7 above.
- 14. If the Insured Stocks are collectively of greater value than their Sum Insured at the time of loss, You will be Your own insurer for the difference, and must bear a rateable proportion of the loss. Every item of Stock shall be separately subject to this condition.
- 15. All other terms and conditions of the Policy shall apply to the Declaration Policy.



# 3. Involuntary Betterment

It is understood and agreed that in the event that new property of like kind and quality is not obtainable,

property which is as similar as possible to that which has sustained damage and which is capable of performing the same function shall be deemed to be new property of like kind and quality and in no event shall this be considered as a betterment to the Insured.

In the event of replacement with new property, the Company will pay the cost of purchasing and installing technologically current equipment which is necessitated by incompatibility between new equipment installed to replace equipment which has sustained damage and undamaged existing equipment at the same or an interdependent location.

# Provided always that

- 1. damage was directly caused
- 2. the Company shall be liable only for the amount sufficient to enable the Insured to resume operations in substantially the same manner as before the damage
- 3. the Company shall be liable for only the difference between
- i. the highest sales value of the undamaged existing equipment at the same or interdependent location, and
- ii. the installed cost of the technologically current equipment.

Sum Insured/Limit of Liability: - Up to 50% of Total Sum insured excluding Stocks

Deductible: As per base product

#### 4. Escalation

In consideration of the payment of an additional premium amounting to 50% of the premium produced by applying the specified percentage to the first or the annual premium as appropriate on the under noted items(s) the Sum(s) Insured thereby shall, during the period of insurance, be increased each day by an amount representing 1/365th of the specified percentage increased per annum. Unless specifically agreed to the contrary the provisions of this clause shall only apply to the sums insured in force at the commencement of each period of insurance.

At each renewal date the insured shall notify the Insurers:-

a. The sum to be insured under each item above, but the absence of such instructions the Sums Insured by the above items shall be those stated on the policy (as amended by the any endorsement effective prior to the aforesaid renewal date) to which shall be added the increases which have accrued under this Clause during the period of insurance upto that renewal date, and



b. The specified percentage increase(s) required for the forthcoming period of insurance, but in the absence of instructions to the contrary prior to renewal date the existing percentage increase shall apply for the period of insurance from renewal.

All the conditions of the policy in so far as they may be hereby expressly varied shall apply as if they had been incorporated herein.

Escalation will apply to Building, Machinery and Accessories only and will not apply to Stock.

Sum Insured/ Limit of Liability: - The selected percentage increase shall not exceed 25% of the Total Sum Insured (excluding stocks).

Deductible: As per base product

# 5. Claim Preparation Costs

It is hereby declared and agreed that, notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Policy and subject to the Insured having paid the agreed additional premium that the Company shall indemnify the insured for reasonable and necessary claim preparation costs, which Insured incur, solely at Company's request in the determination of the extent of loss or damage prior to Company's final adjustment of Insured's claim, provided that any loss is payable under this policy. Company will not pay for the services of Insured's attorneys or public adjusters.

Sum Insured/ Limit of Liability: - Up to 50% of Total Sum insured

Deductible: As per base product

## 6. Additional Custom Duty

In consideration of the Insured having paid the additional premium, it is hereby declared and agreed that the Insured shall also be indemnified during the currency of the Policy, towards the additional Customs Duty amount stated (in respect of this endorsement) in the Schedule which may be incurred by the Insured over and above the Customs Duty amount taken into account in arriving at the sum insured of the affected items. The limit of liability will stand reduced by such Additional Customs Duty after occurrence of the claim unless reinstated by payment of an additional premium prescribed by the Company.

Sum Insured/Limit of Liability: - Up to 50% of Total Sum insured excluding stocks.

Deductible: 5% of the admissible custom duty incurred in addition to the excess amount applicable for

the affected item under the policy.

## 7. Loss Of Rent Clause

The insurance on rent applies only if (any of) the said building(s) or any part thereof is unfit for occupation in consequence of its destruction or damage by the perils insured against and then the amount payable shall not exceed such portion of the sum insured on Rent as the period necessary for reinstatement bears to the term of the Rent Insured. Maximum indemnity period not to exceed 3 (three) years.

Limit of Liability/Sum Insured: Up to 25% of Total Sum Insured



Deductible: As per base product

- 8. Insurance Of Additional Expenses Of Rent For An Alternative Accommodation Additional expenses of rent for an alternative accommodation may be covered on the following basis:
- a) The period of Indemnity may be limited to the period during which the original premises remain untenantable as a result of occurrence of perils insured against. Maximum indemnity period not to exceed 3 (three) years.
- b) The additional expense recoverable under the policy may be additional rent actually paid i.e. the difference between the new and the original rent only.
- c) Certificate from the Local Municipal Authority or an Architect to the effect that premises in question are untenantable will be accepted as adequate proof of the fact that the premises, in fact, have become untenantable.
- d) Insurance should be granted against Perils covered under "**Sookshma Lite**" should be granted only if it involves actual physical damage to the building. The cover does not intend to pay, if for instance, the insured sentry is barred by strikers, demonstrators and similar occurrences.
- e) The cover may be limited to buildings other than those of "Kutcha" construction.
- f) The area for alternative accommodation may be equivalent to the area presently occupied. However, no restriction will apply in respect of locality for the alternative accommodation, so long as the alternative accommodation is taken in the same city of town.
- g) Cover may be permitted to the tenant as also to the Owner-Occupant. Further, in respect of the Owner-Occupant, the alternative accommodation may be limited to the area presently under his occupation.
- h) For the Owner-Occupant, since he will not be paying any rent based on the area occupied by him (in comparison with the actual rent being paid by the tenant in the same building or similar buildings in the same locality) the standard rent based on the rateable values fixed by Municipal/Revenue Authorities for tax purposes may be treated as the original rent for the purpose of this insurance.
- i) It will be compulsory for
- i. the Owner-Occupant to insure both building and contents.
- ii. the tenant to insure the contents of the premises for which he is seeking this extension

Endorsement wording for insurance of rent for alternative accommodation Tenant or Owner-Occupant

It is hereby declared that in the event of the premises described in the policy and occupied by the insured, hereinafter referred to as "PREMISES" being destroyed or damaged by any Insured Peril as to become unfit for occupation and the insured in consequence taking up alternative accommodation, the Company shall, subject to special conditions set out herein, indemnify the insured against the additional rent (as explained herein) which the insured is called upon to bear for the period beginning from the date of operation of any of the Insured Perils until the "PREMISES" is rendered fit for occupation such period not exceeding such



reasonable time as is required to restore the premises with due diligence to a condition fit for occupation or the maximum indemnity period of ....... months whichever is earlier.

Provided that the liability of the Company shall not exceed Rs. ..... the sum insured hereby.

Provided further that if the sum produced by applying the monthly additional rent, borne by the insured for the alternative accommodation to the maximum indemnity period is more than the Sum Insured hereby, the liability of the Company shall be proportionately reduced.

#### SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

- 1. This insurance shall apply subject to the condition that the PREMISES occupied by the insured, whether as owner or tenant, forms part of a building not being "Kutcha" Construction.
- 2. If the area of alternative accommodation taken by the insured is more than the area of the PREMISES occupied by the insured, the additional rent borne by the insured for the purpose of this insurance shall be deemed to be that proportion of the additional rent actually borne by the insured as the area of the PREMISES which was in the insured so occupation bears to the area of the alternative accommodation taken by the insured. The insured shall be at liberty to take alternative accommodation in any locality so long as it is within the Municipal limit of the city or town in which the PREMISES is situated.

#### **EXPLANATION**

Additional Rent: If the insured is the Owner-Occupant, the additional rent borne by him is arrived at after deducting the standard rent of the premises from the actual rent paid for the alternative accommodation. The standard rent shall be based on the ratable values fixed by the Municipal/Revenue authorities for tax purposes.

If the insured is a tenant only and for safeguarding his legal tenancy rights is obliged to pay rent for the premises even during the period when it is not fit for occupation, the additional rent borne by him is the actual rent for the alternative accommodation.

If the insured is a tenant and is not obliged to pay rent for the premises during the period when it is not fit for occupation, the additional rent borne by him is the actual rent paid for alternative accommodation taken less the rent which he was paying for the premises immediately prior to the same being damaged or destroyed by Insured Perils and rendered unfit for occupation

Limit of Liability/Sum Insured: Up to 25% of Total Sum Insured

Deductible: As per base product

9. Deterioration Of Stocks In Cold Storage Premises

A. Deterioration Of Stocks In Cold Storage Premises Due To Accidental Power Failure Consequent To Damage At The Premises Of Power Station Due To An Insured Peril

Policy covering stocks in cold storage premises may be extended to cover the above subject to following endorsement wordings:

"In consideration of the payment of additional premium of Rs. \_\_\_\_\_\_ it is hereby agreed and declared that notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this policy or in any of its conditions, this policy covers destruction of or damage to the property hereby insured caused



by change of temperature in consequence of failure of electric supply at the terminal ends of electric service feeders from which the Insured obtains electric supply directly due to damage caused by any peril insured against under this policy to property at insured premises or any Electric Station or Sub-Station of Public Electric Supply undertaking from which the Insured obtains electric supply.

Provided that the Company shall not be liable for any loss occasioned by the deliberate act of the Government, Municipal or Local Authority or Supply Authority not performed for the sole purpose of safeguarding life or protecting any part of the supply undertaking's systems or by the exercise by any such authority of its power to withhold or restrict or ration supply not necessitated solely by damage to the Supply Undertaking's generating or supply equipment by an insured peril.

Provided further that the Company shall not be liable for any loss unless the duration of each such failure exceeds 24 hours.

Subject otherwise to the terms, exceptions, conditions and limitations of this Policy."

In any action, suit or other proceedings where the company alleges that by reason of the provisions of this condition any loss or damage is not covered by this insurance, the burden of proving that this loss or damage is covered shall be upon the Insured.

Subject otherwise to the terms, extensions, conditions and limitations of this Policy".

In any action, suit or other proceedings where the company alleges that by reason of the provisions of this condition any loss or damage is not covered by this insurance, the burden of proving that this loss or damage is covered shall be upon the Insured.

# B. Deterioration Of Stocks In Cold Storage Premises Due To Change In Temperature Arising Out Of Loss Or Damage To The Cold Storage Machinery(les) In The Insured's Premises Due To Operation Of Insured Peril

"In consideration of the payment of additional premium of Rs.\_\_\_\_\_\_ it is hereby agreed and declared that notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this policy or in any of its conditions this policy covers destruction of or damage to the property herby insured caused by change of temperature in consequence of failure of electric supply following damage to Insured's property due to insured peril(s).

[Provided further that the Company shall not be liable for any loss unless the duration of each such failure exceeds 24 hours

Subject otherwise to the terms, extensions, conditions and limitations of this Policy".

In any action, suit or other proceedings where the company alleges that by reason of the provisions of this condition any loss or damage is not covered by this insurance, the burden of proving that this loss or damage is covered shall be upon the Insured.

Limit of Liability/Sum Insured: \_\_\_\_\_Any One Accident (AOA) :\_\_\_\_\_Any One Year (AOY)

(with AOY Upto 25% of Total Sum Insured)

This cover is on first loss basis without application of average

Deductible: As per base product



## 10. Accidental Damage

It is agreed and understood that otherwise subject to the terms, exclusions, provisions and conditions contained in the Policy or endorsed thereon and subject to the Insured having paid the agreed extra premium, the policy extends to indemnify the Insured against loss, destruction of or damage to the insured property and property held in trust as mentioned in the schedule caused by accidental external damage, excluding damages caused by or in consequence of:

- a) Mechanical or electrical breakdown or derangement of machinery or equipment
- b) The freezing solidification or inadvertent escape of molten material
- c) Damage resulting from over load experiments or tests requiring the imposition of abnormal conditions.
- d) Damage due to wear and tear, rust, corrosion, erosion, cavitations, boiler scale, incrustation, deterioration, settling, gradual cracking, gradually developing deformation or distortion, gradual deterioration due to atmospheric conditions or due to such other causes.
- e) Property Insured in transit other than within the premises specified in the Schedule.
- f) Plant machinery or equipment during installation removal or reciting (including dismantling reerection stripping down and assembly) if directly attributable to such operations
- g) Property Insured undergoing manufacture alteration, repair, testing, installation or servicing including materials and supplies thereof if directly attributable to the operations or work being performed thereon unless damage by a cause not otherwise excluded ensues and then company will be liable only for such ensuing loss
- h) Collapse either full or partial
- i) Any other cause specifically excluded hereunder

PROVIDED that the liability of the Company shall in no case exceed in respect of each item the sum expressed in the said Schedule to be insured thereon or in the whole the limit of liability hereby or such other sum or sums as may be substituted therefore by memorandum hereon or attached hereto signed by or on behalf of the Company.

Limit of Liability/Sum Insured: _	Any One Accident (AOA) :	Any One Year (AOY)
(with AOY Upto 25% of Total Su	ım Insured)	

This cover is on first loss basis without application of average

Deductible: As per base product

#### 11. EMI Protection Cover

In consideration of the payment of additional premium as mentioned in the policy schedule, it is hereby understood and agreed subject to the terms, conditions, exclusions and limitations, the Company will pay the Insured an amount up to a maximum of INR 50,000 (per month) towards EMI when the insured property as mentioned in the Schedule of the Policy has suffered a Loss, Damage or destruction due to operation of insured peril covered under the policy, provided:

1. Company will pay subject to claim in respect of insured property being admissible.



- 2.Company will pay only those EMI's which are related to the "business" covered under the base policy.
- 3.Liability of the company shall be limited to 3 EMIs upto the maximum amount (per month) mentioned as above or the actual EMI prevailing at the time of loss whichever is lower.
- 4. Maximum one claim shall be admissible under this optional cover during the policy period.
- 5.Onus of proof while making any claim for EMI under this cover, shall be upon the insured and he needs to submit suitable documentary evidence like bank account statement, loan account statement reflecting EMI etc. to the Insurer.
- 6.It will be condition precedent to the liability that normal business operations must be continuing for minimum 30 days in the insured premises prior to the date of incident resulting into claim under this coverage substantiated by valid documentary evidence.

#### **Exclusions:**

- 1. Consequential Loss of any nature.
- 2.Any Loss or damage occasioned by or through or in consequence directly or indirectly caused by any other perils which is not insured in the policy.
- 3. Total or partial cessation of work or the retardation or interruption or cessation of any process or operations by order of the Government or any lawfully constituted Authority or any Statutory authority,
- 4.Under no circumstances, insurer is liable to pay more than the actual EMI incurred by the insured.

#### Definitions:

- 1.EMI means the equated monthly instalment of Loan/ Interest against credit line/ working capital loans from a Bank/ Financial Institution
- 2.Bank means a banking company which transacts the business of banking in India.
- 3. Financial Institution means a non-banking institution as defined under Section 45-I of the Reserve Bank of India Act, 1934.

Deductible: As per the base product

# Which property can be covered under this policy?

This policy covers the following properties in Your premises, that is, the place You carry on Your business. The properties must be located in Your premises, except some properties that You declare, and the Policy covers in special situations. The **Sookshma Lite** Policy covers the following properties.

- 1. **Any building or structure** in Your premises where You carry on Your business. It may be a shed, flat, house, unit of a building. It may be made of any material. It includes:
  - i. Basement (if any), all fixtures and fittings permanently attached to the floor, walls or roof like electrical wiring, antennas etc.



- ii. The following 'additional structures' located on Your Premises and used for Your Business, that are shown in the Policy Schedule:
  - a. garage, out-houses, security sheds, towers, verandah or porch, tanks, compound walls, retaining walls, fences and gates, internal roads,
  - b. lifts, hoists,
  - c. solar panels, wind turbines and air conditioning systems, central heating systems, security systems and cameras, electrical installations, fire alarm, fire sprinkler systems, power lines, power installations, or
  - d. water, gas and sewage pipeline within the premises
- iii. any other structure shown in the Policy Schedule.
- 2. **Plant and Machinery,** that is, all equipment, machinery, pipes and cables, spares, computers, servers **and** preloaded licensed system software, located within any structure or in the open area of Your premises. It includes
  - i. machines under repair,
  - ii. machines taken on hire or lease, or any system of purchase of goods,
  - iii. foundation, bedding or setting of the machines, or
  - iv. accessories of machines.
- 3. Stock of goods or merchandise. It may be:
  - i. finished goods, semi-finished goods, stock in process, stock invoiced and ready for dispatch,
  - ii. raw materials, packing materials,
  - iii. stock accepted for job work for which You are responsible,
  - iv. stock held in trust for which You are responsible,
  - v. stock in Open in the Insured Premises.
- 4. **All other assets**, that is, all other tangible property located in Your premises and used for Your business. It includes
  - i. furniture and fixtures, office equipment, telephone equipment, electronic equipment, computers etc.
  - ii. canteen and kitchen equipment, gym and permanent sports equipment etc.

## Who can purchase this Policy?

- 1. You can purchase the Sookshma Lite Policy for the building or structure if
  - i. You own it, or occupy it under a lease,
  - ii. You occupy it as purchaser under an agreement of sale or lease,
  - iii. You are an occupier authorised under any law,
  - iv. Your property is occupied by a tenant, a licensee or Your employee, or
  - v. You are a tenant under an agreement in writing and are liable to repair it.
- 2. You can purchase the **Sookshma Lite** Policy for **plant and machinery, stock or other property** if
  - i. You own it, or use it under a lease in writing,
  - ii. You hold it in trust or on commission or are responsible for it,
  - iii. You have taken plant and machinery or other contents on hire or lease, or any other system of purchase,
  - iv. You have accepted stock for job work for which You are responsible.
- 3. You are eligible to purchase the Sookshma Lite Policy



- i. if You carry on any business of manufacturing or production of goods, or of providing or rendering services, and
- ii. if You own or are legally responsible for Your business, and
- iii. if the value of all Your insurable assets at one location is NOT more than ₹ 5 Crore (Rupees Five Crore) at the Policy Commencement Date. These include buildings, plant and machinery, stock, and all other assets, even if You have not taken insurance cover for all of them. Insurable assets include all assets which You own, or hold as tenant or occupant, or hold in trust or commission, or are legally responsible for.
- 4. If the value of all Insurable Assets exceeds ₹ 5 Crore (Rupees Five Crore) during the Policy Period this Sookshma Lite policy will be replaced with the applicable policy on expiry of this policy.

## Sum Insured

1. **The maximum amount:** The maximum amount We pay under this Policy is the total Sum Insured. The maximum amount We pay under this Policy for any cover, or any item, or category or group of items, is the Sum Insured for that cover or item, category or group. The Sum Insured for each cover is as per Policy Schedule.

## 2. Basis of Sum Insured:

- 1. For Building, Plant and Machinery, Furniture, Fixture and Fittings and any other contents: Reinstatement Value.
- 2. For Stocks:
  - a. For raw material: Landed Cost at Your Premises.
  - b. For stock in process: Input Cost of the stock at the time of damage,
  - c. For finished stock: the Manufacturing Cost of the finished stock or the **Contract Price** of goods sold but not delivered and more precisely defined below.
  - d. Contract Price is in respect only of goods sold but not delivered, for which You are responsible and with regard to which under the conditions of the sale, the sale contract is cancelled by reason of any damage insured under this Policy either wholly or to the extent of the damage. The Company's liability shall be based on the Contract Price.
- 3. Bullion or unset precious stones, any curios or works of art or obsolete machinery and the like are to be covered on Agreed Value basis subject to a valuation certificate being submitted and found acceptable by Us..

#### 3. Restoration of Sum Insured:

If We have paid any loss on Your claim, it reduces the Sum Insured. When We pay You the full Sum Insured for any cover or any item covered, the Policy ends to that extent. If You pay proportionate premium for the unexpired policy period, We will restore the policy to the full original amount of Sum Insured during the Policy Period. This ensures full cover during the period of the policy. However, in case You, immediately on occurrence of loss, exercise Your option not to restore the Sum Insured, the Sum Insured shall stand reduced by the amount of loss.

# Example

1. If You repair Your air-conditioning tower insured for ₹ 15,00,000 damaged in a fire, and We pay Your claim of ₹ 5,00,000, You can pay proportionate premium for ₹ 5,00,000 for unexpired period in order to take benefit of full cover. If the tower is



- destroyed, and We pay Your claim of ₹ 15,00,000, the new tower that You install will not be covered under this Policy unless You have paid premium for it.
- 2. If Your building insured for ₹ 2,00,00,000 is severely damaged and We pay You ₹ 2,00,00,000 under the Sookshma Lite Policy for its repair and reinstatement, You will not be covered under this Policy for the new building that You construct, unless You have paid premium for it.

#### **Underinsurance**

**Underinsurance waiver upto 15%**: This is a special feature of the **Sookshma Lite** policy, where We waive underinsurance up to 15%.

The Sum Insured for each item of Insured Property must be sufficient to pay for Reinstatement/Replacement of that Property on the date of loss. If the Reinstatement/Replacement Value of the Insured Property, in totality, including additions, alterations, erections and new acquisitions, is more than the Sum Insured, except to the extent waived i.e 15%, it amounts to underinsurance and will reduce proportionate to the difference, the amount that We will pay for Your claim. Every item of Insured Property is subject to this condition separately.

If at the time of the damage the Sum Insured applying to the relevant Buildings, Plant and Machinery, Furniture, Fixture, Fittings, Stocks and other Contents is less than 85% of the value of Insurable Assets You will be responsible for the difference and You will bear a proportionate share of the loss.

Examples (These examples only demonstrate the effect of underinsurance. Final claim payable may vary due to application of Excess and other policy terms)

- 1. You have taken insurance for a Sum Insured of ₹ 5 Crore. The value at risk of insurable items at the time of loss is found as ₹ 5.5 Crore. There is a loss of ₹ 1 crore. Underinsurance works out to 9 % . Since it is less that 15%, We will consider the full claim of 1 Crore for payment.
- 2. Your factory has stored stock of finished goods. Its manufacturing cost is ₹ 2.5 Crore. This includes some stock that is older than 6 months. Your Sookshma Lite policy covers stock of finished goods for ₹ 3 Crore. Due to change in raw material price, the manufacturing cost of same amount of stock on the date of loss is ₹ 3.25 Crore. The stock of manufacturing cost ₹ 1 Crore is burnt in fire. Since underinsurance works out to less than 15%, We will consider the full claim of ₹ 1 Crore for payment.
- 3. Your shop has the Sookshma Lite Policy. You have insured the structure for ₹ 3 Crore and stock for ₹ 1 Crore. The actual value of structure is ₹ 3.5 Crore and value of stock is ₹ 1.5 Crore. Stock of ₹ 50 Lakh is burnt in a fire. The stock has underinsurance of 33.33% and hence, we could consider Your claim for payment of ₹ 33.33 Lakh only (66.67% of ₹50 Lakh) by applying underinsurance.

## Exclusions, that is, what We do not pay

We do not cover losses or expenses, or any loss, damage to, or destruction of the Insured Property, directly or indirectly as a result of or if caused by or arising from events, stated below:

1. i. Excess of ₹ 5,000 (Rupees Five Thousand) for each claim. This means that We will deduct ₹ 5000 (Rupees Five Thousand) for each and every loss suffered by You under the terms of this policy.



- ii. For terrorism risk (if opted) the Excess shall be as per the clause attached to this policy.
- 2. Your deliberate, wilful or intentional act or omission, or of anyone on Your behalf, or with Your connivance.
- 3. Loss, damage or destruction to any electrical/electronic machine, apparatus, fixture, or fitting by over-running, excessive pressure, short circuiting, arcing, self-heating or leakage of electricity from whatever cause (lightning included). This exclusion applies only to the particular machine so lost, damaged or destroyed. However, any ensuing loss or damage to other insured property due to operation of an insured peril is covered.
- 4. Loss, destruction or damage to the stocks in cold storage premises caused by change of temperature.
- 5. Loss, or damage by spoilage resulting from the retardation or interruption or cessation of any process or operation caused by operation of any of the Insured Events.
- 6. Your Premises or any Insured Building remaining continuously unoccupied for a period of more than 30 days, unless You have obtained prior written approval from Us and such approval is recorded as an endorsement on the Policy.
- 7. War, invasion, act of foreign enemy hostilities or war-like operations (whether war is declared or not), civil war, mutiny, civil commotion amounting to a popular rising, military rising, rebellion, revolution, insurrection or military or usurped power.
- 8. Ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from combustion of nuclear fuel, or the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear component that is part of it.
- 9. Pollution or contamination, unless
  - i. the pollution or contamination itself has resulted from an Insured Event, in which case only physical damage to the Insured Property is covered, or
  - ii. an Insured Event itself results from pollution or contamination.
- 10. Loss, destruction or damage to bullion or unset precious stones, any curios or works of art unless such amount is declared separately and recorded in the Policy Schedule.
- 11. Loss of any Insured Property which is missing or has been mislaid, or its disappearance cannot be linked to any single identifiable Insured Event.
- 12. Loss or damage to any Insured Property removed from Your Premises to any other place, except
  - i. machinery and equipment temporarily removed for repairs, cleaning, renovation or other similar purposes for a period not exceeding 60 days,
  - ii. Stock covered under Clause (C) (4.3) of this Policy -.
- 13. Any reduction in market value of any Insured Property after its repair or reinstatement.
- 14. Loss or damage to any Insured Property or any claim which is covered by a marine policy in force at the time of loss or damage, except in excess of the limits of that policy.
- 15. Any consequential or indirect loss or damage of any description, i.e. losses or extra costs (financial or non-financial) that follow or are a consequence of an Insured Event, like, loss by delay, loss of income or wages or earnings, or of market, or of time, medical expenses, or any costs not covered by this Policy.
- 16. Costs, fees or expenses for preparing any claim.
- 17. Terrorism Damage Exclusion Warranty



Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary within this insurance it is agreed that this insurance excludes loss, damage cost or expense of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any act of terrorism regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the loss. For the purpose of this warranty an act of terrorism means an act, including but not limited to the use of force or violence and / or the threat thereof, of any person or group(s) of persons whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organisation(s) or government(s), committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purpose including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public, or any section of the public in fear.

The warranty also excludes loss, damage, cost or expenses of whatsoever nature directly or

indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any action taken in controlling,

preventing, suppressing or in any way relating to action taken in respect of any act of terrorism.

If the Company alleges that by reason of this exclusion, any loss, damage, cost or expenses is not covered by this insurance the burden of proving the contrary shall be upon the Insured.

#### **Premium**

The premium is the amount You pay Us for this insurance. The Policy Schedule shows the amount of premium for the Policy Period and all other taxes and levies. Your policy will commence on payment of premium in full.

Premium depends on cover opted and risk characteristics like Age of the building, Fire protection devices installed, Construction etc.

# **Changes and Cancellation**

# 1. Changes during Policy Period.

You can choose to make changes to the covers of this Policy, for example, take additional cover, or increase or reduce any Sum Insured. You must make a proposal or request for any change. It will be effective only after We have accepted Your proposal, and You have paid the additional premium where applicable.

## 2. Cancellation:

# **Cancellation of policy by the Insurer:**

The Company may t any time cancel the Policy and wherever applicable, the certificate of insurance, on the ground of established fraud and no refund of premium will be made. In case of each such cancellation, the Company shall serve a written notice to the Insured and, wherever applicable, to the Beneficiary, of at least seven (7) calendar days.

## **Cancellation of policy by the Insured:**



The Insured can cancel the insurance cover at any time during the Policy Period by serving a written notice to the Company, with or without citing the cause/reason.

## Refund of premium will apply in the following manner:

- 1. If the Policy Period is upto one (1) year and no claim has been made till the date of cancellation request, Proportionate premium will be refunded for the unexpired period.
- 2. If the Policy Period is more than one (1) year and no claim has been made till the date of cancellation request, Proportionate premium will be refunded for the unexpired period.

# 3. We can cancel the policy.

We will not cancel the Policy during the policy period except on the grounds of misrepresentation, non-disclosure of material facts, fraud or non-co-operation on Your part.

# 4. Policy ends automatically:

- i. If Your property is lost, destroyed or stolen, or its cost of repair is more than the Sum Insured, and We have paid You the entire Sum Insured for that property and You have decided not to restore the Sum Insured.
- ii. Change of ownership of Your property
- iii. Sale of Your Property

## Making a claim

- 1. If You suffer a loss because of an Insured Event, You must make a claim for Your financial loss at Your cost.
- 2. When You suffer loss or damage to any Insured Property, You must
  - i. give notice to Us immediately along with details of the event and Your loss,
  - ii. report to police, fire authorities or other appropriate legal Authorities or as guided by Us,
  - iii. take all reasonable steps to prevent further damage to Insured Property,
  - iv. You must not sell, give away or dispose of any damaged items of any property,
  - v. You must not carry out repairs unless such repairs are urgent and You cannot contact Us.
  - vi. preserve and collect evidence, take and preserve photographs,
  - vii. assist Us and Our representatives in collecting evidence and details about Your loss, give Us all information, books of accounts, and other documents,
  - viii. submit claim form at the earliest opportunity but within 30 days from date You first notice the loss or damage
  - ix. prove that the Insured Event has happened, and prove the extent of Your loss.

#### This Prospectus

This prospectus gives only information. This is not an insurance contract. Each insurance cover is subject to terms and conditions, which You can read in the **Sookshma Lite** Policy document. You must read the policy document to know the insurance cover fully. You can get a copy of the **Sookshma Lite** Policy from Our branch or from Our website <a href="https://generalicentralinsurance.com">https://generalicentralinsurance.com</a>. For legal interpretation the policy document will hold.

## **Grievances**

In case of any grievance the insured person may contact the company through



Website: <a href="https://generalicentralinsurance.com">https://generalicentralinsurance.com</a> Toll Free: 1800-220-233 / 1860-500-3333 / 022-67837800 Email: <a href="mailto:gcicare@generalicentral.com">gcicare@generalicentral.com</a>

Courier: Grievance Redressal Cell, Generali Central Insurance Company Limited

Lodha I – Think Techno Campus, B Wing – 2nd Floor, Pokhran Road – 2, Off Eastern Express Highway Behind TCS, Thane West – 400607

Insured person may also approach the grievance cell at any of the company's branches with the details of grievance.

If Insured person is not satisfied with the redressal of grievance through one of the above methods, insured person may contact the grievance officer at <a href="mailto:GCIGRO@generalicentral.com">GCIGRO@generalicentral.com</a> or call at: 7900197777

For updated details of grievance officer, kindly refer the link generalicentralinsurance.com/customer-service/grievance-redressal

If Insured person is not satisfied with the redressal of grievance through above methods, the insured person may also approach the office of Insurance Ombudsman of the respective area/region for redressal of grievance as per Insurance Ombudsman Rules 2017. Kindly refer the annexure on Grievance Redressal Procedures.

Grievance may also be lodged at IRDAI Bima Bharosa (an Integrated Grievance Management System) - <a href="https://bimabharosa.irdai.gov.in/">https://bimabharosa.irdai.gov.in/</a>

#### **About Our Company**

Generali Central Insurance Company Limited (formerly Future Generali India Insurance Company Limited) is a strategic joint venture between two distinguished financial institutions: the Generali Group, a global insurance enterprise with 193 years of operational heritage holding a 74% majority stake, and the Central Bank of India, India's first commercial bank with 113 years of established banking excellence.

Established in 2006, the Company was set up with a clear mandate to offer retail, commercial, personal, and rural insurance solutions, enabling individuals and businesses to effectively manage and mitigate risks. Generali Central Insurance (GCI) broke even in FY 2013-14 - a landmark achievement in just six years of operations.

As of FY 2024-25, GCI maintains robust financial fundamentals with ₹7,938 crore of assets under management and Gross Written Premium of ₹5,547.5 crore. The Company has established itself as a formidable presence in India's insurance landscape, securing a position among the nation's top 10 private general insurance companies.

GCI has consistently demonstrated excellence in organisational culture and operational performance - receiving the 'Great Place to Work' certification six times in a row. The Company has also earned numerous industry accolades including the Emvies Awards 2025, The Economic Times Brand Disruption Awards 2025, ET Trendies 2025, ET Now Global Innovation Network Awards, and the Di-Verse Certification for Disability Inclusion in 2025.

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#### **INSURANCE ACT 1938 SECTION 41- Prohibition of Rebates**

No person shall allow or offer to allow either directly or indirectly, as an inducement to any person to take out or renew or continue an insurance in respect of any kind of risk relating to lives or property in India, any rebate of the whole or part of the commission payable or any rebate of the premium shown on the policy, nor shall any person taking out or renewing a policy accept any rebate, except such rebate as may be allowed in accordance with the published prospectus or tables of the insurer.

ANY PERSON MAKING DEFAULT IN COMPLYING WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION SHALL BE PUNISHABLE WITH FINE WHICH MAY EXTEND TO TEN LAKHS RUPEES.

Disclaimer: In the event of any question relating to interpretation of the insurance coverage, the policy document will prevail.

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