

**Press Release**

**Bajaj Allianz General Insurance Introduces Comprehensive Pet Insurance Policy for Pet Cats**

- *Pet Insurance Policy provides a comprehensive cover to pet cats and dogs of indigenous origin, cross-breeds and exotic breeds*
- *The product offers customers the flexibility to choose from a wide range of 8 unique covers*
- *The cover is available on an individual as well as on a group basis; it can be bought for an annual, short-term, and long-term period of up to 3 years*

**Pune, August 9, 2023:** Bajaj Allianz General Insurance, one of the leading private general insurers of India, today announced '**Pet Insurance Policy**', which is an insurance cover which will now provide insurance protection for pet cats in addition to pet dogs. The Company was the first insurer in the country to introduce comprehensive pet insurance for dogs. The Pet Insurance Policy covers 35+ breeds of dogs and all breeds of cats. The cover is available on an individual as well as group basis and can be bought for annual, short term and long-term periods of up to 3 years. The revised policy brings you greater flexibility and helps you take better care of your furry friends.

The policy is designed in such a way that it allows customers to tailor the coverage according to their specific needs. The premium would vary depending on the age, size, cover, and the sum insured opted for. To simplify the policy structure and cater to different types of pets, the policy classifies dogs into four categories - small, medium, large, and giant. Similarly, cats are categorized into indigenous and exotic breeds. The policy also covers pets used for commercial purpose as well. This comprehensive policy includes a range of essential covers to protect your furry friend, which includes coverage for Surgery Expenses and Hospitalization costs to ensure that your pet receives quality medical care. Additionally, the policy offers Mortality Benefits, Terminal Disease Coverage, Long Term Care, OPD Cover, and Third-Party Liability protection. In the unfortunate event of theft or straying, the policy covers Advertising Costs for locating the insured dog or cat. Moreover, it rewards the individual who successfully helps trace the lost or stolen pet.

The policy also covers vaccination failures, providing additional peace of mind for pet owners. To make the policy more affordable, various discount options are available like pet owners can enjoy discounts for RFID tagging, submitting Fitness/Medical certificates, insuring multiple pets, and opting for long-term coverage. Furthermore, the policy offers a built-in cumulative bonus that increases with each claim-free year, rewarding responsible pet ownership.

Commenting on the product announcement, **Mr. Tapan Singhel, MD & CEO, Bajaj Allianz General Insurance** said, "At Bajaj Allianz General Insurance, we understand the needs of our customers, and we constantly strive to address their worries. Pets are part of our family; we hold a deep emotional bond with them, and our desire to provide them with the best care possible is natural. To help our customers take better care of their four-legged family members, we have launched an enhanced pet insurance policy, which now extends care and protection to their feline friends. The revised policy offers a wider cover helping our customers provide the best-in-class care and protection to their beloved furry friends."

The relationship between owners and their pets is extremely special; Bajaj Allianz General Insurance recognizes the significance of this relationship, and their revised pet insurance policy provides all-around protection for pets. Now, you are not alone in caring for your pets.

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### **About Bajaj Allianz General Insurance**

Bajaj Allianz General Insurance is India's leading private general insurance company. Bajaj Allianz is a joint venture between Bajaj Finserv Limited, India's most diversified non-bank financial institution, and Allianz SE, the world's leading insurer and largest asset manager. Bajaj Allianz General Insurance offers general insurance products such as motor insurance, home insurance, health insurance as well as other unique insurance plans such as pet dog insurance, wedding insurance, event insurance, and film insurance. The Company began its operations in 2001 and has been constantly expanding its operations to be close to its customers. Today, it has a pan-India presence in close to 1,000 towns and cities. Bajaj Allianz General Insurance has received the issuer rating of [ICRA]AAA from ICRA Limited. This rating indicates the highest degree of safety regarding timely servicing of financial obligations.

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