

F.O.P. Legal Plan News

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The FOP Legal Defense Plan Welcomes New Lodges in 2009

CA Sacramento Cty Lodge #7
MA Tri-Town (Norton) Lodge #30-B
NJ Div. of Criminal Justice #91
CA Federal Police Loge #09-B
IL Logan Cty Police Assn #78
IL MicKinzie Vertuna Mem #19
IL Moline Police FOP Lodge #77
MA Tri-Town (Revere) Lodge #30-C
MI Emmet Cty (Command Offrs) - Group B
MI Emmet Cty (Road Patrol) - Group C
MO FOP Nixa Lodge #57
NJ FOP Cranbury Twp Lodge #68
WA Arlington Police Group of Puget Sound Lodge #15

Enrollment Summary

We are very pleased to announce that as of 1/31/09 the FOP Legal Defense Plan has an active enrollment exceeding 30,500. Growth can be attributed to new lodges forming within certain states. But most importantly the success can be attributed to what the Legal Defense Plan offers to its members. Compared with other commercially available legal defense plans, the FOP has succeeded in providing members with extremely broad coverage at competitive rates.

Claims Corner

During its 14 years of providing legal defense services the FOP Legal Plan has handled over 8,000 cases on behalf of participating FOP members. During that time, the Plan has paid in excess of 20 Million in legal defense benefits.

Important Reminders

Administrative Off-Duty Coverage

The Administrative Off-Duty coverage is available for Groups and Individual Participants in the FOP Legal Defense Plan. This is a supplemental benefit under Coverage A for incidents that occur off-duty and not within the scope of employment which result in administrative discipline or sanction.

The annual cost is \$30 with a benefit limit of \$2,500 per occurrence.

Participants must purchase at least Administrative + One additional coverage to qualify for this coverage.

HR-218 Coverage

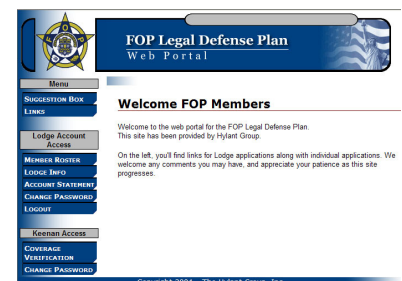
(Federal Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act of 2004)

The FOP Legal Defense Plan is offering HR-218 coverage for FOP retired and active law enforcement officers. Legal defense coverage is provided for civil or criminal claims associated with HR-218. The annual maximum coverage limit is \$15,000 at a cost of \$50.00 per participant.

Note: Active law enforcement officers who are participants in the FOP Legal Defense Plan are already covered for HR-218 claims. No need to complete a new application!

FOP Legal Defense Plan - Client Internet Portal

We encourage all lodges to sign up and benefit from the FOP Legal Defense Client Web Portal. We have over 80 lodges currently using the client portal to add, cancel, edit members, as well as, view their payment schedule.



Please note, member reinstatements cannot be made via the client web portal. They must be submitted in writing to Maureen Jagos (maureen.jagos@hylant.com) at the Hylant Group.

Testimonials From Satisfied Clients

"I cannot think of words to write that explain how valuable the Legal Defense Plan is. Nor can I describe the professionalism of my attorney. Both have helped me and my family. There is absolutely no way I could have fought this fight and paid for all the legal fees while supporting my family. This is an invaluable service."

- Kevin Reed, OK



"Thank to the FOP Legal Plan I was afforded my day in court that I would not have had without it. The result of the 5-day arbitration was a complete vindication with the judge indicating concern about the departments violation of the contract provisions and investigative techniques."

- John Bullard, MO



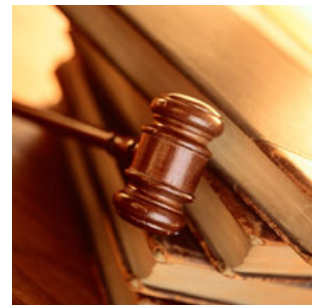
"The Legal Plan is a must have. I never thought I would need it but I am sure grateful it was there. It works for you. My attorney did an outstanding job. I owe him my career."

- Robert Pierce, KS

Marketing and Enrollment Information

Remember to please contact the Hylant Group for any marketing support you may need. We have a new FOP Legal Defense Plan DVD to use in your recruiting efforts of new or existing members. We can assist with direct marketing in your state, presentations, etc. Let us hear from you today!

Also, If you need Plan information, wish to enroll, please contact Maureen Jagos at the Hylant Group (800)-341-6038. You may also visit our website at www.fophylant.com.



Need attorney information or have coverage questions?

Please don't hesitate to contact Cara Webb-Robbins at Keenan and Associates – 11501 Montgomery Blvd. NE Albuquerque, NM. 87191. (866) 920-6600. She will be happy to assist you. Please note, Cara's e-mail address has changed to cara@keenan-assoc.com.

