

Wrightway Home Solutions

Home Insurance



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Welcome

Your Home Solutions Insurance contract consists of two documents:

The Policy – This Booklet which details the extent of cover for each of the sections chosen by you and the policy conditions and exceptions.

The schedule – which includes details of the risk address, operative sections and clauses, the sums insured and the period of insurance.

Under the relevant European and Irish Legal provisions, the parties to this contract of insurance, we, Zurich Insurance plc and you, the Insured, are free to choose the law applicable to the contract. We propose that this contract is governed by Irish Law.

Please read these documents carefully and keep them in a safe place. If they do not meet your requirements or if you have any queries regarding the cover or terms and conditions, please contact your Insurance Broker or Zurich Insurance plc.

If you wish to make alterations to your Policy, they must be notified to us immediately for cover to operate. Such alterations may include the purchase of a piece of jewellery, home improvements such as an extension or the addition of a conservatory to your home.

Emergency Assistance

When the unexpected happens, it's reassuring to know that help is at hand when **you** need it, that **you** can talk to someone who will be able to give **you** advice and assistance immediately.

If **you** are experiencing an emergency and have concerns for the safety of **your Home** or **Household**, please ensure to contact the relevant emergency services department.

Emergency Helpline

Zurich, in conjunction with **our** assistance company provide an emergency Helpline, to ensure that our customers get the assistance they need. As a Zurich customer **you** can avail of **our** 24-hour, 365-day helpline, by dialling **1890 208 408**. Use of this service is not recorded as a claim on **Your** policy.

Getting your home back in order

Our experienced staff will offer **you** immediate assistance, day or night, whatever **your** emergency.

- We will arrange for an approved contractor to call to your home and deal with your emergency.
- You will be required to pay a call out fee. The contractor must provide you with a receipt.
- If additional work is then required, the contractor must provide you with a written estimate
 and explanation of the work to be carried out.
- You are responsible for instructing the contractor to complete this work. Payment for this
 work must be collected directly from you. Please retain any damaged materials/goods in
 order to substantiate any future claim.
- You may be able to claim for the work completed by the contractor under your Home
 Insurance Policy. Once we are satisfied that the damage/repairs are covered by your policy,
 we will reimburse you for the agreed amount less any policy excess.
- The advantages to **you**, **our** customer, are:
 - faster response to vour emergency
 - specially negotiated rates for your repairs or replacement of your items even if the damage is not covered under your Policy
 - help and assistance at a traumatic time.
- If the emergency relates to plumbing, leaking roof, locks, glazing, the primary heating system
 or the electrical supply and is impacting the **Home** (excluding garages and outbuildings) **you**may be entitled to the cost of the call out fee and/or emergency repairs up to the cover limit
 of €300 and up to a maximum of four incidents per period of Insurance.

What **we** cover

- Plumbing the sudden or unexpected Breakdown of, or damage to, the plumbing and/or drainage system which would result in internal liquid damage to the Home (excluding garages and outbuildings). This includes leaking pipes, blocked drains, water tanks, and blockages in toilet waste pipes or leaking radiators.
- Security and Glazing the sudden or unexpected failure of, or damage caused to external locks, doors or windows which has rendered the Home (excluding garages and outbuildings) insecure, including theft or loss of keys and/or broken external window glass.
- Roofing Storm or accidental damage to the roof of the Home (excluding garages and outbuildings) necessitating repair.
- Primary Heating System the complete failure or breakdown of either the heating and/or hot water supply provided by the primary heating system in the Home.
- Electrical Supply the sudden, unexpected Breakdown of the electricity supply (or one phase thereof) impacting the Home (excluding garages and outbuildings).

Covered up to a maximum payable of €300 per incident.

You can avail of a maximum of four incidents per period of Insurance.

Emergency Repair Exclusions

- Any loss or damage outside the private dwelling, for example damage to sheds, unconnected garages, and other outbuildings.
- Any loss or damage in relation to Subsidence, Ground heave or landslip.
- Damage where the property is **Unoccupied** for longer than 30 consecutive days.
- The cost of any work, which was carried out without approval, including any cost relating to the attempted repair by You or Your own contractor.
- When the work necessary for repair needs to be carried out in Inaccessible/ Dangerous Conditions, i.e. roofing during gale force winds, internal spaces of height without suitable guard rails etc.
- Damage due to Fire, lightning, explosion, tempest, Flood, earthquake, impact or other extraneous cause.
- Any claim caused by, contributed to, by or arising from:
 - (a) ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from burning nuclear fuel;
 - (b) the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear part of it;
 - (c) war, invasion, foreign enemy hostilities (whether war is declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, military force or coup; or
 - (d) Pressure waves caused by aircraft or any other airborne devices travelling at sonic or supersonic speeds.

What we cover	Emergency Repair Exclusions
	Cover is for emergencies and does not cover general maintenance and/or repairs or replacements required due to normal wear and tear.
	Cover is not in place for issues which existed prior to policy inception.
	Cover is not in place where the root cause of the problem emanates from a communal area that You do not have sole responsibility for.
	Subsequent investigation work, such as trace and access, following the emergency repair.

If the damage is one of the items listed above, **you** may also avail of the following benefits:

Alternative Accommodation – If the **Home** (excluding garages and outbuildings) is deemed uninhabitable, **our** assistance company will provide overnight accommodation for 4 people, at an establishment of **your** choice. Subject to a maximum payable of €50 per person up to a total amount payable of €200 for any one incident.

Furniture Storage – If the **Home** (excluding garages and outbuildings) is deemed uninhabitable, and it is necessary to remove **Household** furniture for security reasons, **we** will provide 7 days storage for **your** furniture and transport to and from the security storage location up to a distance of 50km from the **Home**. Subject to a maximum payable of €200 for any one incident.

Urgent Message Relay – When an emergency occurs within the **Home** (excluding garages and outbuildings), **we** will relay two urgent messages to a **family** member at **Home** or abroad.

Making a Claim

Emergency Assistance

Accidents can happen. If you are unfortunate to have an accident, you can now avail of the Emergency Helpline, **1890 208 408**.

What do you do?

First, check your insurance Policy to see if the incident that has occurred is covered by your Policy. If it is, then please dial 1890 208 408. We will take details of your claim and arrange for an approved contractor to call out to your home and deal with the damage that has occurred. We will also find out what items have been damaged or stolen and take steps to organise replacements for some of them from our approved suppliers. To access information regarding an existing claim, simply dial 1890 208 408 (24 hours, 365 days a year).

Our priority is to provide financial support to customers throughout the claim process to ensure any repair/reinstatement work is completed as quickly as possible. In the event of a property claim, where we elect to settle a claim on a cash basis, we may release a proportion of the estimated cost of repair/reinstatement prior to completion of the work.

You must keep your receipts for any repair/reinstatement work as you will need to validate these costs. The balance of the cost, otherwise known as a 'retention amount', will be given to you on receipt of the appropriate documentation that validates the costs incurred by you for the repair/reinstatement work (e.g. VAT invoices).

Underinsurance

Protecting your Home and Contents

The purchase of your home represents probably the largest financial investment you will make in your lifetime. It is, therefore, vitally important that you protect your investment by insuring it for the correct value.

Each year you should review the amount for which you have insured your buildings and contents. In addition, if home improvements have been carried out, such as the building of an extension or the conversion of the attic, or if you have purchased additional contents, the sums insured should be increased to reflect this.

It is important that the base value of your buildings and contents are regularly reviewed.

Home protection tips

Storm

To minimise damage from storms, we suggest the following:

- Mineral felt roofs have a limited life span and are subject to wear and tear and deterioration
 over time. Check the roof covering at regular intervals and replace the felt where there are
 signs of deterioration. Remember, your Policy does not cover the maintenance costs involved
 in repairing or replacing the roof. The Policy specifically excludes damage caused by wear
 and tear and gradual deterioration.
- Ensure your tiles and guttering are secure.
- Check that the gutters and drains are not blocked.
- If a storm is forecast, make sure all gates are bolted. Put any garden furniture, lawnmowers
 or plant pots in a garden shed and lock it.

Fire prevention

Every year many people are killed or injured and homes are destroyed as a result of domestic fires. You can reduce the risk of fire by taking the following precautions:

- Do not overload an electrical point. Unplug all appliances when not in use.
- Repair faulty wiring, frayed leads and loose plugs.
- All fires and heaters should have a secure fireguard. Never leave the room without having a guard in front of the fire.
- Chimneys should be swept at least once a year.
- Avoid careless smoking, especially in bedrooms.
- Matches should be kept well away from children.
- Close all internal doors when going to bed.
- Keep heaters away from furniture, curtains and bedclothes.
- Never move or refuel an oil or gas heater while it is lighting.
- Keep all electrical flexes off cooker rings and hobs.
- Be especially careful with chip pans, they should never be left unattended on a lighted cooker.
- You should install at least two smoke detectors in your house. Smoke detectors should be tested regularly to ensure they are working properly. Change the batteries at least twice a year.

Water damage

There are various weather hazards which you cannot avoid, but against which you can protect your home.

- Lag pipes and water tanks wherever possible.
- Leave the underside of tanks free to ensure rising warmth can reach them.
- Replace washers on dripping taps.

Burglary prevention

Unfortunately, theft has become part of everyday life in many areas. Most thieves are opportunists who commit crimes when they spot an easily entered home. Such opportunities can be removed by fitting and using good quality locks on doors and windows and by installing an approved alarm system.

- All external doors should be fitted with five-lever mortise deadlocks and the keys should be removed from the lock.
- All patio doors should be fitted with key-operated patio door locks. The keys should be removable. A stop should be fitted in the top of the door frame to prevent the doors from being lifted out of their frame.
- All ground floor windows and other accessible windows, fanlights and rooflights should be fitted with key-operated security locks or stops with removable keys or key-operated security bolts with removable keys.

Before going on holidays:

If you have an automatic light switch installed, set it to operate at the times you normally switch the lights on.

- Cancel all deliveries, e.g. milk, newspapers etc.
- Ask a neighbour to pop in from time to time to check on the house and to remove post from the letterbox/porch.
- Inform your local Garda station that you will be away.
- Check that all windows and doors are securely locked.
- Set your intruder alarm, smoke detectors and other alarm systems check that the batteries in all alarms are working.

The Contract of Insurance

This Policy is a contract between you and us.

We will insure you under those sections shown in the schedule during any period of insurance for which we have accepted your premium provided all the terms and conditions of the Policy are kept.

The Policy, schedule and any endorsements should be read as if they are one document and any word or expression to which a specific meaning has been given in any part of the contract shall have the same meaning wherever it appears.

The proposal form and declaration signed by the Insured or the Statement of Facts issued to the Insured are the factual basis of the contract. For and on behalf of Zurich Insurance plc ('Zurich').

This policy which has been arranged by Wrightway Underwriting Ltd (Wrightway) who are a Managing General Agent regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland.

Further information can be obtained in the Wrightway privacy policy which is available at: http://www.wrightway.ie/regulations

Meaning of Words

Certain words in the Policy have special meanings. These meanings are given below or defined at the beginning of the appropriate section. To help **You** identify these words in the Policy **We** have printed them in bold throughout.

Bodily injury

Death, injury, illness or disease.

Buildings

The **Home**, landlord's fixtures and fittings on or in the **Home**, walls, gates, fences, hedges, terraces, patios, drives, paths, tennis hard courts and swimming pools, all at the situation of the **Premises** shown in the schedule

Contents

Household goods, personal belongings (including **Valuable property**), collections of stamps, coins or medals up to €260, tenant's fixtures and fittings (including interior decorations), radio and television aerials fittings and masts (including satellite dishes, receivers and ancillary equipment up to €650) on or in the **Home**, all belonging to or the legal responsibility of **You** or a member of your **Household**.

The following property is not included as **Contents**:

- motor vehicles including any mechanically propelled vehicles which includes e-scooters and e-bikes (other than mechanically propelled lawnmowers), caravans, trailers, aircraft, watercraft, hovercraft, or parts or accessories normally on or in any of them,
- landlord's fixtures and fittings,
- any living creature,
- property owned or held in trust in connection with any business, profession or trade,
- Money of any kind,
- deeds (except as provided under paragraph 21), bonds, bills of exchange, securities, documents, manuscripts,
- property more specifically insured or any amount that You cannot recover from a more specific insurance because the insurer refuses or reduces the claim, or the sum insured is inadequate on a specified item.

Credit cards

Credit, cheque, bankers or cash dispensing cards.

Excess

The monetary amount of any claim which is not insured. This amount is shown in the relevant paragraphs of the Policy or in the schedule.

Family

Your relatives (including your partner and all children) who normally live in the **Home**.

Flood

- (a) the escape of water from the normal confines of any natural or artificial water course (other than water tanks, apparatus or pipes) or lake, reservoir, canal or dam,
 - or
- (b) inundation from the sea

whether resulting from storm or otherwise.

Geographical limits

The Republic of Ireland, Northern Ireland, Great Britain, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

Ground heave

The upwards expansion of the ground resulting in damage to the building foundations.

Home

The private dwelling, garage and outbuildings used for domestic purposes only, all at the situation of the **Premises** shown in the schedule.

Household

Your **Family** and domestic staff permanently living in the **Home**.

Money

Cash, cheques, postal orders, bankers drafts, travel tickets, savings stamps and certificates, premium bonds, current postage stamps, gift tokens, luncheon vouchers, trading stamps and telephone call cards all held for social or domestic purposes.

Premises

The **Buildings** and the land within the boundaries belonging to them.

Settlement

The vertical movement of the ground surface (and therefore of foundations and structures founded upon it) arising from the weight of the building.

Subsidence

The downward movement within the ground independent of the building load.

Unfurnished

Without sufficient furniture and furnishings for normal living purposes.

Unoccupied

Not permanently lived in by **You** or by a person authorised by **You**.

Valuable property

Jewellery, items of gold, silver or other precious metals, watches, photographic equipment, binoculars, paintings, works of art, curios, antiques, furs, musical instruments, radios, televisions, other audio or video equipment and computer equipment. The most **We** will pay is one third of the sum insured by section B − **Contents**, but not more than €5,000 for any one article, set or collection.

We or Us

Zurich Insurance plc.

You

The person or people shown in the schedule as the Insured.

Section A – Buildings

Meaning of words

Words with special meanings in this section are defined on pages 11-13.

The cover

What is insured	What is not insured
The Buildings are insured against loss or damage caused by the events in paragraphs 1 to 11.	
Fire, smoke, lightning, explosion or earthquake.	Smoke damage caused by: • agricultural or industrial operations, any
	gradually operating cause, or smog.
	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
2. Storm or Flood .	Loss or damage:
	caused by frost, Subsidence , Ground heave or landslip,
	• to gates, fences or hedges,
	due to wear and tear or gradual deterioration.
	We will not pay for the cost of removing any fallen trees or branches unless the tree or branch has caused damage to the Buildings. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

What is insured	What is not insured
Subsidence or Ground heave of the site on which the Buildings	Loss or damage in respect of apartment blocks (purpose built or converted).
stand or landslip.	Loss or Damage:
	caused by Settlement due to building load, bedding down, coastal, lake or river erosion, structural alterations or repairs or demolition, defective design and/or construction, defective or inappropriate foundations and the use of faulty materials,
	caused by building on made-up ground or filled-in land,
	to walls, gates, fences, hedges, terraces, patios, drives, paths, tennis hard courts unless liability is admitted under the policy for loss or damage to the Home from the same cause occurring at the same time,
	to floor slabs unless the foundations beneath the walls are damaged at the same time by the same cause,
	associated with such causes arising prior to payment of premiums for the period of insurance in which a claim may arise.
	Loss or damage if any part of the Buildings suffered previous loss or damage by Subsidence , Ground heave or landslip unless same has been disclosed to and accepted by Us .
	The first €2,000 of each incident of loss or damage.

Wh	at is insured	What is not insured
4.	Stealing or attempted stealing.	Loss or damage:
		while any part of the Home is lent, let or sub-let, unless entry to or exit from the Home is made using violence and force,
		caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days,
		caused by a member of the Household other than domestic staff.
		The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
5.	Riot, civil, labour or political disturbance.	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
6.	6. Vandals or malicious people.	Loss or damage caused:
		by someone lawfully on the Premises ,
		after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days,
		• by any modifications to the premises .
		The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
7.	Escape of water from or the bursting	Loss or damage:
of any fixed domestic water or heating installation. We will also pay for the escape of water from any washing machine, dishwasher, refrigerator, freezer, or fixed fish tank.	installation. We will also pay for the escape of water from any washing	caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days.
	to any fixed domestic water or heating installation due to wear and tear, rust, or gradual deterioration.	
	to tiles, walls, floors and ceiling caused by the gradual leakage of ingress of water from all fixed sanitary ware units including baths and shower units.	
		The first €650 of each incident of loss or damage.

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
8.	Escape of oil from any fixed domestic heating installation.	caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days. to any fixed domestic heating installation due to wear and tear, rust, or gradual deterioration. The first €650 of each incident of loss
9.	Collision with the Buildings , by aircraft, other aerial devices, road or rail vehicles, or articles falling from them, or by animals.	or damage. Loss or damage caused by your pets. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage
10.	Falling trees or branches.	 Loss or damage to gates, fences or hedges. Damage caused by felling or lopping of trees. We will not pay for the cost of removing any fallen trees or branches unless the tree or branch has caused damage to the Buildings. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
11.	Falling aerials, aerial fittings or masts.	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
12.	Breakage of fixed glass and sanitary ware Accidental breakage of fixed glass in windows, doors or roofs or fixed sanitary ware in the Home .	 Loss or damage caused: after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days. by vandals or malicious people lawfully on the Premises. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
13.	Service pipes and cables. Accidental damage to cables, underground pipes or underground tanks servicing the Home .	• Loss or damage due to wear and tear, rust or gradual deterioration. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage or the first €2,000 of each incident of loss or damage which results in subsidence or ground heave to the Buildings which is a direct consequence of the accidental damage to cables, underground pipes or underground tanks servicing the home .
14.	Blockage of sewer pipes. The cost of breaking into and repairing the pipe between the main sewer and the Home following the blockage of the pipe.	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
15.	Rent and Alternative Accommodation. If the Home is made uninhabitable by damage from any cause insured by this section, We will pay for:	
	 rent You would have received and rent which continues to be payable by You, 	
	• the reasonable extra cost of comparable alternative accommodation if You occupy the Home ,	
	but only during the period necessary to reinstate the Home to a habitable condition.	
	The work of reinstatement or repair must be done without delay.	
	The most We will pay under this paragraph is 20% of the sum insured by this section.	

What is insured	What is not insured
16. Liability to the public.	Liability arising directly or indirectly from:
Any amounts which You , as owner of the Premises , become legally liable to pay as compensation for an accident occurring during the period of insurance	an agreement which imposes a liability which You would not otherwise have been under,
which causes Bodily injury to a person or accidental loss of or damage to property.	the occupation of the Premises,any business, profession or trade.
The most We will pay for any one claim	Liability for:
or number of claims arising from one cause is €1,300,000 plus costs agreed by Us in writing.	Bodily injury to a member of your Household or any other person permanently residing with You,
	Bodily injury to a person under a contract of service or apprenticeship with You or a member of your Family,
	loss of or damage to property owned or held in trust by or in the custody or control of You or a member of your Household or any other person permanently residing with You ,
	any wilful, malicious, deliberate or reckless act committed by anybody living in the home .
17. Fire brigade charges.	
Charges levied by a fire authority in accordance with the provisions of the Fire Services Act 1981 in controlling or extinguishing fire affecting (or threatening to affect) the Buildings in circumstances which have given rise to a valid claim under this policy.	
The most We will pay is €1,750 for Buildings and/or Contents .	

What is insured	What is not insured
The following only applies if the schedule shows that accidental damage to Buildings is included.	Loss or damage: caused by wear and tear or gradual deterioration, insects, vermin, corrosion,
18. Extended accidental damage. The Buildings are insured against any accidental damage in addition to the events under paragraphs 1 to 14 of this section. NOTE: Cover does not operate if the Home or any part of the Home is lent, let or sub-let.	rot, mildew, fungus, atmospheric conditions, the action of light, any process of heating, drying, cleaning, decorating, alteration or repair, misuse, faulty workmanship or design, the use of faulty materials, or breakdown. • caused by chewing, scratching, tearing or fouling by domestic pets. • while any part of the Home is lent, let or sub-let. Any loss, damage or amount shown as not insured under paragraphs 1 to 14 of this section. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
19. Trace and Access.	Loss or damage:
We will pay up to €750 to remove or replace any part of the Buildings necessary to repair any fixed domestic	to the item from which the escape occurred.
water or heating installation where water or oil has escaped.	caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days.

Settling claims

We will pay, at our option, the full cost of repair, or reinstatement as new, of the damaged part of the **buildings** provided that the work is done without delay or, at our option, **we** will arrange for the work to be carried out. However, this will be subject to the following:

Underinsurance

Our liability for repair or reinstatement following insured loss or damage shall not exceed the sum insured on **buildings** at the time of loss or damage.

To safeguard your financial interest in your property **you** must insure the full reinstatement value of your **buildings**, which should include due allowance for debris removal costs, architects, surveyors, consulting engineers and other fees necessarily incurred in the reinstatement of the property. Failure to do so will result in your claim settlement being reduced.

The **buildings** sum insured as stated in the Policy Schedule is subject to the following condition of average: If the sum insured on **buildings** at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of rebuilding as new all the **buildings** (including fees as above) covered by this Policy and such difference is greater than 15% of the rebuilding cost as new, **we** will pay only that proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to the cost of rebuilding as new all the **buildings** covered by this Policy.

Wear and Tear

We will deduct an amount for wear and tear if the **buildings** are in a poor state of repair or decoration.

- If it is necessary to make a deduction for wear and tear, then for the purposes of determining
 whether or not there is underinsurance, the cost of rebuilding as new all the **buildings**covered by this Policy less the deduction for wear and tear will be compared with your actual
 sum insured.
- We will not pay any cost relating to the replacement of, or work on, any undamaged or remaining items which form part of a set, suite, group or collection of articles of a similar nature, colour, pattern or design when the loss or damage is restricted to a clearly identifiable area or to a specific part and replacements cannot be matched. If repair or reinstatement is not carried out (at your request, which must be explained and reasonable) we will pay the reduction in market value resulting from the loss or damage, but only up to what it would have cost to rebuild or repair if such work had been carried out without delay.

The most **we** will pay under paragraphs 1 to 14, 18 and 'Additional Costs' below is the sum insured by this section.

We will automatically reinstate the sum insured from the date of payment of any claim unless **we** have given **you** written notice to the contrary before payment.

Additional Costs

We will pay the necessary and reasonable expenses that **you** incur with our consent in reinstating the **buildings** following loss or damage insured under this section, namely:

- fees to architects, surveyors, consulting engineers and others agreed by us,
- the cost of clearing the site and making it and the home safe,
- the cost of complying with any government or local authority requirements following loss or damage unless you were given notice of the requirements before the loss or damage occurred,
- any penalties/fines imposed on you by the local authority in relation to endangering
 the structure of your property or failing to carry out work that has been ordered by the
 planning authority.

Where **you** were not notified of any government or local authority requirements prior to the loss or damage occurring and such requirements increase the rebuilding as new cost, this increased cost will be disregarded for the purposes of determining whether or not the **buildings** are underinsured.

We will not pay:

• fees incurred by **you** for preparing a claim under this section.

Mortgagees Clause

The interest of the mortgagee shall not be prejudiced by any act or neglect by **You**, your **Household** or any tenant that increases the danger of damage without the authority or knowledge of the mortgagee, provided that the mortgagee as soon as reasonably possible after becoming aware of the danger, shall give notice to **Us** and pay an additional premium if required.

Index-linking

We will monitor rebuilding costs using a range of appropriate indices and market information that **we** have available to **us**

We will automatically adjust the Buildings sum insured (but not any monetary limits) to help protect **you** against inflation.

This adjustment of the sum insured will:

be subject to a minimum increase of 2% in the reviewed indexes during the period of insurance.

We will not charge extra premium during the period of insurance but at the end of the period **We** will calculate the renewal premium on the revised sum insured.

More than one Home

When more than one **Home** is insured the terms and conditions of the policy shall apply as if each is separately insured.

Selling your Home

If **You** are selling your **Home We** will insure the buyer up to the date the contract is completed unless he/she has arranged his/her own insurance. The buyer must keep to the terms and conditions of the policy.

Underinsurance (Average)

If the sum insured on **Buildings** at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of rebuilding as new all the **Buildings** covered then **You** shall be considered as being your own insurer for the difference and **We** will pay only that proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to such cost.

If it is necessary to make a deduction for wear and tear then the cost of rebuilding as new less the allowance for wear and tear will be compared with your actual sum insured. **You** will only be paid that proportion of the loss or damage which your sum insured bears to this cost of rebuilding.

Section B – Contents

Meaning of words

Words with special meanings in this section are defined on pages 11-13.

The cover

What is insured	What is not insured
The Contents are insured while in the Home against loss or damage caused by the events in paragraphs 1 to 11.	
Fire, smoke, lightning, explosion or earthquake.	Smoke damage caused by:
	agricultural or industrial operations,
	any gradually operating cause,
	• smog.
	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
2. Storm or Flood .	Loss or damage caused by frost.
	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

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What is insured	What is not insured
3. Subsidence or Ground heave of the site on which the Buildings stand	
or landslip.	Loss or damage:
	 caused by Settlement due to building load, bedding down, coastal, lake or river erosion, structural alterations or repairs or demolition, defective design and/or construction, defective or inappropriate foundations and the use of faulty materials,
	caused by building on made-up ground or filled-in land,
	unless the Home is damaged at the same time by the same cause,
	to floor slabs unless the foundations beneath the walls are damaged at the same time by the same cause,
	 associated with such causes arising prior to payment of premiums for the period of insurance in which a claim may arise.
	Loss or damage if any part of the Buildings suffered previous loss or damage by Subsidence , Ground heave or landslip unless same has been disclosed to and accepted by Us .
	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
4. Stealing or attempted stea	ng. Loss or damage:
	while any part of the Home is lent, let or sub-let, unless entry to or exit from the Home is made using violence and force,
	 caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days,
	• caused by a member of your Household other than domestic staff.
	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
5.	Riot, civil, labour or political disturbance.	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
6.	Vandals or malicious people.	Loss or damage caused:
		by someone lawfully on the Premises ,
		after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days.
		The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
7.	7. Escape of water from any fixed domestic water or heating installation, washing machine, dishwasher, refrigerator, freezer, or fixed fish tank.	Loss or damage caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days.
		The first €650 of each incident of loss or damage.
8.	Escape of oil from any fixed domestic heating installation.	Loss or damage caused after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days.
		The first €650 of each incident of loss or damage.
9.	Collision by aircraft, other aerial devices, road or rail vehicles, or articles falling from them, or by animals.	Loss or damage caused by domestic pets.
		The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
10.	Falling trees or branches.	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
11.	Falling aerials, aerial fittings or masts.	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
	Breakage of glass. Accidental breakage while in the Home of mirrors, plate glass tops to furniture, fixed glass in furniture or ceramic hobs.	Damage while any part of the Home is lent, let or sub-let. Loss or damage caused: • after the Home is left Unfurnished or Unoccupied for more than 30 consecutive days, • by vandals or malicious people lawfully on the Premises . The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
13.	Personal Money . Accidental loss of or accidental damage to Money belonging to You or a member of your Family , anywhere in the world, up to €400.	Loss of Money from the Home while any part of the Home is lent, let or sub-let, unless entry to or exit from the Home is made using violence and force. Stealing of Money from an unattended road vehicle unless from a locked boot or concealed compartment and entry or exit is made using violence and force. Shortages caused by error or omission. Depreciation in value. Losses not reported to the Gardaí within 24 hours of discovery. Confiscation or detention by customs or other officials. The first €75 of each loss.
14.	Credit cards. Financial loss arising from unauthorised use following loss or theft of Credit cards belonging to You or a member of your Family, up to €650.	Unauthorised use by a member of your Household . Liability following breach of the terms and conditions of use. Confiscation or detention by customs or other officials.

Wh	at is insured	What is not insured
15.	Freezer Contents . Deterioration of food or drink caused by:	Deterioration resulting from the deliberate act of the supply authority. Any consequence of strikes, labour or political disturbances.
	 a change in temperature of the freezer or refrigerator in the Home, 	
	• contamination by accidental escape of refrigerant or refrigerant fumes.	The first €75 of each incident of loss or damage.
	We will pay for the cost of replacing food and drink unfit for human consumption.	
	The most We will pay is €400.	
16.	Contents in the open.	Any loss, damage or amount shown as not
	The Contents are insured while in the open within the boundaries of the land	insured under paragraph 1 and paragraphs 3 to 11 of this section.
	belonging to the Home against loss or	Plants and trees.
	damage caused by events in paragraph 1 and paragraphs 3 to 11 of this section.	Loss or damage due to wear and tear, rust or gradual deterioration.
	The most We will pay is €500.	The first €75 of each incident of loss or damage.

What is insured

17. **Contents** temporarily removed.

The **Contents** are insured within the **Geographical limits** while temporarily removed from the **Premises** against loss or damage caused by:

- the events insured in paragraphs 1 to 3 and 5 to 11 of this section,
- stealing or attempted stealing from:
 - a bank or safe deposit or in transit directly to or from a bank or safe deposit while in the custody or control of **You** or a member of your **Household**,
 - within an occupied building, boat or caravan used for residential purposes or a building where **You** or a member of your **Family** are employed, engaged in your/their business or temporarily living, any other building provided entry to or exit from the building is made using violence and force.

The most **We** will pay is 15% of the sum insured by this section.

18 **Household** removal

Accidental loss of or accidental damage to the **Contents** while they are:

- being moved by professional furniture removers to your new Home within the Geographical limits,
- in temporary storage, for up to 7 days in a furniture depository.

What is not insured

Loss or damage caused by storm, **Flood** or falling trees or branches while the **Contents** are in transit or in the open.

Property removed for sale or exhibition or to a furniture depository.

Stealing of Money.

Any loss, damage or amount shown as not insured under paragraphs 1 to 11 of this section.

The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

Money, gold or silver articles, jewellery or furs.

Loss or damage:

- if **You** have arranged other insurance,
- not reported to **Us** within
 7 days of delivery to the new **Home**.

Cracking, scratching or breakage of china, glass or similar brittle articles, unless packed by professional packers.

The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
19.	Accidental loss of oil or metered water. Loss of:	Loss or damage due to wear and tear, rust or gradual deterioration of any water or oil apparatus or installation.
	• oil from a domestic heating installation,	The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
	• metered water,	
	following accidental damage to the domestic water or heating installation.	
20.	Title deeds.	Any loss, damage or amount shown as
	The cost of preparing new title deeds to the Premises if they are lost or damaged by a cause insured under the events in paragraphs 1 to 11 of this section while in the Home or while kept in your bank for safe-keeping.	not insured under paragraphs 1 to 11 of this section.
	The most We will pay is €650.	
21.	Fatal Accidents.	
	Fatal injury to You and/or your spouse or partner as a direct result of:	
	• fire, accident or assault, in the Premises ,	
	 an accident while travelling within the Geographical limits as a fare-paying passenger in any road or rail vehicle, 	
	• assault in the street within the Geographical limits , provided death follows within 12 months of the injury.	
	The maximum amount payable by Us is €3,250 in respect of any one incident.	

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
22.	Rent and alternative accommodation.	
	If the Home is made uninhabitable by damage from any cause insured by this section We will pay for:	
	• rent which continues to be payable by You ,	
	 the reasonable extra cost of comparable alternative accommodation if You occupy the Home, 	
	• the reasonable cost of temporary storage of furniture,	
	• the reasonable extra cost of temporary accommodation for domestic pets,	
	but only during the period necessary to reinstate the Home to a habitable condition.	
	The work of reinstatement or repair must be done without delay.	
	The most We will pay under this paragraph is 20% of the sum insured by this section.	
23.	Replacement of locks.	The first €350 of each incident of loss
	The cost of replacing and fitting outside door locks to the Home if the keys of such locks are stolen.	or damage.
	The most We will pay is €500.	
24.	Tenant's liability.	Any loss or damage or amount shown as not
	Your legal liability as tenant for loss or damage to the Buildings caused by an event in paragraphs 1 to 14 and 17 of section A – Buildings . The most We will pay is 10% of the sum insured by this section.	insured under paragraphs 1 to 14 of Section A – Buildings .

What is insured

25. Liability to domestic employees.

Any amounts which **You** or a member of your **Family** become legally liable to pay as damages for **Bodily injury** to your domestic employees (including chauffeurs, grooms, gardeners and temporary and occasional employees or any person carrying out repairs or decorations) directly employed by **You** or a member of your **Family** in connection with your **Premises** or any temporary residence within the Republic of Ireland.

The most **We** will pay for any one claim or number of claims arising from one cause is €2,600,000. (This includes all costs agreed by **Us** in writing).

Where **We** agree to indemnify more than one party then nothing in this policy shall increase our liability to pay any amount in respect of one claim or series of claims in **Excess** of the amount stated above.

What is not insured

Liability for:

- Bodily injury to any person employed by You or a member of your Family for which compulsory motor insurance or security is required under the Road Traffic Act 1961 or any subsequent amending legislation to this Act,
- Bodily injury to any member of your Family or any other person permanently residing with You,
- Bodily injury to any person in the course of their duties, where employed by you or a member of your family, for the purposes of providing care unless advised to us and confirmed in writing by us.

What is insured

- Liability to the public. Any amounts which **You** or a member of your **Household**:
 - as occupier of the **Premises** or any other building, boat or caravan used as temporary holiday accommodation,
 - as private individuals anywhere in the Republic of Ireland, Great Britain, the Isle of Man, the Channel Islands or Northern Ireland or elsewhere for 30 days,

become legally liable to pay as compensation for an accident occurring during the period of insurance which causes **Bodily injury** to any person or loss of or damage to property.

The most **We** will pay for any one claim or number of claims arising from one cause is €1,300,000 plus costs agreed by **Us** in writing.

What is not insured

Liability arising directly or indirectly from:

- an agreement which imposes a liability which You or a member of your Household would not otherwise have been under,
- · ownership of any land or building,
- · any business, profession or trade,
- racing, hunting or playing polo,
- any wilful, malicious, deliberate or reckless act.
- the transmission of Human Immune deficiency Virus (HIV) and/or HIV related illness including Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) and/or any mutant derivative or variations thereof however caused,
- the transmission of any communicable disease, by You or a member of your Household.

Liability arising directly or indirectly from the ownership or use of:

- aircraft (except toys and models),
- mechanically propelled vehicles including e-bikes and e-scooters (except domestic garden implements used within the boundary of the **Premises**, motorised golf buggies on a golf course, motorised wheelchairs or use of a vehicle solely as a passenger having no right of control),
- any trailer caravan or vehicle trailers whether attached or not attached to a vehicle which arises in situations where compulsory insurance must be arranged under the Road Traffic Act 1961 or any subsequent amending legislation to this Act,

What is insured	What is not insured
	watercraft (except toys and models), sailboards or hovercraft,
	firearms (except shotguns or airguns used for sporting activities),
	animals (except horses and pets which are normally domesticated in the Republic of Ireland)
	Liability arising directly or indirectly from the ownership, possession, use or control of:
	dangerous dogs as specified in regulations made under the Control of Dogs Act 1986 or amendments thereto is not covered if such ownership, possession, use or control is not in accordance with the provisions of such regulations,
	horses is not covered if such ownership, possession, use or control is not in accordance with Local Authority Bye-laws as made under the Control of Horses Act 1996 or amendments thereto.
	Liability for:
	Bodily injury to a member of your Household or any other person permanently residing with You, or to a person under a contract of service or apprenticeship with You or a member of your Family,
	loss or damage to property owned or held in trust by or in the custody or control of You or a member of your Household or any other person permanently residing with You ,
	the first €350 of each incident of loss or damage in respect of temporary holiday accommodation.

Wha	at is insured	What is not insured
27.	Fire brigade charges.	
	Charges levied by a fire authority in accordance with the provisions of the Fire Services Act 1981 in controlling or extinguishing fire affecting (or threatening to affect) the Contents in circumstances which have given rise to a valid claim under this policy. The most We will pay is €1,750 for Buildings and/or Contents .	
28.	Christmas gifts.	
	The sum insured by this section is automatically increased by 10% during the month of December only, to insure gifts and extra food and drink bought for the Christmas season.	
29.	Wedding gifts. The sum insured by this section is automatically increased by 10% to insure wedding gifts during the period of one month before and one month after the wedding day of You or a member of your Family .	Losses that can be recovered under another insurance.

What is insured

The following only applies if the schedule shows that accidental damage to **Contents** is included.

30. Extended accidental damage.

The **Contents** are insured while in the **Home** against any accidental damage in addition to the events under paragraphs 1 to 13 of this section.

NOTE: Cover does not operate if the **Home** or any part of the **Home** is lent, let or sub-let

What is not insured

Contents lost in the home.

Damage to clothing (including furs), hearing aids, contact lenses, money, stamps, coins or medals, food or drink, mobile phones, dentures, tablets, laptops, hearing aids.

Cracking, scratching or breakage of china, marble, porcelain, glass or other similar brittle articles. Damage caused by or arising from:

- wear and tear or gradual deterioration,
- gradually operating causes,
- insects, parasites or vermin,
- corrosion, fungus, mildew or rot,
- atmospheric or climatic conditions, frost or the action of light,
- alteration, repair, maintenance, restoration, dismantling, renovation or breakdown,
- chewing, scratching, tearing or fouling by domestic pets belonging to you or a member of your household,
- computer viruses,
- any process of cleaning, drying, dyeing, heating or washing,
- faulty design or workmanship or the use of faulty materials,
- demolition, structural alteration or structural repair of the buildings.

Any loss, damage or amount shown as not insured under paragraphs 1 to 12 of this section. The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.

Settling claims

We will pay, at our option, the full cost of replacement as new, or repair, of the **contents** lost or damaged or, at our option, **we** will replace the **contents** or arrange for the repair work to be carried out. However, this will be subject to the following:

Underinsurance

Our liability for repair or replacement as new of **contents** following insured loss or damage shall not exceed the sum insured on **contents** at the time of loss or damage.

To safeguard your financial interest in your property **you** must insure the full replacement value as new of your **contents**. Failure to do so will result in your claim settlement being reduced.

The **contents** sum insured as stated in the Policy Schedule is subject to the following condition of average: If the sum insured on **contents** at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of replacing as new all the **contents** covered by this Policy and such difference is greater than 15% of the replacement cost as new, **we** will pay only that proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to the cost of replacing as new all the **contents** covered by this Policy.

Wear and Tear

We will deduct an amount for wear and tear:

- for clothing, footwear, furs and linen,
- for floor coverings more than 12 months old where a claim arises under paragraph 31,
 Extended accidental damage. If it is necessary to make a deduction for wear and tear,
 for the purposes of determining whether or not there is underinsurance, the cost of
 replacement as new of all the **contents** covered by this Policy less the deduction for
 wear and tear will be compared with your actual sum insured.
- We will not pay any cost relating to the replacement of, or work on, any undamaged
 or remaining items which form part of a set, suite, group or collection of articles of a
 similar nature, colour, pattern or design when the loss or damage is restricted to a clearly
 identifiable area or to a specific part and replacements cannot be matched,
- The most we will pay under paragraphs 1 to 12, 15, 18, 19 and 30 is the sum insured by
 this section subject to the condition of average but see also the limitations on pages 11-13
 with regard to collections of stamps, coins or medals, satellite dishes, receivers, ancillary
 equipment and valuable property,
- Where the damaged or lost item can be repaired or replaced with an item of similar quality,
 we may at our option either arrange or authorise replacement. If an exact replacement is not available,
 we may either arrange or authorise replacement with an item of similar quality. Where the replacement or repair of any item results in an increase in the value of that item we may make a deduction in respect of betterment.

Index Linking

We will automatically adjust the sum insured in line with changes in the Household Durable Goods Section of the Consumer Price Index issued by the Central Statistics Office.

This adjustment will:

- be subject to a minimum increase of 2%,
- continue after any insured loss or damage if the repairs or reinstatement are carried out without delay.

We will not charge extra premium during the period of insurance but at the end of the period **We** will calculate the renewal premium on the revised sum insured.

Underinsurance (Average)

If the sum insured on **Contents** at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of replacing all the **Contents** as new (less an allowance for wear and tear of clothing, linen and furs), **You** shall be considered as being your own insurer for the difference and **We** will pay only that proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to such cost.

If it is necessary to make a deduction for wear and tear then the cost of replacement as new less the allowance for wear and tear will be compared with your actual sum insured. **You** will only be paid that proportion of the loss or damage which your sum insured bears to this cost of replacement.

Section C - 'All Risks'

Meaning of words

Words with special meanings in this section are defined on pages 11-13.

The cover

What is insured	What is not insured
The property all belonging to or the legal responsibility of You or a member of your Household and listed under any Item number in this section is insured against accidental loss or damage anywhere in the Geographical limits and elsewhere for 60 days in any one period of insurance if the schedule shows that You have selected this section.	Loss or damage caused by wear and tear or gradual deterioration, depreciation in value, insects, vermin, corrosion, rot, mildew, fungus, atmospheric conditions, the action of light, any process of heating, drying, cleaning, dyeing, alteration or repair, scratching, denting, breakdown, misuse, faulty workmanship or design, the use of faulty materials, confiscation or detention by customs or other officials.
	Losses of individual charms unless soldered to the bracelet.
	Breakage of strings, reeds or drum heads on musical instruments.
	Musical instruments and photographic equipment owned or held in trust by or in the custody or control of any person who uses such property for professional purposes.
	Deeds, bonds, bills of exchange, securities, documents, manuscripts, business, professional or trade goods or equipment.
	Property more specifically insured or any amount that You cannot recover from a more specific insurance because the insurer refuses or reduces the claim.

What is insured	What is not insured
Item 1 – Unspecified Personal Possessions Unspecified personal possessions, meaning jewellery, items of gold, silver or other precious metals, watches, photographic equipment, binoculars, musical instruments, prams and the like and other personal possessions normally worn or carried on the person and unspecified clothing (including furs).	Any article insurable under section D – Sports Equipment or E – Pedal cycles Money of any kind, contact lenses, dentures, camping equipment, guns or tools, mobile phones, iPods and laptops. Stealing of property from an unattended road vehicle unless from a locked boot. The first €75 of each incident of loss or damage.
The most We will pay for any one article, set or collection is 33½% of the sum insured by this Item or €1,275 whichever is the less.	
Item 2 – Specified Items	The first €75 of each incident of loss
Specified items listed in the schedule.	or damage.
The most We will pay is the sum insured for the individual items.	

Settling claims

We will pay, at our option and subject always to the limits specified in the Unspecified Personal Possessions Cover or the Specified Items Cover (as applicable), the full cost of repair, or replacement as new, of the article lost or damaged or, at our option, **we** will replace the article or arrange for its repair. However, this will be subject to the following deductions where so required:

- Underinsurance (in relation to Item 2 Specified items only)
 - Our liability for repair or replacement as new following insured loss or damage to an article shall not exceed the relevant sum insured at the time of loss or damage,
 - To safeguard your financial interest in your property you must insure the full replacement value of each article. Failure to do so will result in your claim settlement being reduced,
 - The sum insured for an article under Item 2 Specified Personal Possessions in this All risks section is subject to the following condition of average:

If the relevant sum insured for an article at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of replacement as new and such difference is greater than 15% of the replacement cost as new, **we** will pay only that proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to the cost of replacement as new of the article.

- **We** will deduct an amount for wear and tear for clothing, furs and footwear.
- If it is necessary to make a deduction for wear and tear as above, then for the purposes of determining whether or not there is underinsurance for the relevant article (for Item 2 Specified items purposes), the cost of Replacement as new for that article, less the deduction for wear and tear, will be compared with your actual sum insured.

- We will not pay any cost relating to the replacement of, or work on, any undamaged
 or remaining items which form part of a set, suite, group or collection of articles of a
 similar nature, colour, pattern or design when the loss or damage is restricted to a clearly
 identifiable area or to a specific part and replacements cannot be matched.
- If you do not replace (for a reason that is explained and reasonable) an article which is lost, or damaged beyond economical repair, we will pay the resale market value only.

Section D - Sports Equipment

Meaning of words

Words with special meanings in this section are defined on pages 11-13.

The cover

What is insured	What is not insured
The property all belonging to or the legal esponsibility of You or a member of your Household and listed under any item in his section is insured against accidental loss or damage anywhere in the Geographical imits and elsewhere for 60 days in any one period of insurance if the schedule shows that You have selected this section.	Loss or damage caused by wear and tear or gradual deterioration, depreciation in value, insects, vermin, corrosion, rot, mildew, fungus, atmospheric conditions, the action of light, any process of heating, drying, cleaning, dyeing, alteration or repair, scratching, denting, breakdown, misuse, faulty workmanship or design, the use of faulty materials, confiscation or detention by customs or other officials. Damage to guns by internal explosion. Sports equipment owned or held in trust by or in the custody or control of any person who
	uses such property for professional purposes. Property more specifically insured or any amount that You cannot recover from a more specific insurance because the insurer refuses or reduces the claim.
Sports equipment and clothing for those sports shown in the schedule.	Loss or damage to:
The most We will pay is the sum insured for the individual items.	 angling tackle while being used for shark or tunny fishing, shuttlecocks and balls in play.
	Damage while in use to cricket bats, squash, badminton and tennis rackets, racket strings, golf clubs or skiing equipment.
	The first €75 of each incident or loss or damage.

Settling claims

We will pay the full cost of replacement as new or repair of the article lost or damaged less an amount for wear and tear in respect of clothing or at our option **We** will replace the article or arrange for its repair. If **You** do not replace the article which is lost or damaged beyond economical repair **We** will pay the resale market value only.

Section E - Pedal Cycles

Meaning of words

Words with special meanings in this section are defined on pages 11-13.

The cover

What is insured	What is not insured
The property all belonging to or the legal responsibility of You or a member of your Household and listed under any item in this section is insured against accidental loss or damage anywhere in the Geographical limits and elsewhere for 60 days in any one period of insurance if the schedule shows that You have selected this section.	This applies to all items of this section. Loss or damage caused by wear and tear or gradual deterioration, depreciation in value, corrosion, the action of light, any process of cleaning, alteration or repair, scratching, denting, breakdown, misuse, faulty workmanship or design, the use of faulty materials, confiscation or detention by customs or other officials.
	Pedal cycles owned or held in trust by or in the custody or control of any person who uses such property for professional purposes.
	Property more specifically insured or any amount that You cannot recover from a more specific insurance because the insurer refuses or reduces the claim.
Pedal cycles, including accessories, shown in the schedule.	Lamps, tyres or accessories unless the pedal cycle is lost or damaged at the same time.
The most We will pay is the sum insured for the individual items.	Loss or damage while the pedal cycle is being used for racing, pacemaking or trials.
	Theft of a pedal cycle outside the Home unless from a locked building or immobilised by a security device.
	The first €75 of each incident of loss or damage.

Settling claims

We will pay the full cost of replacement as new or repair of the article lost or damaged or at our option **We** will replace the article or arrange for its repair. If **You** do not replace the article which is lost or damaged beyond economical repair **We** will pay the resale market value only.

Section F - Trailer Caravans

Meaning of words

Words with special meanings in this section are defined on pages 11-13.

The cover

1. **We** insure the property shown in the This applies to both Items of this section. schedule belonging to or the legal Loss or damage caused by wear and tear responsibility of You or a member of or gradual deterioration, depreciation your Household against accidental loss in value, insects, vermin, corrosion, rot, or damage while: mildew, fungus, atmospheric conditions, • in the Republic of Ireland and the the action of light, any process of heating, United Kingdom including transit drying, cleaning, dyeing, alteration or repair, scratching, denting, breakdown, misuse, by sea, faulty workmanship or design, the use of • in the continent of Europe for 60 faulty materials, confiscation or detention by days in anyone period of insurance customs or other officials. including transit by sea. Loss or damage while the caravan: is let for hire or reward or used as a permanent residence. is being used other than for social, domestic or pleasure purposes. Loss or damage by storm or **Flood** unless the caravan is anchored at each corner of the chassis by chains or wire hawsers to standard anchorage screws except: when the caravan is being towed or is temporarily detached during the course of a journey, when the caravan is laid up at the Insured's permanent residence either under cover or otherwise reasonably protected from high winds.

Wh	at is insured	What is not insured
		Property more specifically insured or any amount that You cannot recover from a more specific insurance because the insurer refuses or reduces the claim.
		The first €350 of each incident of loss or damage.
	Item 1. The caravan and its equipment, including awnings, fixtures, fittings, furnishings and utensils, in or on the caravan.	Damage to tyres by road punctures, cuts or bursts. Loss of or damage to awnings by storm or Flood .
	The most We will pay is the sum insured by this item.	
	Item 2. Personal possessions while in the caravan or awning or in the vehicle towing the caravan. The most We will pay for any one article, set or collection is €130.	Deeds, bonds, bills of exchange, securities, documents, manuscripts, stamps, coins, medals or Money .
	The most We will pay in total is the sum insured by this Item.	
2.	We will pay the reasonable cost of protecting and removing the caravan to the nearest specialist repairers if it is disabled through damage insured by this section.	
3.	We will pay the reasonable cost of delivering the caravan after such repair to your Home .	
4.	We will pay the necessary cost of dismantling or removing the debris of the caravan if it is damaged by an event insured by this section.	
	The most We will pay is 5% of the sum insured by paragraph 1, Item 1 of this section.	

What is insured

 Any amounts which You or a member of your Household become legally liable to pay as compensation for an accident caused by, through, or in connection with, the caravan and its equipment, which results in Bodily injury to a person or loss of or damage to property.

The accident must occur during the period of insurance.

The most **We** will pay for any one claim or number of claims arising from one cause is €1,300,000 plus costs agreed by **Us** in writing.

What is not insured

Liability arising directly or indirectly from an agreement which imposes a liability which **You** or a member of your **Household** would not otherwise have been under.

Liability for:

- Bodily injury to a member of your Household or to a person under contract of service or apprenticeship with You or a member of your Family,
- an accident caused directly or indirectly by a vehicle towing a caravan or by the caravan or its equipment while being towed.

Liability while the caravan:

- is let for hire or reward.
- is being used other than for social, domestic or pleasure purposes.

Liability arising directly or indirectly from the ownership or use of any trailer caravan whether attached or not attached to a vehicle which arises in situations where compulsory insurance must be arranged under the Road Traffic Act 1961 or any subsequent amending legislation to this Act.

Settling claims

Item 1

We will pay the cost of replacement or repair of the property lost or damaged, or at our option replace the **property** or arrange for the repair work to be carried out, after taking off an amount for wear and tear. If to our knowledge the property is the subject of a hire-purchase or leasing agreement and **You** do not replace or repair the property that is lost or damaged **We** will make any payment to the owner. The owner's receipt will be a full and final discharge of our liability under this Item.

Underinsurance

If the sum insured on the caravan and its equipment at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of their replacement as new (after deduction for wear and tear) **You** shall be considered as being your own insurer for the difference and **We** will pay only the proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to such cost.

Item 2

We will pay the full cost of replacement as new or repair of the **property** lost or damaged or at our option **We** will replace the **property** or arrange for repair work to be carried out.

However, We will take off an amount for wear and tear:

- for clothing and linen,
- if at the time of the loss or damage the sum insured does not represent the full cost of replacement of all the **property** insured as new after allowing for deterioration of clothing and linen,
- if You do not repair or replace the property.

Underinsurance

If the sum insured on personal possessions in the caravan or awning or in the vehicle towing the caravan at the time of the insured loss or damage is less than the cost of their replacement as new (after deduction for wear and tear in respect of clothing and linen) **You** shall be considered as being your own insurer for the difference and **We** will pay only that proportion of the loss or damage which the sum insured bears to such loss.

If it is necessary to make an allowance for wear and tear then the cost of replacement as new less the allowance for wear and tear will be compared with your actual sum insured. **You** will only be paid that proportion of the loss or damage which your sum insured bears to this cost of replacement.

Policy Conditions

These apply to **Section A** to **Section I**

In the following conditions **You** also includes any other person insured under the Policy.

- 1. **You** will take all reasonable steps to protect the **property** and prevent accidents.
- 2. If **You** or anyone acting for **You** makes a claim under the Policy knowing the claim to be false, **We** will not pay the claim and all cover under the Policy ceases.
- 3. (a) We have the right to cancel the Policy or any section or part of it by giving 14 days notice in writing by registered letter to your last known address and return to You the amount of premium in respect of the unexpired period of insurance.
 - (b) You have the right to cancel the Policy or any section or part of it by giving Us notice in writing. We will return to You the amount of premium in respect of the unexpired period of insurance. However, no return of premium will be allowed if You have made a claim during the current period of insurance. If You cancel the Policy during the first period of insurance, We will deduct an administration charge from any return of premium.
- 4. If there is a dispute arising out of this Policy, the dispute will be referred to an arbitrator. The arbitrator will be appointed jointly by **You** and **Us** in accordance with the law at the time. Claims not referred to arbitration within 12 calendar months from the date of disclaimer of liability shall be deemed to have been abandoned.
- If You die We will insure your legal personal representatives for any liability You had previously incurred under the Policy provided they keep to the terms of the Policy.
- 6. You must tell Us of any change of circumstances after the start of the insurance which increases the risk of loss, injury or damage. You will not be insured under the Policy until We have agreed in writing to accept the increased risk.
- 7. Upon learning of any circumstances likely to give rise to a claim **You** must:
 - tell **Us** as soon as reasonably possible but immediately if there is riot damage,
 - give **Us** all the help and information that **We** may reasonably require,
 - immediately tell the Gardaí if loss or damage is caused by stealing, attempted stealing, malicious people, vandals, riot, civil, labour or political disturbance,
 - immediately send to **Us** any writ or summons or other communication **You** receive,
 - give full details within 30 days of the incident together with any supporting evidence that **We** require.
- 8. **You** must report the loss of any credit card to the issuing company and to the Gardaí within 24 hours of discovery.

- 9. **We** have the right to the salvage of any insured **property**.
- 10. You may not, without our consent, abandon any property to Us.
- 11. You must not admit, deny, negotiate or settle a claim without our written consent.
- 12. **We** are entitled to:
 - take the benefit of your rights against another person before or after **We** have paid a claim.
 - take over the defence or **Settlement** of a claim against **You** by another person.
- 13. If at the time of a claim there is any other policy covering anything insured by this Policy (except as provided under section C) **We** will be liable only for our proportionate share.
- 14. Where any single event results in a claim under more than one section of the Policy, the highest **Excess** only will apply.
- 15. All monies which become payable by **Us** under this Policy shall in accordance with Section 93 of the Insurance Act 1936 be payable and paid in the Republic of Ireland.
- 16. Where the Insured has agreed under a separate credit agreement to pay the premium by instalments, any default in payment on the due date will automatically terminate the Policy cover immediately from the date of such default.
- 17. The appropriate Stamp Duty has been or will be paid in accordance with the provisions of Section 113 of The Finance Act 1990.
- 18. If an alteration to the policy results in an additional premium due to the insurer, **We** will only charge such premium if the amount involved is greater than €10.

Policy Exceptions

These apply to all sections and clauses

The Policy does not cover:

- 1. any event arising from war, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities (whether war is declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military force or coup,
- 2. loss or damage arising directly from pressure waves caused by aircraft and other aerial devices travelling at sonic or supersonic speeds,
- any expense, consequential loss, legal liability or loss of or damage to any property directly or indirectly arising from:
 - ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel,
 - the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any nuclear assembly or nuclear component.
- consequential loss of any kind or description incurred by You or any member of your Household,
- 5. the cost of maintenance or normal redecoration,
- 6. loss or damage caused by wear and tear or gradual deterioration,
- any loss or damage caused by or arising from any computer hardware or software or other
 electrical equipment not being able to recognise or process any date as the true calendar
 date. Subsequent loss or damage which is otherwise covered by the Policy is nevertheless
 insured.
- Terrorism Exclusion Endorsement

The Policy does not cover any loss, damage, liability, 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 endorsement an act of terrorism means an act, including but not limited to the use of violence and/or threat thereof, of any person or group(s) of persons, whether acting alone or on behalf or in connection with any organisation(s) or government(s), committed for political or other purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public or any section of the public in fear.

This endorsement also excludes loss, damage, liability, cost or expense 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 any act of terrorism.

If **We** allege that by reason of this exclusion, any loss, damage, liability, cost or expense is not covered by this Policy the burden of proving the contrary shall be upon **You**.

- 9. Any loss or damage caused by faulty materials, faulty design or faulty workmanship.
- 10. Any expense, cost, consequential loss, liability or loss of or damage caused by, or directly or indirectly arising from or in connection with:
 - the loss of, alteration of or damage to or;
 - a reduction in the functionality, availability of or operation of
 - a computer system, hardware, programme, software, data, information repository, microchip, integrated circuit or similar device in computer equipment or non-computer equipment that results from the malicious or negligent transfer (electronic or otherwise) of a computer programme that contains any malicious or damaging code including but not limited to computer virus, worm, logic bomb or trojan horse.
- 11. **We** will not cover any loss, damage or liability where the property is in breach of legal regulations and/or local bye-laws. This includes, but is not limited to, compliance with planning permission and building regulations.

Complaints Procedure

At Wrightway, we care about our customers and believe in building long-term relationships by providing quality products combined with a high standard of service. If it should happen that you have cause for complaint, either in relation to your policy or any aspect regarding the standard of our service, please see the steps outlined below.

- If you have arranged your policy with Wrightway through a Broker, you should firstly direct your complaint to the Broker with whom you arranged your policy.
- If the complaint is not resolved to your satisfaction you should contact The General Manager, Wrightway Underwriting Limited, Wrightway House, Ardcavan Business Park, Ardcavan, Wexford, Y35 FP8A. Telephone (053) 916 7100.
- If the complaint is still not resolved to your satisfaction, you should write to the Chief Executive Officer, Zurich, Zurich House, Ballsbridge Park, Dublin 4. Telephone (01) 667 0666, or alternatively you may wish to contact:
 - (i) Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman, Lincoln House, Lincoln Place, Dublin 2, D02 VH29. Telephone: (01) 567 7000. Email: info@fspo.ie. Website: www.fspo.ie.
 - (ii) The Central Bank of Ireland, P.O. Box 559, Dublin1. Lo-Call: 1890 77 77 77 or +353 (0) 1 224 5800.
 - (iii) Insurance Ireland, First Floor, 5 Harbourmaster Place, IFSC, Dublin 1. Telephone: (01) 676 1914.

Your right to take legal action is not affected by following any of the above procedures.

Data Protection

About this section

Everyone has rights with regard to the way in which their personal data is handled. During the course of our business activities, [Zurich Insurance plc] ('we', 'our', 'us') and Wrightway Underwriting Limited ('Wrightway') will collect, store and process personal data about you. The purpose of this section is to give you some information about the collection and processing of your personal data. Further information can be obtained in our privacy policy which is available at www.zurich.ie/privacy-policy and Wrightway's Privacy Policy which is available at www.wrightway.ie/regulations.

Wrightway is an underwriting agency regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland. Wrightway distributes insurance products on behalf of insurance companies through its broker network in Ireland. As our Managing General Agent, Wrightway has been granted authority by **us** to bind cover on our behalf and to service your policy.

We and Wrightway are the data controllers for this contract under data protection legislation.

For the purpose of this section, **'you'** or 'your' shall mean, **you**, the policyholder, or any other person entitled to indemnity under this policy of insurance.

The Data we and/or Wrightway collect

Where appropriate, **we** and Wrightway may collect the following personal data ('Data') from and/or about **you**:

- Contact and identifying information such as title, name, address, email address, telephone number, date and place of birth, gender, marital status, PPS number, VAT number, country of residence, and photographic identification.
- Financial information such as bank account details, credit/debit card details and income details.
- Employment and qualification details such as occupation, job position, employment and education history.
- Medical and health details including information related to personal habits (such as smoking or consumption of alcohol), medical history, details of any disability, injuries sustained and prognosis for recovery.
- Other sensitive information such as details of any criminal convictions and offences
 (including penalty points), civil litigation history as well as pending prosecutions. We and
 Wrightway may also, in certain cases, receive sensitive information from which it may be
 possible to infer your trade union membership, religious or political beliefs (for example,
 if you are a member of a group scheme through a professional, trade, religious, community
 or political organisation).

- **Information pertaining to the risk insured** such as description of the risk, value of the risk, location of the risk and claims history.
- Claims data such as details of the circumstances of any incident giving rise to a claim under
 this policy, details of activities carried out following any such incident, details of any other
 claims that you have made, as well as financial, medical, health and other lawfully obtained
 information relevant to your claim including social welfare information.

The above list covers the main data types collected by **us** and/or Wrightway. Full details are available in our Privacy Policy at **www.zurich.ie/privacy-policy** and Wrightway's Privacy Policy which is available at **www.wrightway.ie/regulations**.

We and Wrightway require this Data in order to manage and administer our relationship with **you**, evaluate the risk and assess the premium to be paid, bind cover, validate and settle any claims, bring and/or defend legal proceedings, prevent, detect and investigate fraud, and in order to generally take any steps required to fulfil your contract /comply with legal obligations.

Note: If **you** provide **us** with Data relating to another person **you** must first: (a) inform that person about the content of our Privacy Policy and Wrightway's Privacy Policy and (b) obtain any legally required consent from that person to the sharing of their Data in this manner.

Data collected from third parties

We and Wrightway may collect Data from third parties if **you** engage with **us** or Wrightway through a third party e.g. through a broker or, in the case of a group scheme, through your employer. **We** and Wrightway may also obtain Data from other third parties such as financial institutions, claims service providers (including private investigators) and insurance industry and government bodies for the purposes described above.

What we and Wrightway do with your Data

We and Wrightway may use, process and store the Data for the following purposes:

 Assessing which insurance products are appropriate for you, risk evaluation, premium setting, policy quotation, premium collection, policy administration, policy renewal, claims assessment, claims processing, claims payment, bringing and/or defending legal proceedings, recovering debt, marketing, survey purposes, statistical analysis, preventing, detecting and investigating fraud, as well as generally taking any steps in order to fulfil your contract and comply with legal obligations.

In order to prevent and detect fraud as well as the non-disclosure of relevant information, **we** and Wrightway may at any time:

Share information about you with other companies in our group as well as other
organisations outside the group including, where appropriate, private investigators and law
enforcement agencies.

- Check your details with fraud prevention agencies, as well as against databases and other sources of information. Below is a sample of the databases/sources used:
 - the insurance industry claims database known as InsuranceLink maintained by Insurance Ireland (for more information see www.inslink.ie)
 - the Integrated Information Data Service ('IIDS') which allows members of Insurance Ireland to verify information including penalty points and no-claims discount information provided by their customers
 - the National Vehicle and Driver File, maintained and supported by the Department of Transport, Tourism and Sport, containing details of all registered vehicles in the State
 - Motor Insurance Anti-Fraud and Theft Register (MIAFTR) operated by the Association of British Insurers in the UK to log all insurance claims relating to written-off and stolen vehicles in the UK
 - the Companies Registration Office

The above list is not intended to be exhaustive (please see our Privacy Policy as well as Wrightway's Privacy Policy for more information).

In addition, **we** and Wrightway may check the Data **you** have provided against international/ economic or financial sanctions laws or regulated listings to comply with legal obligations or otherwise to protect our legitimate business interests and/or the legitimate interests of others.

Sharing of Data

We and Wrightway may share your Data (where appropriate/applicable) as follows:

- With business partners, suppliers, sub-contractors and agents with whom we and/or
 Wrightway work/engage (including, but not limited to, tied agents, managing general
 agents, auditors, legal firms, medical professionals, cloud service providers, private
 investigators, third-party claim administrators and outsourced service providers) to assist
 us and Wrightway in carrying out business activities which are in our and Wrightway's
 legitimate business interests and where such interests are not overridden by your interests.
- With other companies in our group, partners of our group, coinsurance and reinsurance companies located in Ireland and abroad, including outside the European Economic Area ('EEA'). Where transfers take place outside the EEA, we ensure that they are undertaken lawfully and pursuant to appropriate safeguards.
- With other insurers and/or their agents.
- With any intermediary or third party acting for you.
- In order to comply with our and Wrightway's legal obligations, a Court Order or to cooperate with State and regulatory bodies (such as the Revenue Commissioners or the Central Bank of Ireland), as well as with relevant government departments and agencies (including law enforcement agencies).

On the sale, transfer or reorganisation of our or Wrightway's business (or any part of it).

For further information regarding the third parties that **we** may share Data with, please see our Privacy Policy **www.zurich.ie/privacy-policy** and Wrightway's Privacy Policy which is available at **www.wrightway.ie/regulations**.

In addition, information about claims (whether by customers or third-parties) is collected by **us** and/or Wrightway when a claim is made under a policy and placed on InsuranceLink. This information may be shared with other insurance companies, self-insurers or statutory authorities.

The purpose of InsuranceLink is to help **us** and Wrightway identify incorrect information and fraudulent claims and, therefore, to protect customers. Under data protection legislation **you** have a right to know what information about **you** and your previous claims is held on InsuranceLink. If **you** wish to exercise this right then please contact **us** or Wrightway at the address below

Finally, where **you** have consented to our doing so, **we** and Wrightway may share information that **you** provide to companies within our group and with other companies that **we** and/or Wrightway establish commercial links with so **we**, Wrightway and they may contact **you** (by email, SMS, telephone or other appropriate means) in order to tell **you** about carefully selected products, services or offers that **we** and/or Wrightway believe will be of interest to **you**.

Data Retention

The time periods for which **we** and Wrightway retain your Data depend on the purposes for which **we** and Wrightway use it. **We** and Wrightway will keep your Data for no longer than is required or legally permitted. Please see our Data Retention Policy at **www.zurich.ie/privacy-policy** and Wrightway's Data Retention Policy which is available at **www.wrightway.ie/regulations**.

Automated Decision Making and Profiling

You have a right not to be subjected to decisions based solely on automated processing, including profiling, which produce legal effects concerning **you** or similarly significantly affects **you** other than where the decision is:

- Necessary for entering into a contract, or for performing a contract with you (e.g. your policy of insurance);
- 2. Based on your explicit consent which you may withdraw at any time; or
- 3. Is authorized by EU or Member State law.

Where **we** and Wrightway base a decision on solely automated decision-making, **you** will always be entitled to have a person review the decision so that **you** can contest it and put your point of view and circumstances forward.

Data subject rights

You have the following rights in relation to your Data which is held by us and Wrightway:

- 1. To ask for details of your Data held.
- 2. To ask for a copy of your Data.
- 3. To have any inaccurate or misleading Data rectified.
- 4. To have your Data erased.
- 5. To restrict the processing of your Data in certain circumstances.
- 6. To object to the processing of your Data.
- 7. To transfer your Data to a third party.
- 8. A right not to be subject to automated decision making.
- 9. The right to receive notification of a Data breach.
- 10. Where processing is based on consent, the right to withdraw such consent.
- 11. The right to lodge a complaint to the Data Protection Commission.

However, these rights may not be exercised in certain circumstances, such as when the processing of your data is necessary to comply with a legal obligation or for the exercise or defence of legal claims. If **you** wish to exercise any of your rights in this regard a request must be submitted in writing to our or Wrightway's Data Protection Officer, as appropriate (see contact details below). In order to protect your privacy, **you** may be asked to provide suitable proof of identification before your request can be processed

Privacy Policy

Please note that this Data Protection section is not a standalone section. It contains a brief description of the information you need to understand how your Data is used by us and should be reviewed in conjunction with our Privacy Policy which is available online at www.zurich.ie/privacy-policy and Wrightway's privacy policy which is available at www.wrightway.ie/regulations.

If **you** have any questions about your Data, **you** can contact **us** or Wrightway using the contact details below.

Zurich Insurance plc

- Customer Services on 053 915 7775
- Email us at dataprotectionofficer@zurich.ie
- Data Protection Officer, Zurich Insurance plc, Zurich Insurance, PO Box 78, Wexford, Ireland.

Wrightway Underwriting Ltd

- Customer Services on 053 916 7100
- Email at dataprotectionofficer@wrightway.ie
- Data Protection Officer, Wrightway Underwriting Ltd, Wrightway House, Ardcavan Business Park, Ardcavan, Co. Wexford, Ireland.

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