## Settlement Options Offer Choices to Beneficiaries

the policy becomes payable immediately to the beneficiary, unless the policyholder has specified

The beneficiary, most often a wife, may need the money for final expenses, bills, and immedi-

But there may be circumstances where the beneficiary does not need or want all of the money in a lump sum. That's where the "settlement option" of a life insurance policy can be useful.

#### There Are Several Choices

A beneficiary has several choices under the "settlement options" of life insurance, which offer considerable flexibility in meeting a widow's money problems. The family's life insurance agent can help advise her on making a

Even if she is experienced at handling money, it may be difficult for her to make vital financial decisions under the shock and grief of a recent death. And, particularly if she is a younger woman. she may not really be able to gauge her long-term financial needs.

So she can leave part or all of the money with the life insurance company until she needs it or decides how to use it. Meanwhile, the company will pay her interest on the funds. She can normally withdraw any amount whenever she wishes, or change to a different option later on.

#### It Can Be Done in Advance

A policyholder can specify in advance exactly how his insurance is to be paid to his beneficiary and can make his decision binding. In some cases, this may be prudent. But since financial needs change, estate planners usually advise that the policyholder give his beneficiary the right to select the method of settlement.

A widow will likely need continuing income, and there are several different income options to which she can apply her husband's

life insurance. One option will pay her an income as long as she lives. The amount of income per \$1,000 of insurance depends on her age when she starts to collect. Based on current interest rates, a typical \$10,000 policy would now pay a woman about \$60 a month starting at age 60, or about \$80 a

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When a life insurance policy-holder dies, the entire amount of at age 70. By taking slightly less, she can set it up so that if she died within 10 years after starting to collect, the income would continue to her beneficiary for

the remainder of the 10 years. A widow with young children may need extra money while they are growing up. Instead of life-time income, she can choose a larger income for a certain number of years. For example, at current interest rates, \$10,000 of life insurance would give her more than \$100 a month for 10 years. Her age would not be a factor, since the income would end after 10 years.

Or she might choose to receive some other specific amount of money each month until the \$10,000, plus interest, was paid

present or future Social Security benefits are a factor she should consider in choosing an

What a Career Woman Can Do If a career woman does not need income from her husband's life insurance during her working years, she can defer part or all of it at interest until she retireswhen the same amount of insurance will bring her a larger in-

The entire proceeds of a policy do not have to be paid out under the same settlement option. With a larger policy, for example, some of the money might be taken in a lump sum, part of it left with the company at interest, part used to guarantee a life-time income, and part for extra income over a certain number of years.

The cumulative amount set aside in 1973 with life companies for payment of supplementary contracts arriving out of settlement options totaled almost \$8.1 billion, up \$120 million from the previous year, according to the Institute of Life Insurance. Payments to beneficiaries from these accumulated funds amounted to \$1.2 billion during 1972.

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Crossword Puzzle

## Duke Professor, AMY Student Compile Legal Guide

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TREE DO WE GET RUBBER?

FROM THE MILK OR LATEX

A BOUT HOW MANY BEES ARE

NECESSARY TO PRODUCE ONE

ONE POUND OF HONEY REPRESENTS

POUND OF HONEY

OF THE RUBBER TREE!

A Duke University law professor and a student have compiled the first comprehensive guide to North Carolina legal research materials, spanning almost four hundred years of jurisprudence.

Dr. Igor Kavass, professor of law at Duke Law School, and Bruce Christensen, a second-year law student, wrote the 89-page guide as an aid to students and young lawyers.

Kavass, a member of the Duke faculty since 1972 who also serves as the university's law librarian, said he had frequently found himself searching for answers to "elementary questions" about North Carolina law, but had nothing to guide him to the proper research sources.

Using the new guide, for example a lawyer wishing to research the early constitutional history of North Carolina would be referred to Parker's "The Colonial Records of North Carolina: North Carolina Charters and Constitutions, 1578-1698". The book was published in

Kavass and Christensen took it upon themselves to write the first guide to the state's legal research, after being assured by a Buffalo, NY, publisher that it would be printed.

Kavass said no one had attempted to publish such a guide before, for there was a long-held belief that "it wouldn't pay."

The paperback version of Kavass and Christensen's book sells for \$4.50, and a hardback version for about \$10, he said.

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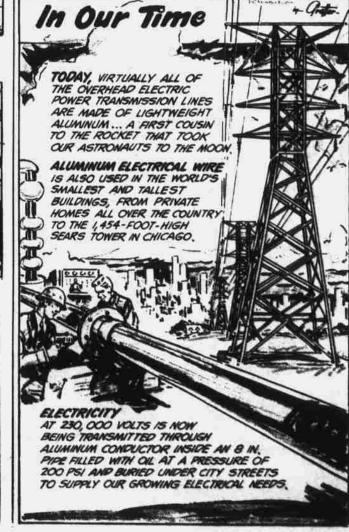


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