

Travel Insurance Policy Wording

Single and Annual Multi Trip

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			Schedule o	of Benefits and Ex	cesses		
Sect	ion	Economy	Excess*	Premier	Excess*^	PremierPlus	Excess*^
		Maximum Limit Per Person	Per Person	Maximum Limit Per Person	Per Person	Maximum Limit Per Person	Per Person
Α	Cancellation or curtailment	£1,000	£145 (£20	£2,000	£125 (£20	£4,000	£99 (£20 loss
	charges		loss of deposit)		loss of deposit)		of deposit)
В	Emergency medical expenses	£5,000,000	£145	£8,000,000	£125	£10,000,000	£99
	& repatriation						
	 Including: Burial or cremation overseas 						
	Transportation of remains or						
	ashes back to your home						
	Emergency dental treatment	£400	Nil	£400	Nil	£400	Nil
	Additional accommodation and travelling costs	£500	£145	£1,000	£125	£2,000	£99
С	Hospital benefit	£25 per complete	Nil	£25 per complete	Nil	£50 per complete	Nil
		24 hours of in- patient treatment		24 hours of in- patient treatment		24 hours of in- patient treatment	
		up to £500		up to £500		up to £1,000	
D	Personal accident						
	Permanent Total Disablement						
	Aged up to & including age 64 years#	£10,000	£145	£15,000	Nil	£20,000	Nil
	Aged 65 years & over#	No Cover	N/A	No Cover	N/A	No Cover	N/A
	Loss of one or more limbs, or total and irrecoverable loss of						
	sight in one or both eyes						
	Aged up to & including age 64 years#	£10,000	£145	£15,000	Nil	£20,000	Nil
	Aged 65 years & over#	No Cover	N/A	No Cover	N/A	No Cover	N/A
	Death benefit Aged 16 – 64 years inclusive#	£10,000	£145	£15,000	Nil	£20,000	Nil
	Aged 15 years or under#	£1,000	2145	£1,000		£2,000	ivit.
E1	Aged 65 years or over#	£1,000 £500	£145	£1,000 £1,000	£125	£2,000 £2,000	£99
61	Baggage Single article, pair or set limit	£150	£145 £145	£200	£125 £125	£300	£99 £99
	Total for all valuables (limited	£130 £200	£145 £145	£300	£125 £125	£300 £300	£99 £99
	to £75 if insured person is aged 16 years or under)		2143	2300		2500	233
	Tobacco, alcohol and fragrances limit		£145	£75	£125	£100	£50
E2	Delayed baggage	£50 after a 12 hour delay	Nil	£100 after a 12 hour delay	Nil	£200 after a 12 hour delay	Nil
F1	Personal money	£300	£145	£400	£125	£500	£99
	Cash Limit	£300	£145	£400	£125	£500	£99
	Cash Limit age 17 years or	£150	£145	£200	Nil	£250	£99
F2	under Emergency replacement	£300	£145	£300	£125	£300	£99
	passport & travel documents						
G1	Travel delay after 12 hours delay	£20 per 12 hours up to £200	Nil	£20 per 12 hours up to £200	Nil	£40 per 12 hours up to £400	Nil
G2	Abandonment of your trip after 24 hours delay	£1,000	£145	£2,000	£125	£4,000	£99
н	Missed departure on your outward or return journey	£400	£145	£500	£125	£1,000	£99
I	Missed connection on your outward or return journey	£300	£145	£400	£125	£500	£99
J	End supplier failure (including scheduled airline failure)	No Cover	N/A	No Cover	N/A	£4,000	Nil
к	Attraction, event & excursion tickets	No Cover	N/A	No Cover	N/A	£500	£99
L	Hijack	No Cover	N/A	£50 per 24 hours up to £250	Nil	£150 per 24 hours up to £1,500	Nil
м	Legal expenses	£5,000 (£10,000 policy maximum)	£145	£10,000 (£20,000 policy maximum)	£125	£20,000 (£40,000 policy maximum)	£99
N	Personal liability	£1,000,000	£145	£2,000,000	£125	£4,000,000	£99
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* The **excess** is deducted from each claim, per section, for each separate incident payable for each **insured person**.

^ The excesses shown in the schedule of benefits are the standard excesses that apply to each section of the policy. If you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses in return for a discount/additional premium, the excess you have selected will be shown in your policy schedule. If you have paid the additional premium for excess waiver, this will be shown on your policy schedule and the excess will be reduced to Nil in the event of a claim. The excess waiver option only applies to Sections A to S inclusive. You cannot waive the excess under Section T.

Age at the date of purchase.

Schedule of Benefits and Excesses							
Sect		Economy Maximum Limit Per Person	Excess* Per Person	Premier Maximum Limit Per Person	Excess*^ Per Person	PremierPlus Maximum Limit Per Person	Excess*^ Per Person
Opti	onal Winter Sports cover - Your po	olicy schedule will s	how if you selecte	ed this option and th	ie appropriate ado	ditional premium has	s been paid.
01	Ski equipment						
	Owned	No Cover	N/A	£500	£125	£750	£99
	Hired	No Cover	N/A	£250	£125	£500	£99
	Single article, pair or set limit	No Cover	N/A	£250	£125	£250	£99
02	Ski equipment hire	No Cover	N/A	£25 per 24 hours	Nil	£50 per 24 hours	Nil
				up to £250		up to £500	
03	Ski pack	No Cover	N/A	£50 per 24 hours up to £500	Nil	£75 per 24 hours up to £750	Nil
04	Lost lift pass	No Cover	N/A	£150	Nil	£225	Nil
05	Piste closure	No Cover	N/A	£30 per 24 hours up to £300	Nil	£50 per 24 hours up to £500	Nil
06	Delay due to avalanche or landslide	No Cover	N/A	£300	£125	£500	£99
Opti	onal Golf cover - Your policy sche	dule will show if you	selected this opt	tion and the approp	riate additional pr	emium has been pai	d.
P1	Golf equipment				¥		
	Owned	No Cover	N/A	£500	£125	£1,000	£99
	Hired	No Cover	N/A	£250	£125	£350	£99
	Single article, pair or set limit	No Cover	N/A	£250	£125	£250	£99
P2	Loss of green fees	No Cover	N/A	£50 per 24 hours up to £100	Nil	£50 per 24 hours up to £250	Nil
P3	Hole in one	No Cover	N/A	£75	Nil	£150	Nil
Opti	onal Cruise cover - Your policy scl	hedule will show if y	ou selected this o	option and the appro	opriate additional	premium has been p	oaid.
Q1	Missed port departure	No Cover	N/A	£100 per port up to £1,000	£125	£150 per port up to £1,500	£99
Q2	Cabin confinement	No Cover	N/A	£100 per 24 hours up to £500	Nil	£150 per 24 hours up to £750	Nil
Q3	Cruise itinerary change	No Cover	N/A	£150 per change up to £600	Nil	£200 per change up to £800	Nil
Q4	Unused cruise excursions	No Cover	N/A	£500	£125	£750	£99
Q5	Cruise interruption	No Cover	N/A	£1,000	£125	£1,500	£99
	onal Multi-Destination Trip – Trav	el Disruption cover	- Your policy sche	edule will show if yo	u selected this op	tion and the approp	riate
	tional premium has been paid.		1				
R1	Travel delay during travel to your next destination after 12 hours delay	No Cover	N/A	£20 per 12 hours up to £200	Nil	£40 per 12 hours up to £400	£50
				Overall trip limit of £300		Overall trip limit of £600	
R2	Missed departure during travel to your next destination	No Cover	N/A	£500 Overall trip	£125	£1,000 Overall trip limit	£99
				limit of £750		of £1,500	
Opti	onal Waiting list cover - Your poli	cy schedule will sho	w if you <u>selected</u>		appropriate ad <u>dit</u>	•	een paid.
S	Cancellation or curtailment	No Cover	N/A	£2,000	£125 (£20 loss	£4,000	£99 (£20 los

Optional Gadget cover - Your policy schedule will show if you selected this option and the appropriate additional premium has been paid						
		Gadget cover - Standard		Gadget cover - Super	ior	
		Limit Per Person	Excess Per Person	Limit Per Person	Excess Per Person	
Т	Gadget cover	£1,000	£75	£2,000	£75	
	Unauthorised calls / text / data	£10,000 per claim	Nil	£10,000 per claim	Nil	
	Accessories (following a gadget claim)	£150	Nil	£150	Nil	

* The **excess** is deducted from each claim, per section, for each separate incident payable for each **insured person**.

^ The **excesses** shown in the schedule of benefits are the standard **excesses** that apply to each section of the policy. If **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** in return for a discount/additional premium, the **excess you** have selected will be shown in **your policy schedule**. If **you** have paid the additional premium for **excess** waiver, this will be shown on **your policy schedule** and the **excess** will be reduced to Nil in the event of a claim. The **excess** waiver option only applies to Sections A to S inclusive. **You** cannot waive the **excess** under Section T.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THIS INSURANCE

This policy wording along with **your policy schedule** and any appropriate endorsements forms the basis of **your** contract of insurance with **us**. Together, these documents detail and explain what **you** are covered for and what **you** are not covered for.

Different levels of cover apply depending on whether **you** have bought an Economy, Premier or PremierPlus policy, and additional sections of cover will apply if **you** have paid the required premium for policy upgrades.

Please read this policy wording to make sure that the cover meets **your** needs and please check the details outlined within **your policy schedule** and any applicable endorsements to make sure that the information shown is correct. If anything is incorrect, please notify TravelTime immediately.

In return for having accepted **your** premium **we** will in the event of **bodily injury**, death, illness, disease, loss, theft, damage, legal liability or other specified events happening within the period of insurance provide insurance in accordance with the operative sections of **your** policy as referred to in **your policy schedule**.

Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) Advice

This insurance policy will not cover **you** to travel to a specific country or to an area where, prior to **your trip** commencing, the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel. This exclusion does not apply where **your** destination is within Euro 1, Euro 2 or Euro 3 (see the 'Geographical Areas' on page 7) and where the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel solely due to the **Coronavirus** risk.

It is **your** responsibility to check the latest advice from the FCDO prior to commencing **your trip**, which **you** can find at https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice.

Claims arising from alcohol

We do not expect you to avoid alcohol during your trip, but we will not cover any claim arising from excessive alcohol consumption; by which we mean where you have drunk so much alcohol that a doctor has stated that your alcohol consumption has caused or actively contributed to your injury or illness, the results of a blood test at the time of injury or illness shows that your blood alcohol level exceeds 0.19% that is approximately 1.5 litres of beer or four 175ml glasses of wine; a witness report of a third party that has advised that you have notably impaired your faculties and/or judgement. Please refer to general exclusions 28, 29 and 30 on page 13.

This is not a private medical insurance policy and is only designed to cover you for emergency treatment

This insurance policy is not a private medical insurance policy and does not cover private medical treatment, private hospital costs or other related expenses incurred, unless these have been specifically agreed and authorised by the Medical Emergency Assistance Company as part of a medical emergency covered by this policy.

This policy is only designed to cover **you** for emergency treatment. Emergency treatment means unforeseen and unplanned treatment that is needed for the sudden onset of an acute condition, which for medical reasons and in the opinion of **our** Medical Emergency Assistance Company, cannot be delayed until **you** return to the **United Kingdom**. The decision of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company is final.

An acute condition means: A disease, illness or injury that is likely to respond quickly to treatment which aims to return **you** to the state of health **you** were in immediately before suffering the disease, illness or injury, or which leads to **your** full recovery.

Claims for reimbursement of costs

This insurance policy will only respond to claims for **irrecoverable costs** once those principally responsible for reimbursing the cost have been exhausted. For example transport and accommodation costs – **You** should, in the first instance, contact **your** tour operator, airline, accommodation provider, credit or debit card providers to source a refund, as in most instances, either as a result of the Package Travel & Linked Arrangement Regulations 2018; EU Transport Regulations; Consumer Credit Act; or Debit card charge backs, a refund is legally due.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

We draw your attention to the exclusions detailed in the 'General Exclusions applicable to the whole policy' section, in particular, exclusions 38 and 39, as this policy will <u>NOT</u> provide cover for any claims directly or indirectly related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**.

Please note general exclusion 38 applies to all sections of cover, whilst general exclusion 39 applies to all sections of cover with the exception of Section A - Cancellation or curtailment charges, Section B - Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, Section J - End supplier failure (including scheduled airline failure) and Section K -Attraction, event & excursion tickets); provided that **you** have received the recommended number of doses of an approved **Coronavirus** vaccine 14 days prior to **your trip** commencing. This vaccination requirement shall not apply where **you** were ineligible for vaccination, or unable to receive the vaccine for medical reasons, and this is shown in **your** medical records. **You** should also refer to general exclusion 22.

Please be aware: There is no cover under this policy if (having no symptoms of or **you** not testing positive for **Coronavirus**) **you** are advised to quarantine or **you** choose to self-isolate due to a person **you** have come into contact with testing positive for **Coronavirus**.

INSURER

Sections A to I and sections K to S inclusive

The insurance is underwritten by Chaucer Insurance Company DAC. Chaucer Insurance Company DAC is registered in Ireland (company no. 587682) with its registered office at 38 & 39 Baggot Street Lower, Dublin 2, D02 T938, and is authorised and regulated by the Central Bank of Ireland.

Section J only

Cover under section J is provided by International Passenger Protection Limited, IPP House, 22-26 Station Road, West Wickham, Kent BR4 0PR, United Kingdom and is underwritten by Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE. Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE is authorised and regulated by the Luxembourg Minister of Finance and the Commissariat aux Assurances. Deemed authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority. Subject to regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and limited regulation by the Prudential Regulation Authority (registered number 829959). Details of the Temporary Permissions Regime, which allows EEA-based firms to operate in the UK for a limited period while seeking full authorisation, are available on the Financial Conduct Authority's website.

Section T only

Section T of this insurance is arranged and administered by Bastion Insurance Services Ltd and is underwritten by Inter Partner Assistance S.A. UK Branch, with a registered office at 106-118 Station Road, Redhill, Surrey, RH1 1PR. Inter Partner Assistance S.A. UK Branch is a Branch of Inter Partner Assistance S.A. (Financial Conduct Authority registration number 202664), which is a Belgian firm authorised by the National Bank of Belgium under number 0487. Deemed authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority. Subject to regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and limited regulation by the Prudential Regulation Authority. Details of the Temporary Permissions Regime, which allows EEA-based firms to operate in the UK for a limited period while seeking full authorisation, are available on the Financial Conduct Authority's website. Bastion Insurance Services are authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority, FCA number 650727.

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POLICY INFORMATION OR ADVICE

If **you** would like more information or if **you** feel the insurance may not meet **your** needs, **you** must contact TravelTime Travel Insurance by email: <u>traveltime@traveltimeinsurance.co.uk</u> or telephone: **0345 548 2122**.

ELIGIBILITY

This policy is only available to you if:

- You are permanently resident in the United Kingdom and have your main home in the United Kingdom;
- You have been in the United Kingdom for a minimum of 6 months in the year prior to purchasing your insurance policy;
- You are registered with a doctor in the United Kingdom;
- You have a UK National Insurance number (where aged sixteen (16) years of age or older);
- You are in the United Kingdom at the time of purchasing this policy. Any **trip** that has begun when **you** purchase this policy will not be covered;
- You are not travelling against the advice of a doctor or where you would have been if you had sought their advice before beginning your trip;
- You are not travelling with the intention of receiving medical treatment;
- Your trip starts and ends in the United Kingdom (single trip or annual multi-trip cover only).

AGE ELIGIBILITY - ANNUAL MULTI TRIP

The person buying this insurance must be 18 years of age or over at the date of purchase.

This policy is not available to anyone aged 70 or over at the time the **policy schedule** is issued if annual multi trip cover is selected. If **you** are aged 17 or under at the time the **policy schedule** is issued, **you** may travel independently provided **you** are accompanied by a responsible adult.

If **you** reach any of the ages mentioned above during the period of insurance, cover will continue until the next renewal date but not after that.

AGE ELIGIBILITY – SINGLE TRIP

The person buying this insurance must be 18 years of age or over at the date of purchase.

If single trip cover is selected, this policy is not available to anyone aged 76 or over at the time the **policy schedule** is issued.

CRUISES

There is no cover provided for **cruises** unless **you** have paid the appropriate additional premium and cover is shown on **your policy schedule**. In any event, there is no cover for cargo or container ship travel.

Please note that Cruise cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

SINGLE TRIP - TRIP DURATION

This gives **you** cover to travel on one **trip** made by **you** within the geographical areas as shown on **your policy schedule**.

ANNUAL MULTI TRIP - TRIP DURATION

You are covered to travel as many times as you like within the period of insurance shown on your policy schedule, provided no single **trip** lasts longer than the following maximum **trip** durations:

Economy Cover - Thirty-one (31) days

Premier Cover – Forty-five (45) days (if aged 65 years or under at the time of purchase of the policy). Thirty-one (31) days (if aged 66 years or over at the time of purchase of the policy).

If **you** are aged 65 years or under at the time of purchase of the policy and **you** have chosen the option to reduce the maximum **trip** duration to thirty-one (31) days in return for a discount, the maximum **trip** duration **you** have selected will be shown in **your policy schedule**.

PremierPlus Cover - Forty-five (45) days (if aged 65 years or under at the time of purchase of the policy). Thirty-one (31) days (if aged 66 years or over at the time of purchase of the policy).

If **you** are aged 65 years or under at the time of purchase of the policy and **you** have chosen the option:

- a) to reduce the maximum **trip** duration to thirty-one (31) days in return for a discount, or
- b) to increase the maximum trip duration to sixty (60) days and have paid the additional premium

the maximum **trip** duration **you** have selected will be shown in **your policy schedule**.

If any **trip** exceeds the maximum **trip** duration shown on **your policy schedule**, then there is absolutely no cover under this policy for that **trip** (not even for the first thirty-one (31), forty-five (45) or sixty (60) days of **trip**), unless **you** have contacted **us** and **we** have agreed in writing to provide cover.

If **you** have purchased a **winter sports** annual multi trip policy, cover is provided for up to seventeen (17) days in total for **winter sports** within the period of insurance. **Winter Sports** cover is not available under Economy Cover.

GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS

You will <u>not</u> be covered if **you** travel outside the area **you** have selected, as shown in **your policy schedule**.

- UK: United Kingdom being England, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland and the Isle of Man.
- Euro 1: All countries listed in UK above together with Albania, Andorra, Armenia, Austria, Azores, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia & Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Channel Islands, Corsica, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Georgia, Germany, Gibraltar, Hungary, Iceland, Ireland, Isle of Man, Italy, Kosovo, Lapland, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Macedonia, Madeira, Moldova, Monaco, Montenegro, Morocco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Romania, San Marino, Sardinia, Serbia, Sicily, Slovakia, Slovenia, Sweden, Tunisia, Ukraine and Vatican City.
- Euro 2: All countries listed in UK and Euro 1 above together with Spain, Balearic Islands and Canary Islands.
- **Euro 3:** All countries listed in **UK**, Euro 1 and Euro 2 above together with Algeria, Azerbaijan, Crete, Cyprus, Egypt, Greece, Malta, Switzerland and Turkey.
- AU/NZ: Australia & New Zealand only.
- WW1: All countries listed in UK, Euro 1, Euro 2 & Euro 3 with all countries worldwide excluding USA, Canada, Mexico and Caribbean Islands.
- WW2: All countries listed in UK, Euro 1, Euro 2 & Euro 3 with all countries worldwide including USA, Canada, Mexico and Caribbean Islands.

Stopovers in a country within a higher area are insured, provided they do not exceed forty-eight (48) hours.

Please note:

This insurance policy will not cover **you** to travel to a specific country or to an area where, prior to **your trip** commencing, the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel. This exclusion does not apply where **your** destination is within Euro 1, Euro 2 or Euro 3 (see the 'Geographical Areas' above) and where the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel solely due to the **Coronavirus** risk.

It is **your** responsibility to check the latest advice from the FCDO prior to commencing **your trip**, which **you** can find at https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice.

POLICY EXCESS

Under most sections of the policy, claims will be subject to an **excess**. This means that **you** will be responsible for paying the first part of each and every claim per incident claimed for, under each section by each **insured person**, unless **you** have paid the additional premium to waive the **excess** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.

Please note: If **you** have purchased the **excess** waiver option and this is shown on **your policy schedule**, this only applies to Sections A to S inclusive. **You** cannot waive the **excess** under Section T.

PERIOD OF COVER

On single trip policies cover for cancellation starts at the time **you** book the **trip** or pay the insurance premium, whichever is later. Cover for cancellation ends as soon as **you** start **your trip**.

On annual multi trip policies cover starts on the chosen start date and cancellation cover is not in force until that date, subsequent **trips** start from the date of booking.

Cover under all other sections starts when **you** leave **your home** (but not earlier than twenty-four (24) hours before the booked departure time) or from the first day of the period of insurance as shown on **your policy schedule**, whichever is the later.

Cover ends when **you** return to **your home** (but not later than twenty-four (24) hours after **your** return to the **United Kingdom**) or for single trip policies at the end of the period of insurance as shown on **your policy schedule**, whichever is earlier.

Any **trip** that had already begun when **you** purchased this insurance will not be covered.

Each **trip** must begin and end in the **United Kingdom**. There is no cover under this policy for one-way **trips**.

Cover is only provided in the **United Kingdom** if **you** stay in accommodation that **you** have paid for in advance of the date **you** depart on **your trip** or if **you** have paid for **public transport** or air fares in advance of the date of departure to enable **you** to reach **your** destination in the **United Kingdom**. All **trips** within the **United Kingdom** must be for at least one night away from **home**.

All cover ceases If **you** have to return to the **United Kingdom** under Section A - Curtailment charges or Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, cover cannot be provided to resume **your trip** or on a single trip policy for further **trips**.

WAITING LIST COVER

This is an optional cover that is available under the Premier and PremierPlus Cover and is subject to an additional premium. Please note that 'waiting list' cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

It provides additional cancellation and curtailment cover if **you** are on a waiting list for treatment or investigation for a diagnosed **medical condition**.

This means that if:

- a) it becomes medically necessary to attend an appointment for treatment or investigation that conflicts with your planned trip, or
- b) **you** are now unable to travel on **your** planned **trip**, because of a deterioration in the **medical condition** for which **you** are awaiting treatment or investigation

we would provide cover for the cancellation or **curtailment** costs up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits.

This section of cover does not apply to undiagnosed conditions.

<u>Please Note</u>: You will need to ensure you purchase cover for everyone on the policy who may need to cancel if you were called for treatment, not just the person who is awaiting treatment.

TRIP EXTENSIONS IF YOU DECIDE YOU WISH TO EXTEND YOUR TRIP WHILST OVERSEAS

If, once **you** have left the **United Kingdom** and before the end of the period of insurance, **you** decide **you** want to extend **your** policy, please contact TravelTime Travel Insurance on **0345 548 2122** or by emailing <u>traveltime@traveltimeinsurance.co.uk</u>. Extensions can usually only be considered if there has been no change in **your** health (or that of a **close relative** or **close business associate**) and no claim has been made or is intended to be made and no incident likely to give rise to a claim has occurred. However, should there have been a change in **your** health or **you** are aware that a claim has been made or will need to be made under the original policy then **we** may still be able to consider the extension provided full details are disclosed to TravelTime Travel Insurance for consideration.

TRIP EXTENSIONS IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO RETURN HOME FROM YOUR TRIP AS PLANNED

If, due to unexpected circumstances beyond **your** control, for example, due to illness or injury or unavoidable delays affecting **your** return flight or **public transport**, **your trip** cannot be completed within the period of insurance outlined in **your policy schedule**, cover will be extended for **you** at no extra cost for up to thirty (30) days. This also applies to one person travelling with **you** who is authorised to stay with **you** by the Medical Emergency Assistance Company if the extension is due to medical reasons. All requests for more than thirty (30) days must be authorised by the Medical Emergency Assistance Company. Please see Medical and other emergencies on page 20 for details of how to contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company.

TRIP EXTENSIONS – TRAVEL DISRUPTION CAUSED BY A PANDEMIC/EPIDEMIC (INCLUDING CORONAVIRUS)

If, as a result of a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic** (including but not limited to **Coronavirus**), **you** are unable to return to the **UK** as planned, due to:

a) a country closing their borders and/or

b) the cancellation or delay of your booked public transport

and as a result **you** wish to extend coverage under **your** current policy, please contact TravelTime Travel Insurance on: **0345 548 2122** or e-mail: <u>traveltime@traveltimeinsurance.co.uk</u>.

We will need full details of your circumstances, to allow us to consider any such request. Please be aware, that all such extension requests will be considered, but cannot be guaranteed.

THE LAW THAT APPLIES TO THIS POLICY

This policy will be governed by English Law and **you**, **insured persons** and **we** agree to submit to the courts of England and Wales to determine any dispute arising under or in connection with it, unless agreed to the contrary by **you** and **us** before the commencement date.

The Terms and Conditions of this policy will only be available in English and all communication relating to this policy will be in English.

FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPENSATION SCHEME (FSCS)

We are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). You may be entitled to compensation from the FSCS (depending on the type of insurance and the circumstances of the claim) if we are unable to meet our financial obligations under this policy. A claim under this type of insurance is covered for 90% of the claim without any upper limit.

Further information about the compensation scheme is available from: Financial Services Compensation Scheme, 10th Floor, Beaufort House, 15 St Botolph Street, London EC3A 7QU

Tel: 020 7741 4100 or 0800 678 1100 Website: www.fscs.org.uk.

HOW WE USE PERSONAL INFORMATION

We will use the information from your policy for the purpose of providing you with insurance services and additional products and services. We fully accept our responsibility to promote the privacy of customers and the confidentiality and security of information entrusted to us.

The information provided by **you** or on **your** behalf of when the policy was taken out, together with other information, will be used by **us**, **our** Group companies and **our** service providers and agents. It will be used for administration, customer service and claims.

It may also be used for the purpose of fraud prevention including passing details to other insurers and regulatory bodies. **You** have provided information in connection with the purchase and performance of this insurance policy and **you** have consented to the processing of the personal data, including sensitive personal data and **you** have consented to the transfer of this information abroad.

Unless **you** have informed **us** otherwise, **we** or **our** service providers and agents may contact **you** by mail or telephone to let **you** know about any goods, services or promotions that may be of interest to **you** and/or share **your** information with organisations that are **our** business partners. Under the **UK** Data Protection Act 2018 which incorporates the General Data Protection Regulation (EU)2016/679, **you** have certain rights regarding access to **your** information. **You** have the right to see a copy of the personal information held about **you**, if **you** believe that any of the information **we** are holding is incorrect or incomplete, please let **us** know as soon as possible. Any information which is found to be incorrect will be corrected promptly.

We may monitor and/or record communication with us either directly or by reputable organisations selected by us, to ensure consistent servicing levels and account operation.

We will keep information about you only for as long as is appropriate.

In certain circumstances, **we** may need **your** consent to process certain categories of information about **you** (including sensitive details such as information about **your** health). Where **we** need **your** consent, **we** will ask **you** for it separately. **You** do not have to give **your** consent and **you** may withdraw **your** consent at any time. However, if **you** do not give **your** consent, or **you** withdraw **your** consent, this may affect **our** ability to provide the insurance cover from which **you** benefit and may prevent **us** from providing cover for **you** or handling **your** claims.

Want more details?

For more information about how **we** use **your** personal information please see **our** full privacy notice(s), which is/are available online on **our** website www.chaucerplc.com/privacy-cookie-policy/ or in other formats on request. If **you** require details of TravelTime Travel Insurance's privacy policy, this can be found online https://www.traveltimeinsurance.co.uk/privacy-policy. If **you** require details of International Passenger Protection Limited's privacy policy, please refer to – <u>https://www.ipplondon.co.uk/privacy.asp.</u> If **you** require details of Inter Partner Assistance's privacy policy, please refer to www.axa-assistance.co.uk.

UK Data Protection Act 2018 which incorporates the General Data Protection Regulation (EU)2016/679.

TRAVEL DELAYS - EC REGULATIONS

This policy is not designed to cover costs which are met under the EC Regulation No. 261/2004. Under this Regulation if **you** have a confirmed reservation on a flight, and that flight is delayed by between two (2) and four (4) hours (length of time depends on the length of **your** flight) the airline must offer **you** meals, refreshments and hotel accommodation. If the delay is more than five (5) hours, the airline must offer to refund **your** ticket.

The Regulations should apply to all flights, whether budget, chartered or scheduled, originating in the EU, or flying into the EU using an EU carrier.

If **your** flight is delayed or cancelled, **you** must in the first instance approach **your** airline and clarify with them what costs they will pay under the Regulation.

If **you** would like to know more about **your** rights under this Regulation, additional useful information can be found on the Civil Aviation Authority website (<u>www.caa.co.uk</u>).

CANCELLATIONS AND REFUNDS

Important - Applicable to all policies:

We will not refund the premium if you have travelled on the policy, or if you have made or if you intend to make a claim or an incident has occurred which is likely to give rise to a claim.

To cancel **your** policy, the **policyholder** must contact TravelTime Travel Insurance by phoning **0345 548 2122**, or emailing <u>traveltime@traveltimeinsurance.co.uk</u>or by writing to TravelTime Travel Insurance, Suite 9, Chalkwell Lawns, 648-656 London Road, Westcliff on Sea, SS0 9HR.

1. If You wish to cancel the policy within the 14-day cooling off period

If **you** decide this policy is not suitable for **you** and **you** want to cancel **your** policy, **you** must contact TravelTime Travel Insurance within 14 days of buying the policy or the date **you** receive **your** policy documents. Any premium already paid will be refunded to **you** in full.

2. If You wish to cancel the policy outside the 14-day cooling off period

a) For single trip policies:

If **you** cancel the policy at any time after the 14 day cooling off period, **you** will be entitled to a refund of the premium paid, subject to a deduction of 30% for the Cancellation cover **you** have received.

b) For annual multi trip policies:

If cover has started, **you** will be entitled to a pro-rata refund of premium, in accordance with the amounts shown below:

Period of cover:	Refund due:
If cover has not started	100%
Up to two (2) months	60%
Up to three (3) months	50%
Up to four (4) months	40%
Up to five (5) months	30%
Up to six (6) months	25%
Six (6) months or over	No refund

Our right to cancel the policy

We have the right to cancel this policy by giving at least thirty (30) days' notice in writing to the **policyholder** at their last known address where **we** have serious grounds for doing so, including any failure by **you** to comply with the General Conditions on pages 11 & 12 of this policy which is incapable of remedy or which **you** fail to remedy within fourteen (14) days of receiving a notice from **us** requiring **you** to remedy the breach. A proportionate refund of the premium paid will be made to the **policyholder** from the date **we** cancel the policy.

DEFINITIONS

These definitions apply throughout **your** policy wording. Where **we** explain what a word means that word will appear highlighted in bold print and have the same meaning wherever it is used in the policy. **We** have listed the definitions alphabetically.

Adverse weather conditions – means rain, wind, fog, thunder or lightning storm, flood, snow, sleet, hail, hurricane, cyclone, tornado or tropical storm, which is not caused by or has not originated from a geological or catastrophic event such as but not limited to an earthquake, volcano or tsunami.

Baggage - means luggage, clothing, personal effects, valuables and other articles (but excluding golf, equipment, ski equipment, personal money and documents of any kind) which belong to you (or for which you are legally responsible) which are worn, used or carried by you during any trip.

Bodily injury - means an identifiable physical injury caused by sudden, unexpected, external and visible means including injury as a result of unavoidable exposure to the elements.

Change in health – means any deterioration or change in **your** health between the date the policy was purchased and the date of travel, this includes, new medication, change in regular medication, deterioration of a previously stable condition, referral to a specialist, investigation of an undiagnosed condition or awaiting treatment/consultation.

Close business associate - means any person whose absence from business for one or more complete days at the same time as **your** absence prevents the proper continuation of that business.

Close relative - means mother, father, sister, brother, wife, husband, civil partner, daughter, adopted daughter, son, adopted son, grandparent, grandchild, parent-in-law, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, step parent, step child, step sister, step brother, foster child, legal guardian, domestic partner or fiancé/fiancée.

Complications of pregnancy - means toxaemia, gestational hypertension, pre-eclampsia, ectopic pregnancy, hydatidiform mole (molar pregnancy), post-partum haemorrhage, retained placenta membrane, placental abruption, hyperemesis gravidarum, placenta praevia, still births, miscarriage, medically necessary emergency Caesarean section, medically necessary termination and any premature births more than 8 weeks (or 16 weeks in the case of a known multiple pregnancy) prior to the expected delivery date.

Coronavirus – means Covid-19 including any related and/or similar conditions howsoever called, or any mutation of these.

Cruise - means a voyage on a ship/vessel sailing on the seas or oceans that includes stopping at various ports. No cover is provided for cargo ship travel.

Curtailment /Curtail/Curtailed - means either:

- abandoning or cutting short the trip by direct early return to your home area, in which case claims will be calculated from the day you returned to your home area and based on the number of complete days of your trip you have not used, or
- b) by attending a hospital outside your home area as an in-patient for a period in excess of forty-eight (48) hours. Claims will be calculated from the day the ill/injured person was admitted to hospital and based on the number of complete days for which you were hospitalised. Cover only applies to ill/injured persons.

Doctor – means a registered medical practitioner who is not **you** or related to **you**, who is currently registered with the General Medical Council in the **United Kingdom** (or foreign equivalent) to practice medicine.

Epidemic – means a widespread occurrence of an infectious disease in a community at a particular time.

Excess - means the first amount of each claim, per section, for each separate incident payable for each **insured person**.

Existing medical condition(s) – means any serious or ongoing or recurring medical condition which has been previously diagnosed or been investigated or treated in any way, at any time prior to travel, even if this condition is currently considered to be stable and under control.

Family cover - means up to two adults and any number of their children, step children or foster children aged under 18 (or aged under 22 if in full time education), accompanying the parents or legal guardian insured on the same policy travelling on any **trip** to the same destination.

The children are only insured when travelling with one or both of the insured adults, (or accompanied by another responsible adult) but under annual multi trip cover either adult is also insured to travel on their own.

Golf equipment - means golf clubs, golf balls, golf bag, non-motorised golf trolley and golf shoes.

Hijack - means the unlawful seizure or wrongful exercise of control of the **public transport** in which **you** are travelling as a passenger.

Home - means your normal place of residence in the United Kingdom.

Home area – means an **insured person's** usual place of residence within the **United Kingdom**.

Insured person - See definition of You/Your/Yourself/Insured person.

Irrecoverable costs

Any costs where **you** are not entitled to a refund by any other means, and/or costs that are not compensated elsewhere, and/or costs that are already accepted or offered by **your** transport and/or accommodation provider, even if this is a credit note or alternative travel arrangements.

Loss of Limb – means:

- a) In the case of a lower limb, loss by physical severance at or above the ankle or permanent and
- b) Total loss of and/or total and irrecoverable loss of use of an entire leg or foot which lasts twelve (12) calendar months and at the expiry of that period being beyond hope of improvement.

c) In the case of an upper limb, loss by physical severance of the entire four fingers through or above the meta carpo phalangeal joints or permanent and total loss of and/or total and irrecoverable loss of use of an entire arm or hand which lasts twelve (12) calendar months and at the expiry of that period being beyond hope of improvement.

Loss of sight - means:

- a) permanent and total loss of sight in both eyes where an insured person's name has been added to the Register of Blind Persons on the authority of a qualified ophthalmic specialist; or
- b) permanent and total loss of sight, if the degree of sight remaining after correction is 3/60 or less on the Snellen Scale (seeing at least three feet what an **insured person** should see at sixty feet), which lasts twelve (12) calendar months and at the expiry of that period being beyond hope of improvement.

Manual work - means physical work or work involving the use or operation of mechanical or non-mechanical machinery or equipment.

Medical condition - means any disease, illness or injury.

Package - means the pre-arranged combination of at least two of the following components when sold or offered for sale at an inclusive price and when the service covers a period of more than twenty-four (24) hours or includes overnight accommodation:

- a) transport
- b) accommodation
- c) other tourist services not ancillary to transport or accommodation (such as car hire or airport parking) and accounting for a significant proportion of the package as more fully described under The Package Travel, Package Holidays and Package Tour Regulations 1992.

Pandemic – means an **epidemic** that has spread across a large region.

Permanent total disablement – means irrecoverable disablement arising from accidental **bodily injury**, which permanently and totally incapacitates the **insured person** for a continuous period of twelve (12) months from carrying out at least two of the following activities of daily living:

- a) <u>Transfer and Mobility</u> the ability to move from one room to an adjoining room or from one side of a room to another or to get in and out of a bed or chair,
- b) Dressing putting on and taking off all necessary items of clothing,
- c) <u>Toileting</u> getting to and from the toilet, transferring on and off the toilet and associated personal hygiene,
- <u>Eating</u> all tasks of getting food into the body once it has been prepared,

and at the expiry of that period being beyond hope of improvement sufficient to carry out at least three of the previously described activities of daily living ever again.

Personal money - means bank notes, currency notes and coins in current use, travellers' and other cheques, postal or money orders, pre-paid coupons or vouchers, travel tickets, phonecards, money cards and credit/debit or pre-pay charge cards all held for personal use and which are non-refundable.

Piste - means a recognised and marked ski run within the resort boundaries.

Policy schedule- means the document showing details of the cover and which should be read with this policy wording.

Public transport - means any publicly licensed aircraft, sea vessel, train, coach or bus on which **you** are booked or had planned to travel.

Secure baggage area - means any of the following, as and where appropriate:

- a) The locked dashboard, boot or luggage compartment of a motor vehicle
- b) The locked luggage compartment of a hatchback vehicle fitted with a lid closing off the luggage area, or of an estate car with a fitted and engaged tray or roller blind cover behind the rear seats
- c) The fixed storage units of a locked motorised or towed caravan
- d) A locked luggage box, locked to a roof rack, which is itself, locked to the vehicle roof.

Single parent cover - means one adult and any number of his or her children, step children or foster children aged under 18 (or aged under 22 if in full time education), accompanying the parent insured on the same policy, travelling on any **trip** to the same destination. The children are only insured when travelling with the insured adult, (or accompanied by another responsible adult) but under annual multi trip cover the adult is also insured to travel on their own.

Ski equipment - means skis (including bindings), ski boots, ski poles and snowboards.

Sports equipment - means specialist equipment belonging to **you** used specifically for a particular sport of leisure pursuit.

- The following are not included in the definition:
- ski equipment
- golf equipment

Terrorism - means an act, including but not limited to the use or planned use of force or violence and/or the threat of any person or group of persons, whether they are acting alone or on behalf of, or in connection with, any organisation, or government, committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes, including the intention to influence any government and/or the public, or to put any section of the public in fear).

Trip - means any holiday or pleasure trip or journey, within the geographical areas shown in the **policy schedule** that begins and ends in **your home area** during the period of insurance, excluding one-way trips.

Unattended - means when **you** do not have full view of **your** property or where **you** are not in a position to prevent the unauthorised taking of **your** property, unless it is left in a locked room or a locked safety deposit facility. Property left in a motor vehicle is considered to be **unattended** even when the motor vehicle is locked and the property is out of view in an enclosed storage compartment, boot or luggage space.

 $\mbox{United Kingdom/UK}$ - means England, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland and the Isle of Man.

Utilisation of Nuclear, Chemical or Biological weapons of mass destruction

Means the use of any explosive nuclear weapon or device; or the emission, discharge, dispersal, release or escape of: fissile material emitting a level of radioactivity, or any pathogenic (disease producing) microorganism(s) and/ or biologically produced toxin(s) (including genetically modified organisms and chemically synthesised toxins), or any solid, liquid or gaseous chemical compound which, when suitably distributed, is capable of causing incapacitating disablement or death amongst people or animals.

Usual, reasonable and customary - means the most common charge for similar services, medicines or supplies within the area in which the charge is incurred, so long as those charges are reasonable. We will determine what usual, reasonable and customary charges are, and in doing so may consider one or more of the following factors:

- a) the level of skill, extent of training, and experience required to perform the procedure or service;
- b) the length of time required to perform the procedure or services as compared to the length of time required to perform other similar services;
- c) the severity or nature of the Illness or **bodily injury** being treated;
- d) the amount charged for the same or comparable services, medicines or supplies in the locality;
- e) the amount charged for the same or comparable services, medicines or supplies in other parts of the country;
- f) the cost to the medical provider of providing the service, medicine or supply;
- g) such other factors as **we**, in the reasonable exercise of discretion, determine are appropriate.

Valuables - means jewellery, gold, silver, precious metal or precious or semiprecious stone articles, watches, furs, sunglasses, spectacles, telescopes, binoculars, cameras, camcorders, portable satellite navigation systems, photographic, audio, video, computer, television and telecommunications equipment (including mobile phones, smart phones and ancillary items, tablets, laptops, computer equipment, games and associated equipment, MP3/4 players, iPods, CD's, DVD's, tapes, films, cassettes, cartridges and headphones).

War – means military action, either between nations or resulting from civil war or revolution

We/Us/Our - means

- For Sections A to I and K to S inclusive means Chaucer Insurance Company DAC.
- For Section J means International Passenger Protection Limited who provides the cover that is underwritten by Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE.
- For Section T only means Inter Partner Assistance S.A. UK Branch, with a registered office at 106-118 Station Road, Redhill, Surrey, RH1 1PR. Inter Partner Assistance S.A. UK Branch is a Branch of Inter Partner Assistance S.A. (Financial Conduct Authority registration number 202664), which is a Belgian firm authorised by the National Bank of Belgium under number 0487. Deemed authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority. Subject to regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and limited regulation by the Prudential Regulation Authority. Details of the Temporary Permissions Regime, which allows EEA-based firms to operate in the UK for a limited period while seeking full authorisation, are available on the Financial Conduct Authority's website.

You/Your/Yourself/Insured person - means each person travelling on a trip whose name appears in the **policy schedule**.

GENERAL CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO THE WHOLE POLICY

The following conditions apply to all sections of this insurance.

- You must tell us if you know about anything that may affect our decision to accept your insurance (for example, if you are planning to take part in a dangerous activity while you are on holiday).
- You must comply with the 'Important conditions relating to health' on pages 14 & 15.
- 3. You must take all reasonable steps to avoid or reduce any loss, which may mean that you have to make a claim under this insurance. (For example, if you receive hospital treatment in a European Union country, you should produce your European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC), if you have one).
- 4. You must give Claims Settlement Agencies all the documents they need to deal with any claim. You will be responsible for the costs involved in doing this. For example, in the event of a cancellation claim you will need to supply proof that you were unable to travel, such as a medical certificate completed by your doctor.
- You must help us get back any money that we have paid from anyone or from other insurers (including the Department for Work and Pensions) by giving us all the details we need and by filling in any forms.
- 6. This insurance policy will only respond to claims for irrecoverable costs once those principally responsible for reimbursing the cost have been exhausted. For example, transport and accommodation costs You should, in the first instance, contact your tour operator, airline, accommodation provider, credit or debit card providers to source a refund, as in most instances, either as a result of the Package Travel & Linked Arrangement Regulations 2018; EU Transport Regulations; Consumer Credit Act; or Debit card charge backs, a refund is legally due.
- 7. Any fraud, deliberate mis-statement or hiding of information in connection with the application for this policy or when making a claim will make this policy invalid for the **insured person** who has committed the fraud, deliberate mis-statement or hidden information. In this event, any benefit due to the **insured person** who has committed the fraud, deliberate mis-statement or hiding of information under this policy will be forfeited and any benefit that has previously been paid to them in connection with the fraud, deliberate mis-statement or hiding of information must be repaid to **us** in full. **We** will also under such circumstances not refund any premium paid on behalf of the **insured person** who has committed the fraud, deliberate mis-statement or hiding of information.
- 8. The **insured person** must give **us** permission to obtain any medical reports or records needed from any **doctor** who has treated the **insured person**; otherwise **we** may not pay any claim.

- 9. We may ask the insured person to attend one or more medical examinations. If we do, we will pay the cost of the examination(s) and for any medical reports and records and the insured person's reasonable travelling expenses to attend (and any person required to travel with them), if these expenses are agreed by us in advance. If the insured person fails to attend without reasonable cause, we may reject the claim.
- 10. If an **insured person** dies, **we** have the right to ask for a post mortem examination at **our** expense.
- 11. You must pay us back any amounts that we have paid to you which are not covered by the insurance. This could include any overpayments and payments that you are not entitled to, for example, if your claim for lost luggage has been paid but your suitcase is subsequently returned to you by the airline.
- 12. After a claim has been settled, any damaged items that **you** have sent into Claims Settlement Agencies will become **our** property.
- 13. This policy may not be assigned or transferred unless agreed by us in writing. Any attempt to assign rights or interests without our written consent is null and void.
- 14. We will not pay any interest on any amount payable under this policy.
- 15. We will deal with claims under Section D Personal Accident in respect of accidental death as follows:
 - a) If an **insured person** is eighteen (18) years of age or over any sums payable will be made to the executor or personal representative of the deceased **insured person's** estate.
 - b) If an insured person is seventeen (17) years of age or under any sums payable will be made to a parent of the deceased insured person.
- 16. We may also contact third parties who have or who were to provide services to the insured person (for example, an airline, travel company or hotel) to verify the information provided.
- 17. Only the **policyholder**, an **insured person** (or their **parent** if they are seventeen (17) years of age or under or their executor or personal representative in the event of the **death** of an **insured person**) or **us** may enforce the terms of this policy.
- 18. All claims must be notified as soon as is reasonably practical after the event that causes the claim. Failure to do so may result in **our** rejection of the claim if it is made so long after the event that **we** are unable to investigate it fully, or may result in **you** not receiving the full amount claimed for if the amount claimed is increased as a result of the delay.
- 19. Several Liability Notice. The subscribing (re)insurers' obligations under contracts of (re)insurance to which they subscribe are several and not joint and are limited solely to the extent of their individual subscriptions. The subscribing (re)insurers are not responsible for the subscription of any co-subscribing (re)insurer who for any reason does not satisfy all or part of its obligations.

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS APPLICABLE TO THE WHOLE POLICY

General exclusions apply to all sections of this policy; with the exception of Section J – End supplier failure (including scheduled airline failure). In addition to these general exclusions, please also refer to 'What is not covered' under each policy section and 'Important conditions relating to health' on pages 14 & 15, as these set out further exclusions which apply to certain sections.

We will not cover the following:

- 1. You are not covered under this policy if you are travelling with the purpose of receiving medical treatment abroad.
- 2. Any claims arising as a result of an **existing medical condition** of a **close relative** or friend living abroad whom **you** had planned to stay with, or any known or recognised complication of or caused by the **existing medical condition**.
- 3. Any claim relating to an incident which **you** were aware of at the time **you** purchased this insurance and which could reasonably be expected to lead to a claim.
- 4. Any claim arising from you acting in a way which goes against the advice of a doctor, or you travelling against the advice of a doctor or where you would have been if you had sought their advice before beginning your trip.
- 5. Any claim if **you** are on any official government or police database of suspected or actual terrorists, members of terrorist organisations, drug traffickers or illegal suppliers of nuclear, chemical or

biological weapons.

- Any claim arising out of war, hostilities or warlike operations (whether war be declared or not), civil war, invasion, revolution or any similar event.
- Any claim arising from terrorism but this exclusion shall not apply to losses under Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, Section C - Hospital benefit and Section D – Personal accident.
- 8. Any claim arising from civil riots, blockades, strikes or industrial action of any type (except for strikes or industrial action which were not existing or publicly announced by the date **you** purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any **trip**).
- 9. Loss or damage to any property, or any loss, expense or liability arising from ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from burning nuclear fuel or the radioactive toxic, explosive or other dangerous properties of any explosive nuclear equipment or any part of it, or being exposed to the **utilisation of nuclear, chemical or biological weapons of mass destruction**.
- Any claim if you already have a more specific insurance covering this (for example, if an item you are claiming for under Section E1 – Baggage, is a specified item on your household contents insurance policy).
- 11. Any loss that is insured or guaranteed by any other existing protection, specifically Package Travel Regulations, Air Passenger Rights, ATOL (including Civil Aviation Authority requirements), or ABTA protection, or from **your** credit card provider under section 75 of the Consumer Credit Act, or any other specific legislation for transport or travel providers.
- Any costs already accepted or offered by your transport and/or accommodation provider, even if this is a credit note or alternative travel arrangements.
- 13. Any costs if **you** are unable to prove **your** financial loss.
- 14. Any claim arising as a result of **your** use of a two-wheeled motor vehicle unless:
 - a) as a passenger **you** wear a crash helmet and it is reasonable for **you** to believe that the driver holds a licence to drive the twowheeled motor vehicle under the laws of the country in which the accident occurs; or
 - b) as a rider you wear a crash helmet, you hold an appropriate UK licence that permits you to drive the capacity of the two-wheeled motor vehicle, and you comply with the licencing laws of the country in which the accident occurs.

There is no cover for off-roading.

- 15. Any claims arising from your use of a quad bike.
- 16. Any claim where **you** are not wearing a seatbelt when travelling in a motor vehicle, where a seatbelt is available.
- 17. Any claims arising from any form of motor racing, racing formally or informally against another motorist, use of a vehicle on a race track, rallying, speed trials, hill climbs or timed event of any kind.
- 18. Any claim involving you taking part in any sport or activity unless the policyholder has paid the necessary premium (if applicable) to extend your policy to provide cover for this and it is shown on your policy schedule. Please see the sports and activities section on pages 16 to 18 of this policy wording for further details.
- 19. Any indirect losses, costs, charges or expenses (meaning losses, costs, charges or expenses which are not listed under the headings 'What is covered' in Sections A to S, for example, loss of earnings if you cannot work after you have been injured or the cost of replacement locks if your keys are stolen).
- 20. Any claim arising from a scheduled airline becoming insolvent or being unable or unwilling to fulfil any part of their obligation to **you**, unless **you** have purchased the PremierPlus Cover and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.

- 21. Any claim arising from a hotel, train operator, coach operator, car hire company, caravan site, campsite, mobile home rental company, camper rental company or Theme Park becoming insolvent, or being unable or unwilling to fulfil any part of their obligation to **you**, unless **you** have purchased the PremierPlus Cover and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- 22. Any claim arising where you have travelled to a specific country or to an area where, prior to your trip commencing, the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel. This exclusion does not apply where your destination is within Euro 1, Euro 2 or Euro 3 (see the 'Geographical Areas' on page 7) and where the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel solely due to the coronavirus risk.

It is **your** responsibility to check the latest advice from the FCDO prior to commencing **your trip**, which **you** can find at https://www.gov.uk/foreign-travel-advice.

- 23. Any claim arising from **you** being involved in any deliberate, malicious, reckless, illegal or criminal act.
- 24. Any claim involving you taking part in manual labour.
- 25. Any claim relating to **winter sports** unless the **policyholder** has paid the necessary premium to extend **your** policy to provide cover for this and it is shown on **your policy schedule**. Please see the activities **we** include as **winter sports** on page 18 of this policy wording.
- 26. Any claim arising from:
 - a) your suicide or attempted suicide; or
 - b) **you** injuring **yourself** deliberately or putting **yourself** in danger (unless **you** are trying to save a human life).
- 27. Your use of drugs.
- 28. Your excessive consumption of alcohol by which we mean where you have drunk so much alcohol that a doctor has stated that your alcohol consumption has caused or actively contributed to your injury or illness, the results of a blood test at the time of injury or illness shows that your blood alcohol level exceeds 0.19% that is approximately 1.5 litres of beer or four 175ml glasses of wine or a witness report of a third party that has advised that you have notably impaired your faculties and/or judgement.
- 29. Your alcohol intake whilst taking any combination of medication or drugs known (or would reasonably be suspected) to cause drowsiness, impaired vision or judgment when combined with alcohol whether such drugs are prescribed or not.
- **30.** Any claim which is as a result of **you** having been diagnosed as suffering from acute alcohol intoxication, alcohol dependency or alcohol withdrawal.
- 31. Any costs which **you** would have had to or would have chosen to pay had the reason for the claim not occurred (for example, the cost of food that **you** would have paid for in any case).
- 32. Any claim arising as a result of **you** failing to get the inoculations and vaccinations that **you** need in relation to **your trip**.
- Any loss, damage, liability, cost or expense caused deliberately or accidentally by:
 - the use of, or inability to, use any application, software, or programme in connection with any electronic equipment (for example a computer, smartphone, tablet or internet-capable electronic device);
 - ii. any computer virus;
 - iii. any computer related hoax relating to i and/or ii above.
- 34. Any claim arising from a **cruise** unless **you** have paid the appropriate additional premium and cover is shown on **your policy schedule**. In any event, there is no cover for cargo or container ship travel.
- 35. Flying (other than as a passenger in a fully licensed aircraft).
- 36. We shall not provide any cover, pay any claim, or provide any benefit to the extent that this cover, payment of a claim or benefit would expose us to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United

Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, **United Kingdom** or the United States of America.

- 37. Anything shown as not covered in the 'Important Conditions relating to Health' on pages 14 & 15.
- Any claim directly or indirectly related to the fear or threat of a pandemic and/or epidemic, including but not limited to Coronavirus.
- 39. Any claim directly or indirectly related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**.

However, this general exclusion shall not apply to Section A – Cancellation or curtailment charges, Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, Section J – End supplier failure (including scheduled airline failure) and Section K – Attraction, event & excursion tickets; provided that **you** have received the recommended number of doses of an approved **Coronavirus** vaccine 14 days prior to **your trip** commencing. This vaccination requirement shall not apply where **you** were ineligible for vaccination, or unable to receive the vaccine for medical reasons, and this is shown in **your** medical records. **You** should also refer to general exclusion 22.

In the event of a conflict between these general exclusions and any other term in **your** policy terms and conditions, these general exclusions take precedence.

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS RELATING TO HEALTH

This policy contains conditions relating to **your** health. **You** must comply with the disclosure of **your existing medical conditions** as stated on page 15.

BE AWARE!

We do not provide cover at any time for:

- Any medical conditions you have for which a doctor has advised you not to travel (or would have done so had you sought his/her advice), but despite this you still travel.
- Any surgery, treatment or investigations for which you intend to travel outside of your home area to receive (including any expenses incurred due to the discovery of other medical conditions during and/or complications arising from these procedures).
- Any medical condition for which you are not taking the recommended treatment or prescribed medication as directed by a doctor.
- Your travel against any health requirements stipulated by the carrier, their handling agents or any other public transport provider.
- Your participation in clinical/drug trials.
- Claims caused by an **existing medical condition** of a **close relative** or friend living abroad whom **you** had planned to stay with, or any known or recognised complication of or caused by the **existing medical condition**.
- Any circumstances that are not specified in **your** policy.

At the time of taking out this policy, we are unable to provide any cover for:

- Any existing medical condition unless you have complied with the 'Disclosure of your medical conditions' on page 15 and have accurately declared your medical condition(s) to TravelTime and TravelTime have agreed in writing to cover you. You can declare your medical conditions using our online medical screening facility via our website www.traveltimeinsurance.co.uk or you can call us on 0345 548 2122.
- Any circumstances if **you** have received a terminal prognosis.
- Any medical condition you are aware of but for which you have not had a diagnosis.

Waiting lists:

If you are awaiting treatment or investigation for a medical condition for which you have a confirmed diagnosis, this policy will NOT provide cover under Section A - Cancellation or curtailment charges under the following circumstances, unless you have chosen the 'waiting list' optional cover and have paid the appropriate additional premium and cover is shown on your policy schedule:

- a) you receive an appointment for treatment or investigation which conflicts with your planned trip, or
- b) as a result of the awaited treatment or investigation your state of health deteriorates to the point that you become unable to travel on your planned trip.

Awaiting treatment or investigation for a **medical condition** for which **you** have a confirmed diagnosis does NOT affect cover under Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation for **medical conditions** that **you** have declared to TravelTime and TravelTime have confirmed cover.

Should you become aware of a change in your diagnosis before you travel, please notify TravelTime immediately.

Please note that 'waiting list' cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

You should also refer to the 'General exclusions applicable to the whole policy' on pages 12 to 13.

CHANGE IN HEALTH

If your health or your ongoing medication changes between the date your policy was purchased and the date of travel you must advise TravelTime Travel Insurance by phone on 0345 548 2122 as soon as possible.

We will advise you what cover we are able to provide, after the date of diagnosis.

Following your change in health we reserve the right to increase the premium, increase the excess, exclude the condition or withdraw the cover should the stability of the condition make it necessary (please refer to 'Definitions' for more information).

Travelling when pregnant

Pregnancy is not a **medical condition**. You may decide to travel until you are quite late into your pregnancy. Airlines and ferry/shipping companies including **cruise** liners have their own restrictions due to health and safety requirements. You should check with them or any other transport companies you propose to use before you book.

Please make sure that **your** G.P. and midwife are aware of **your** travel plans, that there are no known complications and that **you** are not travelling against any medical advice. **We** have the right to request a medical certificate to confirm this. **We** will only pay claims due to **complications of pregnancy**, or where **you** were unaware of the pregnancy at the time of purchasing the insurance and **you** are advised not to travel by a **doctor**.

Health of your non-travelling close relatives or close business associates

If you have a non-travelling close relative or close business associate with a medical condition who dies or falls seriously ill and as a result you wish to claim under section A - Cancellation or curtailment charges, you will be covered only if the close relative's or business associate's doctor states that at the time of purchasing this insurance or booking a trip, whichever is the later, he/she would not have foreseen such a serious deterioration in his or her patient's condition.

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS RELATING TO HEALTH (continued....)

DISCLOSURE OF YOUR MEDICAL CONDITIONS

Your policy may not cover claims arising from your existing medical conditions.

If you answer 'yes' to any of the questions below then you must declare the relevant conditions to us at TravelTime Travel Insurance.

So that we can ensure you are provided with the best cover we can offer please read and answer the following questions accurately and carefully.

Please note: If **you** are answering the medical questions on behalf of someone else, **you** must make sure that **you** have their permission to do so and all of the required information to answer the medical questions fully and accurately. If **you** are not sure of any of the information **you** are giving **us** or do not know, the answers must be checked with the treating G.P.

Failure to accurately and fully declare all medical condition(s) for you, or anyone travelling with you will affect your cover and may result in your claim being declined.



SPORTS & ACTIVITIES

The following lists detail the sports, activities that this policy will cover when **you** are participating on a <u>recreational</u>, <u>incidental</u> and <u>amateur</u> basis during any **trip**, provided that **you**:

- 1. comply with local laws and the relevant safety procedures rules and regulations
- 2. use appropriate safety equipment (such as helmet, harness, knee and/or elbow pads)
- 3. have not been advised by a **doctor** against participating in such sport or activity (or would not have been advised against it if it would have been reasonable for **you** to seek their advice and **you** chose not to).

Please refer to the 'General exclusions applicable to the whole policy' and the relevant exclusions under each section of this policy, which continue to apply.

Please also note the specific exclusions under Section N – Personal liability relating to **your** owning, handling or looking after any animal; **your** owning or using a firearm, a horse drawn or motorised vehicle, a waterborne, motorised, mechanical or towed vehicle (except manually propelled watercraft) or an aircraft of any description, including unpowered flight; **your** owning or occupying any land or building; and **your** job or **your** involvement in paid or unpaid **manual work** or physical labour of any kind.

If you are participating in any other sports or activities not mentioned, please email customer services at <u>traveltime@traveltimeinsurance.co.uk</u> as we may be able to offer cover for an additional premium. Details of those sports and activities which you have purchased cover for will be added to your policy schedule.

Activity Pack 1 - Covered as standard

Aerobics	Fruit or Vegetable Picking	Running, Sprint/Long Distance
Angling	Glass Bottom Boats	Safari (UK Organised)
Animal Sanctuary/Refuge Work	Glass Boltom Boats	Safari Trekking
Archery	Gom	Sail Boarding
Athletics - Track & field	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	
Athletics - Track & field	Highland games	Sailing/Yachting inshore (recreational)
Badminton	Hiking/Trekking/Walking up to 3,000m	Scuba Diving to 30m (with either recognised school & their qualified instructor or if you are qualified & not diving alone)
Ballooning - Hot Air	Horse Riding	Sea Fishing
Banana Boating	Ice Skating	Sea Kayaking as a beach activity (subject to not kayaking alone, must wear a life jacket and be within sight of the shore)
Bar Work	Jet Boating (as passenger on organised trip with tour operator. No racing)	Shooting (target range-not hunting)
Baseball	Jet Skiing	Sledging/Tobogganing
Basketball	Jogging	Sleigh riding (reindeer, horses or dogs)
Beach Games	Keep fit	Small Bore Target Shooting
Biathlon	Korfball	Snooker
Billiards	Low Ropes	Snorkelling
Bird Watching	Marathons (Maximum of 2 and not extreme marathons)	Softball
Body Boarding	Model Flying	Squash
Bowling	Model sports	Stoolball
Bowls	Motorcycling (EU ONLY - on road wearing a helmet provided you hold an appropriate UK licence for the capacity of the motorcycle you are riding). No cover off road or for Quad bikes	Stoopball
Bungee Jumping (maximum of 2 jumps)	Mountain Biking (not downhill)	Surfing
Camel/Elephant Riding	Netball	Swim Trekking
Camping	Pedaloes	Swimming
Canoeing/Kayaking (including white water grade 1 and 2 rivers)	Petanque	Swimming with Dolphins
Catamaran Sailing (In-shore)	Pigeon racing	Sydney Harbour Bridge
Clay Pigeon Shooting	Pony Trekking	Table Tennis
Cricket	Pool	Ten Pin Bowling
Croquet	Quoits	Tennis
Curling	Rackets	Tubing
Cycling	Rafting (grade 1 rivers only)	Tug of War
Dancing	Rambling	Volleyball
Darts	Racquet Ball	Wake Boarding
Diving (indoor up to 5 metres)	Restaurant Work	Water Skiing
Elephant Trekking (UK-Booked)	Rifle Range	Whale Watching
Fell Walking	Ringos	Windsurfing
Flag football	River Walking	Working
Flying a kite	Roller Blading	Yachting (inland and coastal waters)
Football	Roller skating	Yoga
Fresh Water/Sea Fishing	Rounders	
Frisbee	Rowing	
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Activity Pack 2 – Covered with an additional charge

Medical Excess – increased to £250 per insured person per claim Section D – Personal Accident: Benefit reduced to nil Section N – Personal Liability: Cover Excluded

Abseiling	Gorge Walking (no ropes)	Rap Running/Jumping
Airsoft	Gorilla Trekking	Rugby (training)
Bamboo Rafting	Handball	Safari (Non UK Organised)
Breathing Observation Bubble (BOB)	Hockey	Shark Cage Diving
Climbing (indoor only)	Indoor Climbing (on climbing wall)	Shinty
Cross Country Running	Judo (training only)	Skateboarding
Cycle Touring	Karate (training only)	Street Hockey
Deep Sea Fishing	Karting	Summer Tobogganing
Dinghy Sailing	Kendo (training only)	Swimming Open Water (organised and subject to boat escort e.g. swim trek. No cover for across channel etc)
Dragon Boat Racing	Lacrosse	Tae Kwon Do (training only)
Elephant Trekking (Non- UK booked)	Land Yachting	Trampolining
Falconry	Martial Arts (training Only)	Triathlon
Fell Running	Octopush	War Games/Paint Balling
Fencing	Orienteering	Water Polo
Fives	Paint Balling	Weight Lifting
Gaelic Football	Parasailing (Over water)	
Go Karting	Parascending (Over water)	

Activity Pack 3 – Covered with an additional charge

Medical Excess – increased to £250 per insured person per claim Section D – Personal Accident: Benefit reduced to nil Section N – Personal Liability: Cover Excluded

Adventure Racing (up to six (6) hours)	Hydro Zorbing	Rugby Union
American Football	Ice Hockey	Sand Boarding
Boxing Training	Modern Pentathlon	Sand Dune Surfing/Skiing
Canoeing/Kayaking (white water up to grade 3 rivers)	Mountain Walking up to 1500m	Speed Sailing
Canyoning	Power Boating	Speed Skating
Equestrian	Power lifting	Tree Top Canopy Walking
Harness Racing (EU only)	River Tubing	White Water Rafting (grade 1 to 3)
Hockey (Ice) With Full Body Protection	Roller Hockey	Wrestling
Horse Jumping (no Polo, Hunting)	Rugby (amateur game)	Zip lining/trekking (e.g. Go Ape)
Horse Riding (Eventing)	Rugby League	

Activity Pack 4 - Covered with an additional charge

Medical Excess – increased to £250 per insured person per claim Section D – Personal Accident: Benefit reduced to nil

Section N – Personal Liability: Cover Excluded

Cyclo Cross	Parascending (Over land)	White Water Rafting (grade 4 to 6) (EU only)
Devil Karting	Ski Biking	
Dirt Boarding	Snow Biking	

Activity Pack 5 - Covered with an additional charge

Medical Excess – increased to £250 per insured person per claim Section D – Personal Accident: Benefit reduced to nil Section N – Personal Liability: Cover Excluded

Heli-skiing (with guide)	Kite Boarding	Ski Touring
Hiking/Trekking/Walking up Kilimanjaro or Inca Trail as part of an organised tour	Kite Buggying	Ski Yawing
Hurling	Kite Surfing	Snow Blading
Hydrospeeding	River Bugging	Via Ferratta
Ice Climbing	Rock Climbing (under 2,000m)	
Ice Windsurfing (EU only)	Ski Randonee	

Activity Pack 6 – Covered with an additional charge

Medical Excess – increased to £250 per insured person per claim Section D – Personal Accident: Benefit reduced to nil Section N – Personal Liability: Cover Excluded

Assault Courses including High Ropes	Micro Lighting	Slack-Lining
Blowcarting	Paragliding (EU only)	Sphereing
BMX Freestyle & Racing	Parapenting/Paraponting (EU only)	Zorbing
Freestyle Skateboarding (EU only)	Polo (EU only)	
Gliding (EU only)	Polo cross (EU only)	

Activity Pack 7 - Covered with an additional charge

Medical Excess – increased to £250 per insured person per claim Section D – Personal Accident: Benefit reduced to nil Section N – Personal Liability: Cover Excluded

Downhill Mountain Biking	
Mountain Boarding (EU only)	

Activity Pack 8 – Covered with an additional charge

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Black Water Rafting	Hunting/Shooting	Skeleton
Bouldering in indoor centre	Power Gliding (EU only)	
Caving/Pot Holing	Power Kiting (EU only)	

Winter Sports – Your policy schedule will show if you selected this option & the appropriate additional premium has been paid.

Airboarding	Mono Skiing	Skiing - Mono	
Big Foot Skiing	Off- piste skiing (except in areas considered to be unsafe by local resort management)	Skiing - Nordic	
Blade Skating	Off- piste snowboarding (except in areas considered to be unsafe by local resort management)	considered to be unsafe by local resort Sledging/Tobogganing on snow	
Cat Skiing (with guide)	Passenger Sledge	Snowboarding	
Cross Country Skiing	Ski Blading	Snow Mobile/Ski Doos	
Dry Slope Skiing	Ski Boarding	Snow Mobiling	
Glacier Skiing / Walking	Ski Dooing	Snow Parascending	
Husky Dog Sledding	Ski Run Walking	Snow Shoe Walking	
Ice Go Carting	Skiing	Snow Tubing	
Kick Sledging	Skiing - Alpine	Snowcat Driving	
Langlauf	Skiing - Cat (with guide)	Telemarking	

MAKING A CLAIM

You must register a claim under Sections A to I and section K to S inclusive by contacting the following company:

Claims Settlement Agencies 308 – 314 London Road Hadleigh Benfleet Essex SS7 2DD

Tel: 01702 553443 E-mail: info@csal.co.uk To download a claim form please visit www.csal.co.uk

Claims Settlement Agencies are open Monday to Friday between 9am and 5.30pm. A claim form will be sent to you as soon as you tell them about your claim.

The fastest and easiest way to make a claim is online at www.submitaclaim.co.uk/tvt

The process should take approximately 10-15 minutes to complete (depending on the type of claim), but before continuing **you** should ensure **you** have **your policy schedule**, **trip** dates, supporting documentation and details of the incident.

You must register a claim under Section J only by contacting the following company:

Any occurrence, which may give rise to a claim, should be advised as soon as reasonably practicable to the following, by quoting **your** policy number, travel insurance policy name and reference: IPP ESFI V1-21.

IPP Claims at Sedgwick, Oakleigh House, 14-15 Park Place, Cardiff, CF10 3DQ.

Telephone: +44 (0)345 266 1872 Email: Insolvency-claims@ipplondon.co.uk To download a claim form please visit www.ipplondon.co.uk/claims.asp

You must register a claim under Section T only by contacting the following company:

Davies Group Limited

Tel: 0345 0744828 Lines are open between 8:00am and 5:30pm Monday to Friday.

To log your claim online, please visit our portal at https://bastion.davies-group.com/

Alternatively, please send an email to: gadgetclaims@davies-group.com

Or write to: Davies Group Limited, Unit 8, Fulwood Business Park, Caxtion Road, Preston, PR2 9NZ

All Claims

Please note: All claims must be notified as soon as it is reasonably practical after the event that causes you to submit a claim. Late notification of a claim may affect our acceptance of a claim or result in the amount we pay being reduced.

We will ask the claimant to complete a claim form and to provide at their own expense all reasonable and necessary evidence required by us to support a claim. If the information supplied is insufficient, we will identify the further information that is required. If we do not receive the information we need, we may reject the claim. For further details about claims, please refer to the 'General conditions applicable to the whole policy' on pages 11 & 12.

To help **us** prevent fraudulent claims, **we** store **your** personal details on computer and **we** may transfer them to a centralised system. **We** keep this information in line with the conditions of the Data Protection Act 2018 which incorporates the General Data Protection Regulation (EU)2016/679.

MEDICAL AND OTHER EMERGENCIES

This insurance policy is not a private medical insurance policy and does not cover private medical treatment, private hospital costs or other related expenses incurred, unless these have been specifically agreed and authorised by the Medical Emergency Assistance Company as part of a medical emergency covered by this policy.

This policy is only designed to cover **you** for emergency treatment. Emergency treatment means unforeseen and unplanned treatment that is needed for the sudden onset of an acute condition, which for medical reasons and in the opinion of **our** Medical Emergency Assistance Company, cannot be delayed until **you** return to the **United Kingdom**. The decision of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company is final.

An acute condition means: A disease, illness or injury that is likely to respond quickly to treatment which aims to return you to the state of health you were in immediately before suffering the disease, illness or injury, or which leads to your full recovery.

The Medical Emergency Assistance Company will provide immediate help if **you** are ill, injured or die outside the **United Kingdom**. They provide a 24-hour emergency service three hundred and sixty-five (365) days a year. The contact details are as follows:

Medical Emergency Assistance Company Phone: + 44 (0) 20 3819 7170 E-mail: internationalhealthcare@healix.com

Please have the following information available when **you** (or someone on **your** behalf) contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company so that **your** case can be dealt with swiftly and efficiently:

- 1. Your name, home address and email;
- 2. Your mobile phone number and contact phone number abroad;
- 3. The hospital and treating **doctor's** details;
- 4. Your policy number shown on your policy schedule; and
- 5. The name, address and contact phone number of your G.P.

Please quote the scheme name, which is: TravelTime Travel Insurance.

Please note: This is not a private medical insurance. If **you** go into hospital abroad and **you** are likely to be kept as an in-patient for more than twenty-four (24) hours or if **your** outpatient treatment is likely to cost more than £500, someone must contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company for **you** as soon as reasonably possible. If they do not, **we** may not provide cover or **we** may reduce the amount **we** pay for **your** in-patient or outpatient treatment.

In the event that **you** require in-patient hospital treatment and/or evacuation /repatriation, it is imperative that the Medical Emergency Assistance Company is contacted and authorisation obtained prior to such treatment and/or evacuation/repatriation taking place.

Failure to contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company and obtain authorisation may prejudice the claim and could mean that some or all of the costs involved may not be paid. **You** should not attempt to find **your** own solution and then expect full reimbursement from **us** without prior approval having been obtained from the Medical Emergency Assistance Company.

If you have to return to the United Kingdom under Section A – Curtailment charges or Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, the Medical Emergency Assistance Company must authorise this. If they do not, we may not provide cover or we may reduce the amount we pay for your return to the United Kingdom.

All cover ceases If you have to return to the United Kingdom under Section A – Curtailment charges or Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, cover cannot be provided to resume your trip or for further trips if you have a single trip policy.

HEALTH AGREEMENTS

European Health Insurance Card (EHIC)/Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC)

The EHIC allows **you** to access state provided healthcare in all European Economic Area (EEA) countries and Switzerland. **Your** EHIC will be accepted for the remainder of its validity. From 4th January 2021, if **you** do not have a valid EHIC **you** will need to apply for a GHIC but please be aware that the GHIC does not cover Switzerland, Iceland, Liechtenstein or Norway. For more information or to apply for **your** GHIC: online at <u>www.dh.gov.uk/travellers</u> or by telephoning **0845 606 2030**.

Presenting your EHIC/GHIC at a public medical facility will allow you to obtain treatment at a reduced cost and in many cases free of charge, provided you are a UK resident (please note if you reside in the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands you are not eligible for an EHIC/GHIC). You must carry it with you when travelling abroad. Remember to check your EHIC/GHIC is still valid before you travel.

If **you** are travelling outside the EEA then there are some countries that have reciprocal agreements with the **UK** and these can be found on: www.gov.uk/guidance/uk-reciprocal-healthcare-agreements-with-non-eu-countries.

Australia or New Zealand

If you require medical treatment in Australia you must enrol with a local MEDICARE office. You do not need to enrol on arrival but you must do this after the first occasion you receive treatment. In-patient and out-patient treatment at a public hospital is then available free of charge. Details of how to enrol and the free treatment available can be found by visiting the MEDICARE Website on www.humanservices.gov.au/medicare or by emailing: medicare@humanservices.gov.au.

If **you** require medical treatment in New Zealand, there are reciprocal agreements, but a person may not enrol with a Primary Health Organisation (PHO). They should get the same health subsidies as a New Zealand citizen visiting a general practitioner as a casual patient, if the **doctor** has decided the condition needs prompt attention. For more information, please go to www.health.govt.nz or email: info@health.govt.nz Alternatively, please call the Medical Emergency Assistance Company for guidance.

If you are admitted to hospital, contact must be made with the Medical Emergency Assistance Company as soon as possible and their authority obtained in respect of any treatment NOT available under MEDICARE or a Primary Health Organisation (PHO).

In the event of liability being accepted for a medical expense that has been reduced by the use of either an EHIC, Medicare in Australia or private health insurance, we will not apply the deduction of the policy excess under section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation.

SECTION A – CANCELLATION OR CURTAILMENT CHARGES

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for your proportion only of any irrecoverable unused travel and accommodation costs and other pre-paid charges (excluding *attraction, event & excursion tickets*) which you have paid or are contracted to pay, together with your proportion only of any reasonable additional travel expenses incurred if:

- a) cancellation of the **trip** is necessary and unavoidable or
- b) the trip is curtailed before completion

as a result of any of the following events:

- 1.
- a) Your death,
- b) You suffering bodily injury,
- c) Your illness,
- d) You contracting a disease,
- e) You testing positive for Coronavirus within 14 days of your trip departure date, (for cancellation of your trip),
- f) You being admitted to hospital due to testing positive for Coronavirus since you purchased your policy (for cancellation of your trip),
- g) You testing positive for Coronavirus during your trip (for curtailing your trip),
- h) You suffering complications of pregnancy.
- 2. The death, **bodily injury**, illness, disease, or **complications of pregnancy** of:
 - a) any person who **you** are travelling with
 - b) any person who you have arranged to stay with
 - c) your close relative
 - d) your close business associate.

Please note: there is no cover if this is related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**, as this is excluded - see General Exclusions 38 and 39 on page 13.

- 3. You, or any person who you are travelling with, being called as a witness at a Court of Law or for jury service attendance.
- 4. Redundancy of you or any person who you are travelling with (which qualifies for payment under current UK redundancy payment legislation, and at the time of booking the trip there was no reason to believe anyone would be made redundant).
- 5. You or any person who you are travelling with, are a member of the Armed Forces, Territorial Army, Police, Fire, Nursing or Ambulance Services or employees of a Government Department and have your/their authorised leave cancelled or are called up for operational reasons, provided that the cancellation or curtailment could not reasonably have been expected at the time when you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any trip, which occurred or became apparent within 5 days prior to the commencement of your trip or during the course of your trip.

Please note: there is no cover if this is related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**, as this is excluded - see General Exclusions 38 and 39 on page 13.

6. The Police or other authorities requesting **you** to stay at or return to **your home** due to serious damage to **your home** caused by fire, aircraft, explosion, storm, flood, subsidence, fallen trees, collision by road vehicles, malicious people or theft.

Special conditions relating to claims

- You must get (at your own expense) a medical certificate from a doctor and the prior approval of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company to confirm the necessity to return home, prior to curtailment of the trip due to death, bodily injury, illness, disease or complications of pregnancy.
- 2. If **you** fail to notify the travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport or accommodation as soon as **you** find out it is necessary

to cancel the **trip**, the amount **we** will pay will be limited to the cancellation charges that would have otherwise applied.

- 3. If **you** cancel the **trip** due to:
 - a) stress, anxiety, depression or any other mental or nervous disorder that you are suffering from you must provide (at your own expense) a medical certificate from either a registered mental health professional if you are under the care of a Community Mental Health Team or if not, a consultant specialising in the relevant field, or
 - b) any other bodily injury, illness, disease or complications of pregnancy, you must provide (at your own expense) a medical certificate from a doctor stating that this necessarily and reasonably prevented you from travelling.

We need the medical certificate completed as soon as you find out it is necessary to cancel the **trip**, as any delay in seeing a **doctor** could mean that your symptoms are no longer present. If you cannot get an immediate appointment, please make one for as early as possible and keep all details of this to help substantiate your claim.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- Cancelling your trip because of a medical condition or an illness related to a medical condition, which you knew about, and which could reasonably be expected to lead to a claim, unless declared to TravelTime and TravelTime have agreed in writing to cover you.
- 3. Cancelling or **curtailing your trip** if **you** receive an appointment for **your** awaited treatment or investigation, unless:
 - a) you have chosen the appropriate 'waiting list' cover extension and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the policy schedule, and
 - b) your appointment for your awaited treatment or investigation is medically necessary and cannot wait until your return from the planned trip.
- 4. Any claims arising directly or indirectly from Coronavirus:
 - a) for cancellation of your trip, if you do not have an official positive test result confirming your diagnosis within 14 days of your trip departure date or you do not have evidence of your admittance to hospital due to testing positive for Coronavirus since you purchased your policy;
 - b) for curtailing your trip, if you do not have an official positive test result confirming your diagnosis, unless agreed by the Medical Emergency Assistance Company;
 - c) if you are advised to quarantine or you choose to self-isolate due to a person you have come into contact with having Coronavirus;
 - d) if a medical professional advises you not to travel as you have underlying health conditions that place you 'at a higher risk' from Coronavirus;
 - e) where **you** have travelled to a specific country or to an area where, prior to **your trip** commencing, the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel. This exclusion does not apply where **your** destination is within Euro 1, Euro 2 or Euro 3 (see the 'Geographical Areas' on page 7) and where the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) have advised against all (or all but essential) travel solely due to the **coronavirus** risk.
 - f) as a result of local government restrictions or directives prohibiting or restricting entry (for example, self-isolation, quarantine or lockdown measures) to your intended destination or on your return home;
 - g) any costs of Coronavirus testing unless you are admitted to hospital as an in-patient as a result of an accident or illness that is covered under section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation.
- 5. You not wanting to travel.

- 6. Any extra costs resulting from **you** not telling the company with whom **you** have made **your** booking as soon as **you** know **you** have to cancel **your trip**.
- 7. You being unable to travel due to your failure to obtain the passport, visa or other required documentation that you need for the trip.
- 8. The cost of your unused original tickets where the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or we have arranged and paid for you to come home following curtailment of the trip. If however you have not purchased a return ticket, we reserve the right to deduct the cost of an economy flight from any additional costs we have incurred which are medically necessary to repatriate you to your home.
- 9. The resumption of **your trip** once it has been **curtailed**. There is no further cover once **you** have returned to **your home area**.
- 10. The cost of Air Passenger Duty (APD) and credit or debit cards fees, whether irrecoverable or not.
- 11. Any claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) Your misconduct or misconduct by any person who you are travelling with or have arranged to travel with leading to dismissal, your/their resignation, voluntary redundancy, you/their entering into a compromise agreement, or where you/they had received a warning or notification of redundancy before you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any trip.
 - b) circumstances known to you before you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any trip which could reasonably have been expected to lead to cancellation or curtailment of the trip.
- 12. Any claim for attraction, event & excursion tickets.
- 13. Travel tickets paid for using any airline mileage or supermarket reward scheme (for example Avios, Tesco Clubcard, Nectar), unless evidence of specific monetary value can be provided.
- 14. Accommodation costs paid for using any Timeshare, Holiday Property Bond or other holiday points scheme. In addition any property maintenance costs, fees or charges incurred by **you**, as part of **your** involvement in such schemes is not covered.
- 15. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A medical certificate from the treating **doctor** (or in the case of stress, anxiety, depression or any other mental or nervous disorder, either a registered mental health professional if **you** are under the care of a Community Mental Health Team or if not, a consultant specialising in the relevant field) explaining why it was necessary for **you** to cancel or **curtail** the **trip**.
- In the case of death causing cancellation or **curtailment** of the **trip**, the original death certificate.
- A positive official test result confirming **your** diagnosis of **Coronavirus** within 14 days of **your trip** departure date or evidence that **you** were admitted to hospital due to testing positive for **Coronavirus** since **you** purchased **your** policy.
- Booking confirmation together with a cancellation invoice from your travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport/accommodation.
- In the case of **curtailment** claims, written details from **your** travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport/accommodation of the separate costs of transport, accommodation and other pre-paid costs or charges that made up the total cost of the **trip**.
- Your unused travel tickets.
- Receipts or bills for any costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- In the case of jury service or witness attendance, the court summons.
- The letter of redundancy for redundancy claims.

- A letter from the commanding officer concerned, confirming cancellation of authorised leave or call up for operational reasons.
- In the case of serious damage to **your home** a report from the Police or relevant authority.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION B – EMERGENCY MEDICAL EXPENSES & REPATRIATION

If **you** are admitted into hospital as an in-patient for more than twenty-four (24) hours someone must contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company on **your** behalf as soon as reasonably possible – Please see the Medical and other emergencies section on page 20.

What is covered

We will pay you, up to the limit shown in the schedule of benefits, for the following expenses, that are reasonably and necessarily incurred during a trip, as a result of you suffering unforeseen bodily injury, illness (including with symptoms of or testing positive for Coronavirus), disease, or complications of pregnancy and/or compulsory quarantine on the orders of a treating doctor:

- 1. **usual, reasonable and customary** emergency medical, surgical, hospital, ambulance and nursing fees and charges incurred outside of **your home area**.
- usual, reasonable and customary emergency dental treatment for the immediate relief of pain (to natural teeth only) incurred outside of your home area.
- 3. Costs of telephone calls:
 - a) to the Medical Emergency Assistance Company notifying and dealing with the problem for which you are able to provide receipts or other reasonable evidence to show the cost of the calls and the numbers you telephoned
 - b) incurred by you when you receive calls on your mobile phone from the Medical Emergency Assistance Company for which you are able to provide receipts or other reasonable evidence to show the cost of the calls.
- 4. The cost of taxi fares for your travel to or from hospital, relating to your admission, discharge or attendance for outpatient treatment or appointments and/or for collection of medication prescribed for you by the hospital.
- 5. If you die:
 - a) outside your home area the reasonable additional cost of funeral expenses abroad plus the reasonable cost of returning your ashes to your home, or the additional costs of returning your body to your home
 - b) within **your home area** the reasonable additional cost of returning **your** ashes or body to **your home**.
- Reasonable additional transport and/or accommodation expenses incurred, up to the standard of **your** original booking (for example full or half board, all inclusive, bed and breakfast, self-catering or room only), if it is medically necessary for **you** to stay beyond **your** scheduled return date.

This includes, with the prior authorisation of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company, reasonable additional transport and/or accommodation expenses for a travelling companion, friend or close relative to stay with you (or travel to you from the United Kingdom) to escort you. Also additional travel expenses to return you to your home or a suitable hospital nearby if you cannot use the return ticket.

7. With the prior authorisation of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company, the additional costs incurred in the use of air transport or other suitable means, including qualified attendants, to repatriate you to your home if it is medically necessary. These expenses will be for the identical class of travel utilised on the outward journey unless the Medical Emergency Assistance Company agree otherwise.

Special conditions relating to claims

- You must tell the Medical Emergency Assistance Company as soon as possible of any **bodily injury**, illness, disease or **complications of pregnancy** which necessitates **your** admittance to hospital as an in-patient or before any arrangements are made for **your** repatriation.
- 2. If you suffer bodily injury, illness, disease or complications of pregnancy we reserve the right to move you from one hospital to another and/or arrange for your repatriation to the United Kingdom at any time during the trip. We will do this, if in the opinion of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or us (based on information provided by the doctor in attendance), you can be moved safely and / or travel safely to your home area or a suitable hospital nearby to continue treatment.
- The intention of this section is to pay for emergency medical/surgical/dental treatment only and not for treatment or surgery that can be reasonably delayed until your return to your home area.

Our decisions regarding the treatment or surgery that **we** will pay for (including repatriation to **your home area**) will be based on this. If **you** do not accept **our** decisions and do not want to be repatriated, then **we** will cancel all cover under **your** policy and refuse to deal with claims for any further treatment and/or **your** repatriation to **your home area**.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule (except claims under subsection 2 of What is covered).
- 2. Normal pregnancy, without any accompanying **bodily injury**, illness, disease or complication. This section is designed to provide cover for unforeseen events, accidents, illnesses and diseases and normal childbirth would not constitute an unforeseen event.
- 3. Any medical treatment that you receive because of a medical condition or an illness related to a medical condition which you knew about at the time of purchasing this insurance and/or at the time of commencing travel and which could reasonably be expected to lead to a claim unless declared to TravelTime and TravelTime have confirmed cover in writing.
- 4. The cost of your unused original tickets where the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or we have arranged and paid for you to return to your home, if you cannot use the return ticket. If however you have not purchased a return ticket, we reserve the right to deduct the cost of an economy flight from any additional costs we have incurred which are medically necessary to repatriate you to your home.
- Any costs of Coronavirus testing unless you are admitted to hospital as an in-patient as a result of an accident or illness that is covered under section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation.
- 6. Any claims arising directly or indirectly for:
 - a) The cost of treatment or surgery, including exploratory tests, which are not related to the **bodily injury**, illness, disease or **complications of pregnancy** that necessitated **your** admittance into hospital.
 - b) Any expenses that are not usual, reasonable or customary to treat your bodily injury, illness, disease or complications of pregnancy.
 - c) Any form of treatment or surgery which in the opinion the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or us (based on information provided by the doctor in attendance), can be delayed reasonably until your return to your home area.
 - d) Expenses incurred in obtaining or replacing medication, which you know you will need at the time of departure or which will have to be continued outside of your home area. Where possible and with the agreement of your doctor, you should

always travel with plenty of extra medication in case of travel delays.

- e) expenses incurred as a result of a tropical disease where **you** have not had the NHS recommended inoculations and/or not taken the NHS recommended medication.
- f) Additional costs arising from single or private room accommodation.
- g) Treatment or services provided by a health spa, convalescent or nursing home or any rehabilitation centre unless agreed by the Medical Emergency Assistance Company.
- h) Any costs incurred by **you** to visit another person in hospital.
- i) Any expenses incurred after you have returned to your home area.
- j) Any expenses incurred in the United Kingdom:
 - i) for private treatment, or
 - ii) funded by, or are recoverable from the Health Authority in **your home area**, or
 - iii) funded by a reciprocal health agreement (RHA), or
 - iv) for the cost of Coronavirus testing.
- k) Any expenses incurred after the date on which we exercise our rights under this section to move you from one hospital to another and/or arrange for your repatriation but you decide not to be moved or repatriated.
- 7. the cost of work involving the use of precious metals in any dental treatment.
- 8. the provision of dentures, crowns or veneers.
- 9. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Receipts or bills for all in-patient/out-patient treatment or emergency dental treatment received.
- In the event of death, the original death certificate and receipts or bills for funeral, cremation or repatriation expenses.
- Receipts or bills for taxi fares to or from hospital claimed for, stating details of the date, name and location of the hospital concerned.
- Receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any other transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for, including calls to the Medical Emergency Assistance Company.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION C – HOSPITAL BENEFIT

What is covered

We will pay you up to the limit shown in the schedule of benefits for every complete twenty-four (24) hours you have to stay in hospital as an inpatient or are confined to your accommodation on the orders of a treating doctor outside your home area, as a result of bodily injury, illness, disease or complications of pregnancy you sustain.

We will pay the amount above in addition to any amount payable under Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation. *This payment is intended to help you pay for additional expenses such as taxi fares and phone calls incurred by your visitors during your stay in hospital.*

Special conditions relating to claims

1. You must tell the Medical Emergency Assistance Company as soon as possible of any **bodily injury**, illness, disease or **complications of pregnancy** which necessitates **your** admittance to hospital as an

in-patient, compulsory quarantine or confinement to **your** accommodation on the orders of a **doctor**.

What is not covered

- 1. Any claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - Any additional period of hospitalisation, compulsory quarantine or confinement to your accommodation:
 - relating to treatment or surgery, including exploratory tests, which are not directly related to the **bodily injury**, illness, disease or **complications of pregnancy** that necessitated your admittance into hospital.
 - ii) relating to treatment or services provided by a convalescent or nursing home or any rehabilitation centre.
 - iii) following your decision not to be repatriated after the date, when in the opinion of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company it is safe to do so.
 - b) Hospitalisation, compulsory quarantine or confinement to your accommodation:
 - relating to any form of treatment or surgery which in the opinion of the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or us (based on information provided by the doctor in attendance), can be delayed reasonably until your return to your home area.
 - ii) occurring in the United Kingdom and relating to either private treatment or tests, surgery or other treatment, the costs of which are funded by a reciprocal health agreement (RHA), or are funded by or recoverable from the Health Authority in your home area.
- 2. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Confirmation in writing from the hospital, relevant authority or the treating **doctor** of the dates when **you** were admitted and subsequently discharged from hospital, or confinement to **your** accommodation.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION D - PERSONAL ACCIDENT

What is covered

We will pay one of the benefits as shown in the schedule of benefits if you sustain **bodily injury** that shall solely and independently of any other cause, result within two years in your death, loss of limb, loss of sight or permanent total disablement.

Special conditions relating to claims

1. Our doctor may examine you as often as they consider necessary if you make a claim.

Provisions

- 1. Benefit is not payable to **you**:
 - a) Under more than one of the items shown in the schedule of benefits under this section.
 - b) Under **permanent total disablement** until 24 continuous calendar months after the date **you** sustain **bodily injury**.
 - c) If you were already disabled before the bodily injury occurred or already have a condition, which is gradually getting worse, excesses may reduce our payment. Any reduced payment will be based on our medical assessment of the difference between:

- i) the disability after the **bodily injury**; and
- ii) the extent to which the disability is affected by the disability or condition before the **bodily injury** occurred.
- 2. The death benefit will be paid to the deceased **insured person's** estate.

What is not covered

- 1. The excess shown in the schedule of benefits.
- 2. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- In the event of death, the original death certificate.
- A medical certificate or report in relation to claims for loss of limb, loss of sight or permanent total disablement.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION E – BAGGAGE & DELAYED BAGGAGE

SECTION E1 – BAGGAGE

What is covered

 We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the accidental loss of, theft of or damage to baggage. The amount payable in the event of a total loss, will be the value at today's prices less a deduction for wear, tear and depreciation (loss of value), or we may replace, reinstate or repair the lost or damaged baggage.

The maximum we will pay you for the following items is:

- a) for any one article, pair or set of articles is as shown in the schedule of benefits.
- b) for the total for all valuables is as shown in the schedule of benefits.
- c) for any tobacco, alcohol and fragrances is as shown in the schedule of benefits.

SECTION E2 - DELAYED BAGGAGE

2. We will also pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the emergency replacement of clothing, medication and toiletries if your baggage is temporarily lost in transit during the outward journey and not returned to you within twelve (12) hours, as long as we receive written confirmation from the carrier, confirming the number of hours the baggage was delayed.

If the loss is permanent, **we** will deduct the amount paid from the final amount to be paid under this section.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must report to the local Police in the country where the incident occurred within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery, or as soon as possible after that and get (at your own expense) a written report of the loss, theft or attempted theft of all **baggage**.
- If baggage is lost, stolen or damaged while in the care of a carrier, transport company, authority, hotel or your accommodation provider you must report details of the loss, theft or damage to them in writing and get (at your own expense) written confirmation.
- 3. If **baggage** is lost, stolen or damaged whilst in the care of an airline **you** must:
 - a) get a Property Irregularity Report from the airline.
 - b) give written notice of the claim to the airline within the time limit contained in their conditions of carriage (please retain a copy).

- c) keep all travel tickets and tags for submission if **you** are going to make a claim under this policy.
- 4. You must provide (at your own expense) an original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged to help you to substantiate your claim.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule (except claims under Section E2 of What is covered).
- 2. Loss, theft of or damage to **valuables** left **unattended** at any time (including in a vehicle, in checked in luggage or while in the custody of a carrier, tour operator or **public transport** operator) unless deposited in a hotel safe, safety deposit box or left in **your** locked accommodation.
- 3. Loss, theft of or damage to **baggage** contained in an **unattended** vehicle:
 - a) overnight between 9 pm and 9 am (local time) or
 - b) at any time between 9 am and 9 pm (local time) unless:
 - i) it is locked out of sight in a secure baggage area and
 - ii) forcible and violent means have been used by an unauthorised person to gain entry into the vehicle and evidence of such entry is available.
- 4. Loss or damage due to delay, confiscation or detention by customs or any other authority.
- 5. Loss, theft of or damage to unset precious stones, contact or corneal lenses, hearing aids, dental or medical fittings, antiques, musical instruments, motor accessories, documents of any kind, bonds, securities, perishable goods (such as foodstuffs), bicycles, **golf equipment**, **ski equipment**, and damage to suitcases (unless the suitcases are entirely unusable as a result of one single incidence of damage).
- 6. Loss, theft of or damage to **your** *gadget* or *gadget accessories* if section T is operative under **your** policy.
- 7. Loss or damage due to cracking, scratching, breakage of or damage to china, glass (other than glass in watch faces, cameras, binoculars or telescopes), porcelain or other brittle or fragile articles unless caused by fire, theft, or an accident to the aircraft, sea vessel, train or vehicle in which they are being carried.
- 8. Loss or damage due to breakage of **sports equipment** or damage to sports clothing whilst in use.
- 9. Loss of, theft of or damage to business equipment, business goods, samples, tools of trade and other items used in connection with **your** business, trade, profession or occupation.
- Loss or damage caused by wear and tear, depreciation (loss in value), atmospheric or climatic conditions, moth, vermin, any process of cleaning repairing or restoring, mechanical or electrical breakdown.
- 11. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

 \boldsymbol{We} will require (at \boldsymbol{your} own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A police report from the local Police in the country where the incident occurred for all loss, theft or attempted theft.
- A Property Irregularity Report from the airline or a letter from the carrier where loss, theft or damage occurred in their custody.
- A letter from **your** tour operator's representative, hotel or accommodation provider where appropriate.
- All travel tickets and tags for submission.
- An original receipt, proof of ownership or valuations for items lost, stolen or damaged and for all items of clothing, medication and toiletries replaced if **your baggage** is temporarily lost in transit for more than twelve (12) hours.

- A letter from the carrier confirming the number of hours **your baggage** was delayed for.
- Repair report where applicable.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION F – PERSONAL MONEY & EMERGENCY PASSPORT AND DOCUMENTS

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the accidental loss of, theft of or damage to **personal money** and documents (including the unused portion of passports, visas and driving licences). We will also cover foreign currency during the seventy-two (72) hours immediately before your departure on the outward journey.

The maximum **we** will pay for the following items is:

- a) for bank notes, currency notes and coins is as shown under the cash limit in the schedule of benefits.
- b) for bank notes, currency notes and coins, if you are under the age of 18 is as shown under the cash limit in the schedule of benefits.
- c) for all other **personal money** and travel documents (including the cost of the emergency replacement or temporary passport or visa) is as shown under the schedule of benefits.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must report to the local Police in the country where the incident occurred within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery or as soon as possible after that and get (at your own expense) a written report of the loss, theft or attempted theft of all **personal money**, passports or documents.
- If personal money or passports are lost, stolen or damaged while in the care of a hotel or your accommodation provider you must report details of the loss, theft or damage to them in writing and get (at your own expense) written confirmation. Keep all travel tickets and tags for submission if a claim is to be made under this policy.
- If documents are lost, stolen or damaged while in the care of a carrier, transport company, authority, hotel or your accommodation provider you must report details of the loss, theft or damage to them in writing and get (at your own expense) written confirmation.
- 4. If documents are lost, stolen or damaged whilst in the care of an airline **you** must:
 - a) give formal written notice of the claim to the airline within the time limit set out in their conditions of carriage (please keep a copy).
 - b) keep all travel tickets and tags for submission to **us** if **you** are going to make a claim under this policy.
- You must provide (at your own expense) an original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged to help you to substantiate your claim.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the Schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- Loss, theft of or damage to personal money or your passport or visa if left unattended at any time (including in a vehicle, in checked in luggage or while in the custody of a carrier, tour operator or public transport operator) unless deposited in a hotel safe, safety deposit box or left in your locked accommodation.
- 3. Loss, theft of or damage to travellers' cheques if **you** have not complied with the issuer's conditions or where the issuer provides a replacement service.
- 4. Loss or theft of business money.

- 5. Loss or damage due to delay, confiscation or detention by customs or any other authority.
- 6. Loss or damage due to depreciation (loss in value), or shortages due to error or omission.
- 7. Travel tickets paid for using any airline mileage or supermarket reward scheme (for example, Avios), unless evidence of specific monetary value can be provided.
- Any additional travel and accommodation expenses incurred because you were unable to board the public transport on which you were booked to return to the United Kingdom or continue your trip as a result of the accidental loss of, theft of or damage to your passport and/or visa.
- 9. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A police report from the local Police in the country where the incident occurred for all loss, theft or attempted theft.
- A letter from **your** tour operator's representative, hotel or accommodation provider where appropriate.
- All travel tickets and tags for submission.
- Original receipts, proof of ownership or valuations for items lost, stolen or damaged.
- Receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any transport and accommodation expenses claimed for.
- Receipt for all currency and travellers cheques transactions.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION G – TRAVEL DELAY OR ABANDONMENT OF YOUR TRIP

What is covered

If the **public transport** on which **you** are booked to travel:

- is delayed at the final departure point from or to the United Kingdom (but not including delays to any subsequent outbound or return connecting public transport) for at least twelve (12) hours from the scheduled time of departure, or
- 2. is cancelled before or after the scheduled time of departure

as a result of any of the following events:

- a) strike or
- b) industrial action or
- c) adverse weather conditions or
- mechanical breakdown of or a technical fault occurring in the public transport on which you are booked to travel

We will pay you:

SECTION G1 - TRAVEL DELAY

 up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for each complete twelve (12) hours delay up to a maximum as shown in the schedule of benefits (which is meant to help you pay for telephone calls made and meals and refreshments purchased during the delay) provided you eventually travel, or

SECTION G2 - ABANDONMENT OF YOUR TRIP

- 2. up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for **your** proportion only of any irrecoverable unused travel and accommodation costs and other pre-paid charges which **you** have paid or are contracted to pay, if:
 - a) after a delay of at least twenty-four (24) hours, or

 b) following cancellation, no suitable alternative public transport is provided within twenty-four (24) hours of the scheduled time of departure

you choose to cancel your trip before departure from the United Kingdom.

You can only claim under Section G1 or G2 for the same event, not both.

You can only claim under Section G – Travel delay or abandonment of your trip or Section H – Missed departure for the same event, not both.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must check-in according to the itinerary given to you unless your tour operator has requested you not to travel to the airport.
- You must get written confirmation (at your own expense) from the carriers (or their handling agents) of the cancellation, number of hours of delay and the reason for these together with confirmation of your check-in times and details of any alternative transport offered.
- 3. You must comply with the terms of contract of the travel agent, tour operator, carrier or transport provider and seek financial compensation, assistance or a refund of your ticket from them in accordance with such terms and/or (where applicable) your rights under EU Air Passenger Rights legislation in the event of cancellation or long delay of flights.
- 4. Where applicable you must get (at your own expense) written confirmation from the public transport operator (or their handling agents) and/or provider of accommodation (or their booking agents) that compensation, assistance or reimbursement of any costs, charges and expenses incurred by you will not be provided and the reason for this.
- 5. An accident to or breakdown of the vehicle in which **you** are travelling when a repairers report or other evidence is not provided.
- 6. An accident or breakdown happening ahead of you on a motorway or dual carriageway which causes an unexpected delay to the vehicle in which you are travelling when the Police or emergency breakdown services report confirming the location, reason for and duration of the delay is not provided.
- If you are a UK resident living in Northern Ireland and your travel itinerary requires you to use Republic of Ireland departure/arrival points, your cover will be as if you were still travelling from the United Kingdom with respect to claims coverage.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule (except claims under Section G1 of What is covered).
- 2. Claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) Strike or industrial action existing or being publicly announced by the date **you** purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any **trip**.
 - b) An aircraft or sea vessel being withdrawn from service (temporary or otherwise) on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority, Port Authority or any such regulatory body in a country to/from which **you** are travelling.
 - c) Any delays to any subsequent outbound or return connecting public transport following your departure from the final departure point from or to the United Kingdom.
 - d) Volcanic eruptions and/or volcanic ash clouds.
- 3. For subsection 2. only of What is covered:
 - a) The cost of Air Passenger Duty (APD) whether irrecoverable or not.
 - b) travel tickets paid for using any airline mileage or supermarket reward scheme (for example Avios, Tesco Clubcard, Nectar), unless evidence of specific monetary value can be provided.

- c) Any costs incurred by you which are recoverable from the providers of the accommodation, their booking agents (or the administrators of either) or for which you receive or are expected to receive compensation or reimbursement.
- d) Any costs incurred by you which are recoverable from the public transport operator or for which you receive or are expected to receive compensation, damages, refund of tickets, meals, refreshments, accommodation, transfers, communication facilities or other assistance.
- e) Any costs incurred by you which are recoverable from your credit/debit card provider or for which you receive or are expected to receive compensation or re-imbursement.
- f) Any travel and accommodation costs, charges and expenses where the **public transport** operator has offered reasonable alternative travel arrangements.
- g) Any cost if your trip was booked as part of a package holiday.
- 4. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Full details of the travel itinerary supplied to you.
- A letter from the carriers (or their handling agents) confirming the number of hours delay, the reason for the delay and confirmation of your check-in time.
- In the case of cancellation claims, your booking confirmation together with written details from your travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport/accommodation of the separate costs of transport, accommodation and other pre-paid costs or charges that made up the total cost of the trip.
- Your unused travel tickets.
- Receipts or bills for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- Written confirmation from the provider of transport/accommodation that compensation, assistance or reimbursement of any costs, charges and expenses incurred by **you** will not be provided and the reason for this.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION H – MISSED DEPARTURE ON YOUR OUTWARD OR RETURN JOURNEY

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for reasonable additional accommodation (room only) and travel expenses necessarily incurred in reaching your booked destination, if you fail to arrive at the final international departure point on the outward or return journey from or to the United Kingdom in time to board the public transport on which you are booked to travel as a result of:

- 1. the failure of other public transport or
- 2. an accident to or breakdown of the vehicle in which **you** are travelling or
- 3. an accident or breakdown happening ahead of **you** on a motorway or dual carriageway which causes an unexpected delay to the vehicle in which **you** are travelling or
- 4. strike, industrial action or adverse weather conditions.

If the same expenses are also covered under Section G – Travel delay or abandonment of **your trip**, **you** can only claim under one section for the same event, not both.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must allow enough time for the **public transport** or other transport to arrive on schedule and to deliver you to the departure point.
- 2. You must obtain a report from repairers if your claim is because of a breakdown or accident to your car.
- 3. You must obtain written confirmation from the police or emergency breakdown services of the location, reason for and duration of the delay if an accident or breakdown happening ahead of you on a motorway or dual carriageway causes an unexpected delay to the vehicle in which you are travelling.
- 4. If **you** are a **UK** resident living in Northern Ireland and **your** travel itinerary requires **you** to use Republic of Ireland departure/arrival points, **your** cover will be as if **you** were still travelling from the **United Kingdom** with respect to claims coverage.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- 2. Claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) Strike or industrial action existing or being publicly announced by the date you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any trip.
 - b) An accident to or breakdown of the vehicle in which you are travelling when a repairers report or other evidence is not provided.
 - c) An accident or breakdown happening ahead of you on a motorway or dual carriageway which causes an unexpected delay to the vehicle in which you are travelling when the Police or emergency breakdown services report confirming the location, reason for and duration of the delay is not provided.
 - d) Breakdown of any vehicle owned by you, which has not been serviced properly and maintained in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.
 - e) An aircraft or sea vessel being withdrawn from service (temporary or otherwise) on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority, Port Authority or any such regulatory body in a country to/from which **you** are travelling.
 - f) Your failure to arrive at the departure point in time to board any connecting public transport after your departure on the initial international outbound leg of the trip.
 - g) Volcanic eruptions and/or volcanic ash clouds (except claims under subsection 1. of What is covered).
 - h) Trips solely within the United Kingdom.
- 3. Additional expenses where the scheduled **public transport** operator has offered reasonable alternative travel arrangements.
- 4. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A letter from the **public transport** provider detailing the reasons for failure.
- A letter from the relevant public transport provider, carrier or authority confirming details of the strike, industrial action or adverse weather conditions.
- Your unused travel tickets.
- Receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION I – MISSED CONNECTION ON YOUR OUTWARD OR RETURN JOURNEY

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of Benefits, per insured person, for the reasonable extra costs of travel and accommodation (room only) that you incur, to enable you to:

- a) join your pre-booked connecting public transport in accordance with your itinerary, or
- b) to get **you** to **your** pre-booked final destination

should **you** miss **your** connecting **public transport** as a result of the cancellation or delay of four (4) or more hours of the public **transport** on **your** initial international outbound or return journey, due to:

- a) the failure of other public transport or
- b) strike or industrial action or
- c) adverse weather conditions or
- d) you being involuntarily denied boarding because there are too many passengers for the seats available and no other suitable alternative flight could be provided within twelve (12) hours.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must allow enough time for the **public transport** or other transport to arrive on schedule and to deliver you to the departure point.
- 2. You must get a letter (at your own expense) from the public transport provider detailing the reasons for failure.
- 3. You must get a letter (at your own expense) from the relevant public transport provider, carrier or authority confirming details of the strike, industrial action or adverse weather conditions.
- 4. You must provide us with your unused travel tickets.
- 5. You must provide us with your receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.

What is not covered

We shall not be liable for:

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- 2. Claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) strike or industrial action existing or being publicly announced by the date you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any public transport.
 - an aircraft or sea vessel being withdrawn from service (temporary or otherwise) on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority, Port Authority or any such regulatory body in a country to/from which you are travelling.
 - c) a cruise trip.
 - d) volcanic eruptions and/or volcanic ash clouds.
 - e) you being denied boarding due to your drug use, alcohol or solvent abuse or your inability to provide a valid passport or other documentation required by the transport provider or their handling agent.
- 3. Additional expenses where the scheduled **public transport** operator has offered reasonable alternative travel arrangements.
- 4. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A letter from the **public transport** provider detailing the reasons for failure.
- A letter from the relevant public transport provider, carrier or authority confirming details of the strike, industrial action or adverse weather conditions.
- Your unused travel tickets.
- Receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION J – END SUPPLIER FAILURE (INCLUDING SCHEDULED AIRLINE FAILURE)

This section of cover is only operative if you have chosen the PremierPlus cover and this is shown on your policy schedule.

Special definitions relating to this section *(which are shown in bold italics)*

End supplier – means the company that owns and operates the services listed in under "what is covered", point 1.

Financial failure – means the *end supplier* becoming insolvent or has an administrator appointed and being unable to provide agreed services.

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for each **insured person** named on the invoice for:

- Irrecoverable sums paid prior to the *financial failure* of the scheduled airline, hotel, train operator (including Eurostar), car ferries; villas abroad & cottages in the UK; coach operator, car or camper hire company, caravan sites, campsites, mobile home, safaris, excursions, Eurotunnel, theme parks or attractions; all known as the *end supplier* of the travel arrangements (not forming part of an inclusive holiday) prior to departure; or
- 2. In the event of insolvency after departure:
 - a) the additional pro rata costs incurred by you in replacing that part of the travel arrangements to a similar standard of transportation as enjoyed prior to the curtailment of the travel arrangements; or
 - b) if curtailment of the trip is unavoidable the cost of return transportation to the United Kingdom to a similar standard of transportation as enjoyed prior to the curtailment of the travel arrangements.

What is not covered

- 1. Travel or accommodation not booked within the **United Kingdom**, prior to departure.
- 2. Any *end supplier*, which is, or which any prospect of, *financial failure* is:
 - a. known by **you** or
 - b. widely known publicly

at the date of purchase of this policy.

- 3. Any loss or part of a loss, which at the time of the happening of the loss, is insured or guaranteed by any other existing policy, policies, bond or is capable of recovery from under Section 75 of the Consumer Credit Act or from any bank or card issuer or any other legal means.
- 4. The *financial failure* of any travel agent, tour organiser, booking agent or consolidator with whom **you** have booked travel or accommodation.

 Any losses that are not directly associated with the incident that caused you to claim. For example, loss due to being unable to reach your pre-booked hotel following the *financial failure* of an airline.

SECTION K – ATTRACTION, EVENT & EXCURSION TICKETS

This section of cover is only operative if you have chosen the PremierPlus cover and this is shown on your policy schedule.

This section of cover does not apply to:

- a) **trips** in **your home area**, England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and the Isle of Man, or
- b) cruise itineraries.

Special definitions relating to this section (which are shown in bold *italics*)

Attraction, event & excursion tickets

- means exhibition tickets, excursion/tour tickets, music concert tickets, sporting event tickets, theatre tickets, theme park tickets or tourist attraction tickets that are purchased by **you** prior to leaving the **UK**, for use during **your trip** within the period of insurance. **What is covered**

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of Benefits, per insured person, for the irrecoverable costs of unused *attraction, event or excursion tickets* that you have paid for or contracted to pay for, if you cannot attend the event because of any of the following events:

- a) Your death, bodily injury, illness (including testing positive for Coronavirus), you contracting a disease, or you suffering complications of pregnancy during your trip, or
- b) the death, bodily injury, illness, disease, or complications of pregnancy during your trip, of any person you are travelling with, or
- c) the cancellation of your trip, or
- d) your trip being curtailed before completion.

Please note: there is no cover under point b) above, if this is related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**, as this is excluded - see General Exclusions 38 and 39 on page 13.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must provide to us, at your own expense, a certified medical certificate or death certificate in the event of death, bodily injury, illness, disease, or complications of pregnancy of you or any person you are travelling with.
- 2. You must provide to us, at your own expense, the original *attraction, event & excursi on ti ckets*.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- Any claim relating to the cancellation or curtailment of your trip, if the cancellation or curtailment charges are not covered under Section A – Cancellation or curtailment charges.
- Any claim as a result of you testing positive for Coronavirus, if you do not have an official positive test result confirming your diagnosis.
- 4. Any claim for the cost of **Coronavirus** testing.
- 5. Any claim arising from:
 - a. The event being cancelled, postponed, relocated or abandoned by the artist, performer, organiser or promoter of the event or their agents.
 - b. The bankruptcy or liquidation of the artist, performer, company organising or promoting the event or their agents.
 - c. You not wanting to attend the event.

- d. Circumstances known to **you** before **you** purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any *attraction, event or excursi on tickets*, which could reasonably have been expected to lead to a claim under this section of cover.
- 4. Any claim relating to:
 - Attraction, event & excursion tickets paid for using any loyalty card scheme (for example Avios, Tesco Clubcard, Nectar), unless evidence of specific monetary value can be provided.
 - b. Annual season tickets or passes.
- 5. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A medical certificate from the treating **doctor** explaining why it was necessary for **you** not to attend the event.
- A positive official test result confirming **your** diagnosis of **Coronavirus**.
- Your unused attraction, event & excursion tickets.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION L – HIJACK

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for each complete twenty-four (24) hours delay, up to a maximum shown in the schedule of benefits, if you are **hijacked**.

Special conditions relating to claims

1. You must report to the local Police in the country where the incident occurred within twenty-four (24) hours or as soon as possible thereafter and get (at your own expense) a written report from the local Police of the hijack.

What is not covered

- 1. Any claim where **your hijack** has not been reported or investigated by the Police or local authority.
- 2. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

 Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION M – LEGAL EXPENSES

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for legal costs to pursue a civil action for compensation if someone else causes your bodily Injury, illness or death during your trip.

Where there are two or more **insured persons** insured by this policy, then the maximum amount **we** will pay for all such claims shall not exceed double the amount shown in the schedule of benefits. **What is not covered**

We shall not be liable for:

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- 2. Any claim where in **our** opinion or the opinion of the suitably qualified person appointed by **us** there is insufficient prospect of success in obtaining reasonable compensation.

- 3. Legal costs and expenses incurred in pursuit of any claims against a travel agent, tour operator, carrier, **us**, the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or their agents, someone **you** were travelling with, a person related to **you**, or another **insured person**.
- 4. Legal costs and expenses incurred prior to **our** written acceptance of the case.
- 5. Any claim where the legal costs and expenses are likely to be greater than the anticipated amount of compensation.
- 6. Any claim where legal costs and expenses are based directly or indirectly on the amount of compensation awarded (for example a Contingency Fee Agreement).
- 7. Legal costs and expenses incurred in any claim, which is capable of being pursued under a Conditional Fee Agreement.
- 8. Legal costs and expenses incurred if an action is brought in more than one country.
- 9. Any claim where in **our** opinion the estimated amount of compensation payment is less than £1,000 for each **insured person**.
- 10. Travel, accommodation and incidental costs incurred to pursue a civil action for compensation.
- 11. Costs of any appeal.
- 12. Claims by **you** other than in **your** private capacity.
- 13. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Special conditions relating to claims

- Unless you have made a nomination in accordance with Special Condition 2 below, we or our suitably qualified person will decide the point at which your legal case cannot usefully be pursued further.
- If you do not want our suitably qualified person to assess whether or not your claim can be pursued, you are free to nominate a suitably qualified person to conduct this assessment by sending us the name and address of such suitably qualified person. You must confirm either:
 - that the person you nominate will not charge more than the suitably qualified person we would have appointed; or
 - that you are willing to pay the difference between the cost of using you suitably qualified person and the cost of using our choice of suitably qualified person.
- 3. On acceptance of a claim, if appropriate, **we** will appoint a suitably qualified person to act on **your** behalf, unless **you** have nominated **your** own suitably qualified person in accordance with Special Condition 4 below.
- 4.
- i) If there is a conflict of interest; or
- ii) If it is necessary to start court proceedings and proceedings are being issued within the **United Kingdom**; or
- iii) you are unhappy with our suitably qualified person

you are free to nominate a suitably qualified person by sending **us** the name and address of such suitably qualified person. **You** must confirm either:

- that the person you nominate will not charge more than the suitably qualified person we would have appointed; or
- that you are willing to pay the difference between the cost of using your suitably qualified person and the cost of using our choice of suitably qualified person.
- 5. If **we** do not agree to **your** choice of suitably qualified person under Special Condition 2 or 4. above, **you** may choose another suitably qualified person.
- 6. If there is still a disagreement with regard to the suitably qualified person, **we** will ask the president of a relevant national law society to choose a suitably qualified person to represent **you**. **We** and **you** must accept such choice.

- 7. Where **you** have not notified **us** of a nominated suitably qualified person in accordance with Special Condition 2 and/or Special Condition 4, **we** will be free to choose a suitably qualified person.
- Where we appoint a suitably qualified person to represent you such appointment will be in accordance with our standard terms of appointment.
- We will have direct access to the suitably qualified person who will, upon request, provide us with any information or opinion on your claim.
- 10. You must co-operate fully with us and the suitably qualified person and must keep us up to date with the progress of the claim.
- 11. At **our** request, **you** must give the suitably qualified person any instructions that **we** require.
- 12. You must notify us immediately if anyone offers to settle a claim or makes a payment into court.
- If you do not accept the recommendation of the suitably qualified person to accept a reasonable offer or payment into court to settle a claim, we may refuse to pay further costs and expenses.
- 14. No agreement to settle on the basis of both parties paying their own costs is to be made without **our** prior approval.
- 15. If you:
 - i) settle a claim or withdraw a claim without **our** prior agreement;
 ii) do not give suitable instructions to the suitably qualified person;
 iii) dismiss a suitably qualified person without **our** prior consent,
 - our consent not to be withheld without good reason;

the cover **we** provide will end immediately and **we** will be entitled to re-claim any costs and expenses **we** have incurred from **you**.

- 16. You must take every available step to recover costs and expenses that **we** have to pay and must pay **us** any costs and expenses that are recovered.
- 17. We may, at our own expense, take proceedings in your name to recover compensation from any third party in respect of any indemnity paid under this policy including our legal costs and other related expenses. You <u>MUST</u> give such assistance as we shall reasonably require and any amount recovered shall belong to us.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Relevant documentation and evidence to support your claim, including photographic evidence.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION N – PERSONAL LIABILITY

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits (including legal costs and expenses) against any amount you become legally liable to pay as compensation for any claim or series of claims arising from any one event or source of original cause for accidental:

- Bodily injury, death, illness or disease to any person who is not in your employment or who is not a close relative or persons residing with you but not paying for their accommodation.
- 2. Loss of or damage to property that does not belong to and is neither in the charge of or under the control of **you**, a **close relative** and/or anyone in **your** employment other than any temporary holiday accommodation occupied (but not owned) by **you**.

Special conditions relating to claims

1. You must give us written notice of any incident, which may result in a claim as soon as possible.

- 2. You must send us every court claim form, summons, letter of claim or other document as soon as you receive it.
- 3. **You** must not admit any liability or pay, offer to pay, promise to pay or negotiate any claim without **our** permission in writing.
- 4. We will be entitled to take over and carry out in your name the defence of any claims for compensation or damages or otherwise against any third party. We will have full discretion in the conduct of any negotiation or proceedings or in the settlement of any claim and you will give us all necessary information and assistance that we may require.
- 5. If **you** die, **your** legal representative(s) will have the protection of this cover as long as they comply with the terms and conditions outlined in this policy.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- 2. Compensation or legal costs arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) Liability that has been assumed by you under agreement (such as a hire agreement) unless the liability would have existed without the agreement.
 - b) Pursuit of any business, trade, profession or occupation or the supply of goods or services.
 - c) The transmission of any contagious or infectious disease or virus.
 - d) you owning or occupying any land or building, unless you are occupying any temporary holiday accommodation, which is not owned by you;
 - e) you owning, handling or looking after any animal; or
 - f) you owning or using:
 - i) a firearm;
 - ii) a horse drawn or motorised vehicle;
 - iii) a waterborne, motorised, mechanical or towed vehicle (except manually propelled watercraft); or
 - iv) an aircraft of any description, including unpowered flight.
- Any fines or exemplary damages (punishing, or aimed at punishing, the person responsible rather than awarding compensation) you have to pay.
- 4. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Full details in writing of any incident.
- Any court claim form, summons, letter of claim or other document must be sent to **us** as soon as **you** receive it.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION O -WINTER SPORTS

Cover for sections 01, 02, 03, 04, 05 and 06 only operates:

- 1. Under single trip policies if the appropriate winter sports extension has been chosen and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the **policy schedule**. Winter Sports cover is not available under the Economy Cover.
- 2. Under annual multi trip policies for a period not exceeding 17 days in total if the appropriate winter sports extension has been chosen and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the **policy schedule**. Winter Sports cover is not available under Economy Cover.

SECTION 01 – SKI EQUIPMENT

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the accidental loss of, theft of or damage to your own ski equipment or for hired ski equipment. The amount payable in the event of a total loss, will be the value at today's prices less a deduction for wear, tear and depreciation (loss of value - calculated from the table below), or we may replace, reinstate or repair the lost or damaged ski equipment.

Age of ski equipment	Amount payable
Less than 1 year old	90% of value
Over 1 year old	70% of value
Over 2 years old	50% of value
Over 3 years old	30% of value
Over 4 years old	20% of value
Over 5 years old	No payment

The maximum **we** will pay for any one article, pair or set of articles is the amount payable calculated from the table above or the single article limit as shown in the schedule of benefits whichever is the lesser.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must report to the local Police in the country where the incident occurred within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery or as soon as possible after that and get a written report (at your own expense) of the loss, theft or attempted theft of all **ski equipment**.
- If ski equipment is lost, stolen or damaged while in the care of a carrier, transport company, authority, hotel or your accommodation provider you must report details of the loss, theft or damage to them in writing and get (at your own expense) written confirmation.
- 3. If **ski equipment** is lost, stolen or damaged whilst in the care of an airline **you** must:
 - a) get a Property Irregularity Report from the airline
 - give formal written notice of the claim to the airline, within the time limit set out in their conditions of carriage (please keep a copy)
 - c) keep all travel tickets and tags for submission if **you** are going to make a claim under this policy.
- You must provide (at your own expense) an original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged to help you to substantiate your claim.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- 2. Loss, theft of or damage to **ski equipment** contained in or stolen from an **unattended** vehicle:
 - a) overnight between 9 pm and 9 am (local time) or
 - b) at any time between 9 am and 9 pm (local time) unless:
 - i) it is locked out of sight in a **secure baggage area** and
 - ii) forcible and violent means have been used by an unauthorised person to gain entry into the vehicle and evidence of this entry is available.
- 3. Loss or damage due to delay, confiscation or detention by customs or any other authority.
- 4. Loss or damage caused by wear and tear, depreciation (loss in value), atmospheric or climatic conditions, moth, vermin, any process of cleaning repairing or restoring, mechanical or electrical breakdown.
- 5. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A police report from the local Police in the country where the incident occurred for all loss, theft or attempted theft.
- A Property Irregularity Report from the airline or a letter from the carrier where loss, theft or damage occurred in their custody.
- A letter from **your** tour operator's representative, hotel or accommodation provider where appropriate.
- All travel tickets and tags for submission.
- An original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged.
- Repair report where applicable.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION O2 SKI EQUIPMENT HIRE

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for each complete twenty-four (24) hours up to a maximum as shown in the schedule of benefits for the reasonable cost of hiring replacement ski equipment as a result of the accidental loss of, theft of or damage to or temporary loss in transit for more than twenty-four (24) hours of your own ski equipment.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must report to the local Police in the country where the incident occurred within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery or as soon as possible after that and get (at your own expense) a written report of the loss, theft or attempted theft of your own ski equipment.
- If ski equipment is lost, stolen or damaged while in the care of a carrier, transport company, authority, hotel or your accommodation provider you must report details of the loss, theft or damage to them in writing and get (at your own expense) written confirmation.
- 3. If **ski equipment** is lost, stolen or damaged whilst in the care of an airline **you** must:
 - a) get a Property Irregularity Report from the airline.
 - b) give formal written notice of the claim to the airline within the time limit set out in their conditions of carriage (please keep a copy).
 - c) keep all travel tickets and tags for submission if **you** are going to make a claim under this policy.
- 4. You must provide (at your own expense) an original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged to help you to substantiate your claim.

What is not covered

- 1. Loss, theft of or damage to **ski equipment** contained in an **unattended** vehicle:
 - a) overnight between 9 pm and 9 am (local time) or
 - b) at any time between 9 am and 9 pm (local time) unless:
 - i) it is locked out of sight in a secure baggage area and
 - ii) forcible and violent means have been used by an unauthorised person to gain entry into the vehicle and evidence of this entry is available.
- 2. Loss or damage due to delay, confiscation or detention by customs or any other authority.
- 3. Loss or damage caused by wear and tear, depreciation (loss of value), atmospheric or climatic conditions, moth, vermin, any process of cleaning repairing or restoring, mechanical or electrical breakdown.
- 4. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A police report from the local Police in the country where the incident occurred for all loss, theft or attempted theft.
- A Property Irregularity Report from the airline or a letter from the carrier where loss, theft or damage occurred in their custody.
- A letter from **your** tour operator's representative, hotel or accommodation provider where appropriate.
- All travel tickets and tags for submission.
- An original receipt, proof of ownership or valuations for items lost, stolen or damaged together with receipts or bills detailing the costs incurred of hiring replacement ski equipment.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION 03 – SKI PACK

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the unused proportion of **your** ski pack which **you** have already paid for and cannot get back if **you** become ill or are injured during **your trip** and cannot take part in the **winter sports** activities as planned. A ski pack includes ski school fees or ski tuition fees, **your** lift pass and **winter sports equipment** that **you** have hired.

Please note:

- Your claim will be based on the number of complete days you have not used.
- There is no cover under this section, if your illness is related to a pandemic and/or epidemic, including but not limited to Coronavirus, as this is excluded - see General Exclusions 38 and 39 on page 13.

What is not covered

1. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Written confirmation of the nature of your illness or injury from the treating doctor in the resort along with confirmation of how many days you were unable to ski.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION 04 – LOST LIFT PASS

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the loss or theft of **your** lift pass.

Claims will be calculated according to the expiry date of the lift pass depending upon how many days there were left to run on the original lift pass, an unused proportionate refund would be made of its original value.

What is not covered

1. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

 Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION 05 - PISTE CLOSURE

Please note: This Section only applies between 1 December and 15 April for travel to the Northern hemisphere or between 1 May and 30 September for travel to the Southern hemisphere.

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits if, as a result of not enough snow, too much snow or high winds in **your** booked holiday resort, at least 80% of all lift systems are closed for more than twelve (12) hours. We will pay for either:

- a) the cost of transport to the nearest resort; or
- b) a benefit for each complete twenty-four (24) hour period that **you** are not able to ski and there is no other ski resort available.

What is not covered

- 1. Any circumstances where transport costs, compensation or alternative skiing facilities are provided to **you**.
- 2. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Written confirmation from the management of the resort stating the reason for the closure and how long the closure lasted.
- Receipts or bills for any transport costs claimed for.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION 06 – DELAY DUE TO AVALANCHE

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for reasonable additional travel and accommodation expenses if **you** are prevented from arriving at or leaving **your** booked ski resort for more than twelve (12) hours from the scheduled arrival or departure time because of an avalanche.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- 2. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Written confirmation from the management of the resort stating the reason for the closure and how long the closure lasted.
- Receipts or bills for any transport costs claimed for.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION P – GOLF COVER

Cover for sections P1, P2 and P3 only operates if the appropriate golf cover extension has been chosen and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the **policy schedule**. Golf cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

SECTION P1 – GOLF EQUIPMENT

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the accidental loss of, theft of or damage to your own golf equipment or for hired golf equipment.

The amount payable in the event of a total loss, will be the value at today's prices less a deduction for wear, tear and depreciation (loss of value - calculated from the table below), or **we** may replace, reinstate or repair the lost or damaged **golf equipment**.

Age of golf equipment	Amount payable
Less than 1 year old	90% of value
Over 1 year old	70% of value
Over 2 years old	50% of value
Over 3 years old	30% of value
Over 4 years old	20% of value
Over 5 years old	No payment

The maximum **we** will pay for any one article, pair or set of articles is the amount payable calculated from the table above or the single article limit as shown in the schedule of benefits whichever is the lesser.

Our liability is solely based upon the value of the **golf equipment** which has been lost, stolen or damaged and would not extend to the replacement of **your** whole set of woods or irons in the event of a claim being made for one item.

Special conditions relating to claims

- You must report to the local Police in the country where the incident occurred within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery or as soon as possible after that and get a written report (at your own expense) of the loss, theft or attempted theft of all golf equipment.
- If golf equipment is lost, stolen or damaged while in the care of a carrier, transport company, authority, hotel or your accommodation provider you must report details of the loss, theft or damage to them in writing and get (at your own expense) written confirmation.
- 3. If **golf equipment** is lost, stolen or damaged whilst in the care of an airline **you** must:
 - a) get a Property Irregularity Report from the airline
 - b) give formal written notice of the claim to the airline, within the time limit set out in their conditions of carriage (please keep a copy)
 - c) keep all travel tickets and tags for submission if **you** are going to make a claim under this policy.
- You must provide (at your own expense) an original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged to help you to substantiate your claim.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- 2. Loss, theft of or damage to **golf equipment** contained in or stolen from an **unattended** vehicle:
 - a) overnight between 9 pm and 9 am (local time) or
 - b) at any time between 9 am and 9 pm (local time) unless:
 - i) it is locked out of sight in a secure baggage area and
 - ii) forcible and violent means have been used by an unauthorised person to gain entry into the vehicle and evidence of this entry is available.
- 3. Loss or damage due to delay, confiscation or detention by customs or any other authority.
- Loss or damage caused by wear and tear, depreciation (loss in value), atmospheric or climatic conditions, moth, vermin, any process of cleaning repairing or restoring, mechanical or electrical breakdown.
- 5. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

• A police report from the local Police in the country where the incident occurred for all loss, theft or attempted theft.

- A Property Irregularity Report from the airline or a letter from the carrier where loss, theft or damage occurred in their custody.
- A letter from **your** tour operator's representative, hotel or accommodation provider where appropriate.
- All travel tickets and tags for submission.
- An original receipt or proof of ownership for items lost, stolen or damaged.
- Repair report where applicable.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION P2 – NON-REFUNDABLE GOLFING FEES ______

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the unused proportion of **your** green fees, golf tuition fees or **golf equipment** hire which **you** have paid or have agreed to pay under a contract and which **you** cannot get back if:

- a) **you** become ill or are injured during **your trip** and cannot take part in the golf activities as planned; or
- b) loss or theft of documents prevents **you** from taking part in the prepaid golfing activity.

Please note:

- Your claim will be based on the number of complete days you have not used.
- There is no cover under this section, if **your** illness is related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**, as this is excluded see General Exclusions 38 and 39 on page 13.

Special conditions relating to claims

1. You must report the loss or theft of documents to the local police within twenty-four (24) hours of discovery and get a written police report.

What is not covered

1. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

 \boldsymbol{We} will require (at \boldsymbol{your} own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Written confirmation of the nature of your illness or injury from the treating doctor in the resort along with confirmation of how many days you were unable to take part in the golfing activities.
- 2. A police report from the local Police in the country where the incident occurred for all loss, theft or attempted theft.
- 3. Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION P3 – HOLE IN ONE

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for customary celebratory expenses you incurred within the golf club premises immediately following you achieving a hole-in-one during a competition round.

What is not covered

1. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following:

 A written report from the golf club secretary confirming the competition details counter signed by **your** playing partner together with a certified copy of **your** scorecard. • Receipts from the golf club for expenditure incurred immediately following **your** hole-in-one to help **you** to substantiate **your** claim.

SECTION Q – CRUISE COVER

There is no cover provided for **cruises** unless **you** have purchased the optional Cruise cover and have paid the appropriate additional premium and this is shown on **your policy schedule**. In any event, there is no cover for cargo or container ship travel.

Cover for sections Q1, Q2, Q3, Q4 and Q5 only operates if the appropriate Cruise cover extension has been chosen and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the **policy schedule**. Cruise cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

SECTION Q1 – MISSED PORT DEPARTURE

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for necessary additional travel expenses by the most direct route and additional accommodation (room only) that is agreed by us to join your cruise at the next docking port if you fail to arrive at the international departure point in time to board the cruise on which you are booked to travel on the initial international journey of your trip as a result of:

- a) The failure of scheduled **public transport**; or
- An accident to or breakdown of the vehicle in which you are travelling (this would not include your vehicle running out of fuel, oil or water or suffering a flat tyre, puncture or flat battery); or
- c) An accident or breakdown occurring ahead of you on a motorway or dual carriageway which causes an unexpected delay to the vehicle in which you are travelling; or
- d) Strike or industrial action or
- e) Adverse weather conditions.

If, at the time of requesting **our** assistance, satisfactory evidence required by **us**, is not supplied in order to substantiate the claim, **we** will make all necessary arrangements at **your** cost and arrange appropriate reimbursement as soon as **your** claim has been submitted and validated.

Special conditions relating to claims

1. You must contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company as soon as reasonably possible and before incurring any costs.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- 2. Any claims where **you** have not allowed enough time to reach **your** initial departure point or check-in at or before the recommended time.
- 3. Claims arising from strike or industrial action if the strike or industrial action was existing or publicly announced by the date **you** purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any **trip**.
- 4. Any claims where **you** have not obtained written confirmation from the appropriate transport company or authority stating the reason for the delay and how long the delay lasted.
- 5. Any claims relating to **your** own vehicle suffering a mechanical breakdown if **you** are unable to provide evidence that the vehicle was properly serviced and maintained and that any recovery or repair was made by a recognised breakdown organisation.
- 6. Additional expenses where the scheduled **public transport** operator has offered reasonable alternative travel arrangements.
- Any travel costs where you failed to contact us for approval prior to arranging travel to enable us to provide assistance with any travel arrangements. Failure to do so can result in the claim being declined.

8. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Proof of travel cost (confirmation invoice, tickets).
- Invoices and receipts for **your** expenses.
- An official letter confirming the reason for **your** late arrival and the length of the delay.
- You must provide proof of the vehicle in which you were travelling's mechanical breakdown, as substantiated by a recognised breakdown organisation, or in the event of an accident, emergency services records.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION Q2 – CABIN CONFINEMENT

What is covered

If there is a valid claim under section B - Emergency medical expenses & repatriation as a result of **your bodily injury**, illness or **complications of pregnancy** sustained abroad during the period of **your trip**, in addition to the cover provided under Section B – emergency medical expenses & repatriation, **we** will pay cabin confinement benefit up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits, for each twenty-four (24) hours that **you** are confined to **your** cabin due to medical reasons by the ship's **doctor** during the period of the **cruise**, unless this was related to a **pandemic** and/or **epidemic**, including but not limited to **Coronavirus**.

What is not covered

- 1. Any claims if **you** do not have a valid claim under section B Emergency medical expenses & repatriation.
- 2. Any confinement to **your** cabin where **you** are unable to provide written confirmation from **your** ship's **doctor**, confirming **you** were confined to **your** cabin, the reason for and the length of **your** confinement.
- 3. Any additional period of confinement:
 - a. relating to treatment or surgery, including exploratory tests, which are not directly related to the **bodily injury** or illness which made **your** confinement necessary;
 - b. following **your** decision not to be repatriated after the date when in **our** opinion, it is safe to do so.
- 4. Confinement:
 - relating to a pandemic and/or epidemic, including but not limited to Coronavirus;
 - relating to any form of treatment or surgery which in our opinion (based on information received from the ship's doctor or other doctor in attendance) can be delayed until your return to your home area;
 - c. as a result of a tropical disease where **you** had not had the recommended inoculations and/or taken the recommended medication.
- 5. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

SECTION Q3 – CRUISE ITINERARY CHANGE

What is covered

We will pay **you** up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits if a scheduled port visit is cancelled during **your cruise** due to:

- a) adverse weather conditions or
- b) timetable restrictions

and no alternative port can be offered.

What is not covered

- 1. Claims arising from strike or industrial action if the strike or industrial action was existing or publicly announced by the date you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any **trip**.
- Any claim arising from your ship's failure to put people ashore due to the mechanical or operational failure of the ships tender (or any other boat used to transport passengers to shore).
- 3. Your failure to attend the excursion as per your itinerary.
- 4. Any claim where a monetary amount, including but not limited to on board credit or other compensation, has been offered to **you** by the ship or tour operator.
- Any claim where you do not have written confirmation from your cruise operator, carrier or tour operator confirming your scheduled port visit was cancelled.
- 6. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at your own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A written report from the **cruise** operator, carrier or their handling agents confirming the itinerary change and the reason for it.
- Any other relevant information relating to your claim under this section that we may ask you for.

SECTION Q4 – UNUSED CRUISE EXCURSIONS

What is covered

If there is a valid claim under section B - Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, as a result of **your bodily injury**, illness or **complications of pregnancy** sustained abroad during the period of **your trip**, in addition to the cover provided under Section B – emergency medical expenses & repatriation, **we** will pay for **your** unused excursions from the **cruise** ship that **you** pre-booked and pre-paid for in **your home area** and are unable to take because **you** are either a hospital in-patient or confined to bed in **your** cabin by the ship's **doctor**, and on which **you** are unable to obtain a refund.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- Any claims if you do not have a valid claim under section B -Emergency medical expenses & repatriation.
- 3. Any claim as a result of hospital or cabin confinement:
 - relating to a pandemic and/or epidemic, including but not limited to Coronavirus;
 - ii. where written confirmation is not provided by **your** ship's **doctor** that **you** were confined to **your** cabin and confirming the length of **your** confinement.
- 4. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

SECTION Q5 – CRUISE INTERRUPTION

What is covered

We will pay up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for necessary additional travel expenses by the most direct route and additional accommodation (room only), that is agreed by **us** and necessarily incurred by **you**:

1. To reach the next docking port in order to re-join the **cruise**, or

- 2. To reach the final destination of your cruise, or
- 3. To return to the United Kingdom,

following **your cruise** being necessarily and unavoidably interrupted as a result of:

- a. **your** temporary illness or **bodily injury** requiring hospital treatment on dry land which is covered under Section B Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, or
- b. you being disembarked from your cruise to quarantine or isolate on dry land because you test positive for Coronavirus, or
- c. your passport being lost after your international departure but before embarkation of your planned cruise or during disembarkation ashore on one of the scheduled stops as a result of loss or theft, or
- d. it being deemed medically necessary by a doctor for you to accompany and assist an insured person who is admitted as an inpatient that is covered under Section B – Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, or
- e. you being detained by local police as a result of being a witness or being required to give evidence as a result of your participation in a road traffic accident, or criminal investigation where you are not the accused.

Please note:

- i. You must ensure you re-join your cruise or return to the UK at the first available opportunity.
- ii. Please refer to 'Trip extensions if you are unable to return home from your trip as planned' on page 8 for details of how to extend the cover under your policy until you are able to return to the UK.
- iii. If you require any help with altering your return flight or public transport, please contact the Medical Emergency Assistance Company.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- 2. Any claim for loss of passport not reported to the police or other authority within forty-eight (48) hours of discovery and for which **you** do not get a written report.
- 3. Any claim as a result of an insured person being a hospital in-patient where the condition was not covered under Section B Emergency medical expenses & repatriation, or where we have not been contacted and/or a recommended hospital has not been appointed by us and where you have not obtained a medical certificate from the doctor in attendance confirming it was medically necessary for you to accompany and assist an insured person admitted as an in-patient for an insured condition.
- 4. Any claim where you have been detained by local police that is not evidenced by a written report from the local police confirming the reason and period of your detention, or reason and period in which you were required to give evidence, that necessitated you missing the scheduled departure of your cruise.
- 5. Any costs where transportation or accommodation costs are payable or refundable by the **cruise** operator.
- 6. Any claims arising directly or indirectly from **Coronavirus**:
 - a) if you do not have an official positive test result confirming your diagnosis;
 - b) if you are advised to quarantine or you choose to self-isolate due to a person you have come into contact with having Coronavirus;
 - c) if you have not received the recommended number of doses of an approved Coronavirus vaccine 14 days prior to your trip commencing. This vaccination requirement shall not apply where you were ineligible for vaccination, or unable to receive the

vaccine for medical reasons, and this is shown in **your** medical records

- d) including any costs for **Coronavirus** testing.
- 7. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

SECTION R – MULTI-DESTINATION TRIP – TRAVEL DISRUPTION COVER

Cover for sections R1 and R2 only operates if the appropriate multidestination trip-travel disruption cover extension has been chosen and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the **policy schedule**. Multi-destination trip-travel disruption cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

What is covered

Sections R1 and R2 do not apply to:

- a) **trips** in **your home area**, England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland and the Isle of Man, or
- b) trips that are not a *multi-destination trip*, or
- c) cruise itineraries.

Special definitions relating to this section *(which are shown in bold italics)*

Multi-Destination Trip

- means any **trip** or journey made by **you** within the area of travel shown in the **policy schedule**, during which **you** visit more than one destination for at least two nights in each destination.

SECTION R1 – TRAVEL DELAY DURING TRAVEL TO YOUR NEXT DESTINATION

What is covered

If the **public transport** on which **you** are booked to travel to reach the next destination of **your** *multi-destination trip* is delayed for at least twelve (12) hours from the scheduled time of departure, as a result of any of the following events:

- a) strike or industrial action or
- b) adverse weather conditions or
- c) mechanical breakdown of or a technical fault occurring in the **public transport** on which **you** are booked to travel or
- you being involuntarily denied boarding because there are too many passengers for the seats available and no other suitable alternative flight could be provided within twelve (12) hours

we will pay you the amount shown in the schedule of benefits, per insured person, (which is meant to help you pay for telephone calls made and meals and refreshments purchased during the delay), provided you eventually travel.

If the same expenses are also covered under Section H – Missed departure during travel to **your** next destination, **you** can only claim under one section for the same event, not both.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must check-in according to the itinerary given to you unless your tour operator has requested you not to travel to the airport.
- 2. You must get written confirmation (at your own expense) from the carriers (or their handling agents) of the number of hours of delay and the reason for this, together with confirmation of your check-in times and details of any alternative transport offered.

- 3. You must comply with the terms of contract of the travel agent, tour operator, carrier or transport provider and seek financial compensation, assistance or a refund of your ticket from them in accordance with such terms and/or (where applicable) your rights under EU Air Passenger Rights legislation in the event of cancellation or long delay of flights.
- 4. You must provide details of any travel or other insurance under which you could also claim.

What is not covered

- 1. Claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) strike or industrial action existing or being publicly announced by the date you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any trip.
 - an aircraft or sea vessel being withdrawn from service (temporary or otherwise) on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority, Port Authority or any such regulatory body in a country to/from which you are travelling.
 - c) any delays to any subsequent connecting **public transport**.
 - d) volcanic eruptions and/or volcanic ash clouds.
 - e) **you** being denied boarding due to **your** drug use, alcohol or solvent abuse or **your** inability to provide a valid passport or other documentation required by the transport provider or their handling agent.
- 2. Trips solely within the United Kingdom.
- 3. Trips that are not a *multi-destination trip*.
- 4. Cruise trips.
- 5. Anything mentioned in 'What is not covered applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- Full details of the travel itinerary supplied to you.
- A letter from the carriers (or their handling agents) confirming the number of hours delay, the reason for the delay and confirmation of your check-in time.
- Your unused travel tickets.
- Receipts or bills for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- Written confirmation from the provider of transport/accommodation that compensation, assistance or reimbursement of any costs, charges and expenses incurred by **you** will not be provided and the reason for this.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION R2 - MISSED DEPARTURE DURING TRAVEL TO YOUR NEXT DESTINATION

What is covered

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits, per insured person, for the reasonable extra costs of travel and accommodation (room only) that you incur in reaching the next destination of your *multi-destination trip*, if you fail to arrive at the departure point in time to board the **public transport** on which you are booked to travel, as a result of:

- a) the failure of other public transport or
- b) strike, industrial action or
- c) adverse weather conditions.

You can only claim under section R1 - Travel delay during travel to **your** next destination or section R2 – Missed departure during travel to **your** next destination for the same event, not both.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must allow enough time for the **public transport** or other transport to arrive on schedule and to deliver you to the departure point.
- 2. You must get a letter (at your own expense) from the **public** transport provider detailing the reasons for failure.
- You must get a letter (at your own expense) from the relevant public transport provider, carrier or authority confirming details of the strike, industrial action or adverse weather conditions.
- 4. You must provide us with your unused travel tickets.
- 5. You must provide **us** with **your** receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.

What is not covered

- The excess shown in the schedule of benefits, unless you have chosen the option to increase/decrease these excesses and this is shown on your policy schedule.
- 2. Claims arising directly or indirectly from:
 - a) Strike or industrial action existing or being publicly announced by the date **you** purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any **trip**.
 - b) An aircraft or sea vessel being withdrawn from service (temporary or otherwise) on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority, Port Authority or any such regulatory body in a country to/from which **you** are travelling.
 - c) **Your** failure to arrive at the departure point in time to board any connecting **public transport**.
 - d) Volcanic eruptions and/or volcanic ash clouds.
 - e) Trips solely within the United Kingdom.
 - f) Trips that are not a *multi-destination trip*.
- 3. Additional expenses where the scheduled **public transport** operator has offered reasonable alternative travel arrangements.
- 4. Anything mentioned in 'What is not covered applicable to all sections of the policy'.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A letter from the **public transport** provider detailing the reasons for failure.
- A letter from the relevant public transport provider, carrier or authority confirming details of the strike, industrial action or adverse weather conditions.
- Your unused travel tickets.
- Receipts, bills, or proof of purchase for any transport, accommodation or other costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION S – WAITING LIST COVER

What is covered

If, as a result a diagnosed **medical condition** that **you** have declared to TravelTime, for which **you** are on a waiting list for treatment or

investigation and **you** have chosen and paid for the 'waiting list' cover and this is shown on **your policy schedule**:

- a) it becomes medically necessary to attend an appointment for treatment or investigation that conflicts with **your** planned **trip**, or
- b) you are now unable to travel on your planned trip, because of a deterioration in the medical condition for which you are awaiting treatment or investigation

we will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for your proportion only of any irrecoverable unused travel and accommodation costs and other pre-paid charges (excluding *attraction, event & excursion tickets*) which you have paid, or are contracted to pay, together with your proportion only of any reasonable additional travel expenses.

Special conditions relating to claims

- 1. You must provide (at your own expense) a letter confirming the date of the appointment and confirming the medical reasons the appointment cannot be changed so it does not conflict with the planned **trip**.
- 2. If **you** fail to notify the travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport or accommodation as soon as **you** find out it is necessary to cancel the **trip**, the amount **we** will pay will be limited to the cancellation charges that would have otherwise applied.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits, unless **you** have chosen the option to increase/decrease these **excesses** and this is shown on **your policy schedule**.
- 2. Cancelling **your trip** because of a **medical condition** or an illness related to a **medical condition**, which **you** knew about and which could reasonably be expected to lead to a claim, unless declared to TravelTime and TravelTime have agreed in writing to cover **you**.
- 3. Any claim if **your** appointment for **your** awaited treatment or investigation is not medically necessary and/or it can wait until **your** return from the planned **trip**.
- 4. You not wanting to travel.
- 5. The cost of your unused original tickets where the Medical Emergency Assistance Company or we have arranged and paid for you to come home following curtailment of the trip. If however you have not purchased a return ticket, we reserve the right to deduct the cost of an economy flight from any additional costs we have incurred which are medically necessary to repatriate you to your home.
- 6. The resumption of **your trip** once it has been **curtailed**. There is no further cover once **you** have returned to **your home area**.
- 7. The cost of Air Passenger Duty (APD) whether irrecoverable or not.
- Any claims arising directly or indirectly from circumstances known to you before you purchased this insurance or at the time of booking any trip which could reasonably have been expected to lead to cancellation or curtailment of the trip.
- 9. Any claim for *attraction, event & excursion tickets*.
- 10. Travel tickets paid for using any airline mileage or supermarket reward scheme (for example Avios, Tesco Clubcard, Nectar), unless evidence of specific monetary value can be provided.
- Accommodation costs paid for using any Timeshare, Holiday Property Bond or other holiday points scheme. In addition any property maintenance costs, fees or charges incurred by you, as part of your involvement in such schemes is not covered.
- 12. Anything mentioned in the 'General exclusions applicable to all sections of the policy'.

You should also refer to the 'Important conditions relating to health' section of the policy.

Claims evidence

We will require (at **your** own expense) the following evidence where relevant:

- A medical certificate from the treating doctor (or in the case of stress, anxiety, depression or any other mental or nervous disorder, either a registered mental health professional if you are under the care of a Community Mental Health Team or if not, a consultant specialising in the relevant field) explaining why it was necessary for you to cancel or curtail the trip.
- Booking confirmation together with a cancellation invoice from **your** travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport/accommodation.
- In the case of curtailment claims, written details from your travel agent, tour operator or provider of transport/accommodation of the separate costs of transport, accommodation and other pre-paid costs or charges that made up the total cost of the trip.
- Your unused travel tickets.
 - Receipts or bills for any costs, charges or expenses claimed for.
- Any other relevant information relating to **your** claim under this section that **we** may ask **you** for.

SECTION T – GADGET COVER

Cover for section T only operates if the appropriate gadget cover extension has been chosen and the appropriate additional premium has been paid and is shown on the **policy schedule**. Gadget cover is not available under the Economy Cover.

Please note: If **you** have purchased the **Excess** Waiver option and this is shown on **your policy schedule**, this only applies to Sections A to S inclusive. **You** cannot waive the **excess** under this section.

Special definitions relating to this section *(which are shown in bold italics)*

Accessories - means items such as but not limited to, chargers, protective cases, headphones and hands-free devices, that are used in conjunction with **your** insured *gadget* but excludes SIM cards and wearables.

Evidence of ownership for *accessories* will need to be provided at the point of claim. Cover is only in place for *accessories* purchased in the UK.

Acci dental loss/acci dentally lost - means that the *gadget* has been accidentally left by **you** in a location and **you** are permanently deprived of its use.

Accommodati on – means your hotel, resort or other main residence where you are staying during your trip.

Claims administrators – means Davies Group Limited.

Evidence of ownership – means a document to evidence that the *gadget* **you** are claiming for belongs to **you**. This can be a copy of the till receipt, delivery note, **UK** gift receipt or, if the *gadget* is a mobile phone, confirmation from **your** Network Provider that the mobile phone has been used by **you**.

The *evi dence of ownership* should include the make, model and IMEI / serial number of the *gadget* and must be in **your** name, unless **you** are in possession of a gift receipt.

Gadget - means the portable electronic equipment owned by **you**, the replacement value of which must not exceed the limit shown in the schedule of benefits with the relevant proof of purchase, that is in good condition and in full working order at the time of **your trip**, including laptops, mobile phones, smart phones, iPhones, iPads, tablets, e-readers, MP3 Players, CD/DVD players, head/ear phones, satellite navigation devices, PDAs, handheld games, consoles, cameras, video cameras and wearable technology (e.g. smart watch or health and fitness tracker) but excluding drones.

All *gadgets* must be less than 6 years old at the start date of the insurance (18 months for laptops) and must have been manufactured to a **UK** Specification, with valid proof of purchase.

All *gadgets* must have been:

- a) purchased as new from a UK VAT registered supplier or registered company and must be in full working order at the start date of this policy, or
- b) purchased by **you** as refurbished in the **UK**, as long as, the refurbished *gadget* was sold with a minimum 12-month warranty, or
- c) gifted to you, as long it meets the criteria in points a) or b) above, and you are able to provide a UK Gift Receipt.

In addition, all gadgets:

- a) cannot have been purchased during the **trip**,
- b) cannot have been purchased outside the **UK** or Isle of Man,
- c) must be in **your** possession and in good working condition (not accidentally damaged),
- d) must not have not previously been repaired using non-manufacturer parts.

Immediate family – means **your** mother, father, son, daughter, spouse, domestic partner or other family member, who resides with **you** at **your** home.

Precautions – all measures that would be deemed appropriate to expect a person to take in circumstances to prevent *accidental loss*, accidental damage or theft of **your** *gadgets*, such as keeping the *gadget* concealed when **you** are in a public place and the *gadget* is not in use.

Proof of usage means evidence that the **gadget** has been in use since the policy commenced. Where the **gadget** is a mobile phone, this information can be obtained from **your** Network Provider. For other **gadgets**, in the event of an accidental damage claim, this can be verified when the **gadget** is sent to **our** repairers for inspection. **Unattended** – means not within **your** sight at all times or out of **your** arms-length reach when away from **your** accommodation.

What is covered

1. Accidental damage / Malicious damage

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the cost of repairing your *gadget*, if it is damaged as the result of an accident or malicious damage whilst on your trip. If your *gadget* cannot be economically repaired, it will be replaced.

2. Theft

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits to replace your *gadget* with a replacement item if it is stolen during your trip. Where only part or parts of your *gadget* have been stolen, we will only replace that part or those specific parts.

3. Accidental loss

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the cost of a replacement item, if you accidentally or unintentionally lose your *gadget* whilst on your trip.

4. Breakdown

We will pay you up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits for the cost of repairing your *gadget*, if it suffers electrical breakdown whilst on your trip, which occurs outside of the manufacturers guarantee period. If your *gadget* cannot be economically repaired, it will be replaced.

Please note: This cover is not available on laptops.

5. Unauthorised call / texts / data use

If **your** mobile phone is lost or stolen whilst on **your trip** and is used fraudulently and **your** claim is covered under Section T2 – Theft, **we** will reimburse **you** for the costs of the unauthorised call / text / data use, up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits. This is subject to **you** providing an itemised bill.

6. Liquid damage

We will pay **you** up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits to repair or provide a replacement item for **your** *gadget* if it is damaged as a result of accidentally coming into contact with any liquid whilst on **your trip**.

7. Accessories

If **your** claim for **your** *gadget* is approved, **we** will replace any *accessori es* that were *acci dentally lost*, stolen or accidentally damaged at the same time as **your** *gadget* up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits.

Valid **evidence of ownership** for the **accessories** must be provided at the point of claim.

If **we** replace **your** *gadget* with a different make or model and this means that **you** can no longer use **your** existing *accessories*, we will replace them too, up to the amount shown in the schedule of benefits.

What is not covered

- 1. The **excess** shown in the schedule of benefits.
- 2. Any claims for theft:
 - a) from any motor vehicle where you or someone acting on your behalf is not in the vehicle, unless the gadget has been concealed in a locked boot, closed glove compartment or other closed internal compartment and all the vehicle's windows and doors have been closed and locked and all security systems have been activated. A copy of the receipt for any repairs made following the damage caused in gaining entry to the locked vehicle must be supplied with any claim.
 - b) from any unattended building or premises (including your accommodation) unless the theft involves force in gaining entry to or exit from the building or premises, resulting in damage to the building or premises. A copy of the receipt for any repairs made for such damage must be supplied with any claim.
 - c) when away from your accommodation, or when in your accommodation with invited guests or other people; unless the gadget is concealed on or about your person when not in use, or it is stored in a locked room or secured receptacle (such as a locked safe, locked locker or closed desk drawer).
 - d) where your gadget was in the possession of a third party (other than a member of your immediate family) at the time of the event giving rise to a claim under this insurance.
 - e) where the *gadget* has been left *unattended* when it is away from your *accommodati on* (including being in luggage during transit).
 - f) where all available *precautions* have not been taken to prevent theft.
- 3. Any claims for loss or damage:
 - a) caused by:
 - i) you deliberately damaging the gadget.
 - ii) you not following the manufacturer's instructions.
 - iii) the use of non-manufacturer approved *accessories*.
 - b) where all available **precautions** have not been taken to prevent loss or damage.
- 4. Any claims for:
 - a) routine servicing, inspection, maintenance or cleaning.
 - b) loss caused by a manufacturer's defect or recall of the gadget.
 - c) repairs carried out by persons not authorised by us.
 - d) liquid damage to your gadget where the event causing the need to claim involved you taking your gadgets on a boat, other water vessels, or whilst taking part in water activities.
 - e) wear and tear or gradual deterioration of performance.
 - cosmetic damage of any kind, including scratches, dents and other visible defects that do not affect safety or performance;
- 5. Any kind of damage whatsoever unless the damaged *gadget* is provided for repair.
- 6. Any loss of a SIM (subscriber identity module) card.

- Any expense incurred as a result of not being able to use the *gadget*, or any loss other than the repair or replacement costs of the *gadget*, unless relating to unauthorised call/text/data use for **your** mobile phone.
- 8. Loss of or damage to *accessories* that were not attached to **your** *gadget* at the time of the incident.
- 9. Any claim for a *gadget* where *evidence of ownership* and *proof of usage* cannot be provided or evidenced.
- 10. Any claim for *acci dental loss* where the circumstances of the loss cannot be clearly identified, i.e. where **you** are unable to confirm the time and place **you** last had **your** *gadget*.
- 11. Any claim for any *gadget* that was purchased as second hand or used, that is not a refurbished *gadget*, sold with a minimum 12 month warranty.
- 12. Reconnection costs or subscription fees of any kind.
- 13. Any loss of or damage to information or data or software contained in or stored on the *gadget* whether arising as a result of a claim paid by this insurance or otherwise.
- 14. Any costs or expenses that are recoverable from any party; under the terms of any other contract, guarantee, warranty or insurance.
- 15. Any indirect loss or damage resulting from the event which caused the claim under this policy.
- 16. Any liability of whatsoever nature arising from ownership or use of the *gadget*, including any **illness** or injury resulting from such ownership or use.
- 17. Value Added Tax (VAT) where **you** are registered with HM Revenue and Customs for VAT.
- 18. **We** will not provide cover, pay any claim or provide any benefit if doing so would expose **us** to any sanction, prohibition or restriction.

You should also refer to the:

- 'General conditions applicable to the whole policy' section on pages 11 & 12, and
- General exclusions applicable to the whole policy' on pages 12 & 13.

How to make a claim under Section T

Who to contact

To make a claim, please call the *Claims administrators* on **0345 0744828**.

Lines are open between 8:00am and 5:30pm Monday to Friday.

To log **your** claim online, please visit **our** portal at **https://bastion.davies-group.com/**

Alternatively, please send an email to: gadgetclaims@davies-group.com

Or write to: Davies Group Limited, Unit 8 Fulwood Business Park Caxtion Road Preston PR2 9NZ

Calls may be recorded for training, compliance and fraud prevention purposes.

Claims conditions

- 1. You must notify the *claim administrators* as soon as possible, but ideally within 48 hours of **your** return to the **UK**.
- You must report the theft or *accidental loss* of any *gadget*, within 24 hours of discovery to your Airtime Provider and blacklist your handset.
- 3. You must report the theft or loss of any *gadgets* to the Police within 48 hours of discovery and obtain a crime reference number in support of a theft claim and a lost property number in support of an *acci dental loss* claim.

Please note: Any delay in reporting an incident to the *claim administrators*, your Airtime Provider or the Police may invalidate your right to claim under the policy.

- 4. You must provide us with details of the claim and any other contract, guarantee, warranty or insurance that may apply to the loss, including but not limited to household insurance. Where appropriate a rateable proportion of the claim may be recovered direct from these Insurers.
- If we replace your gadget(s) the damaged or lost item becomes our property. If it is returned or found you must notify us and send it to us if we ask you to.

Claims settlement

- The intention of this policy is to put you back in the same position as immediately prior to the loss or damage. It is not a replacement as new policy. If the *gadget* cannot be replaced with an identical *gadget* of the same age and condition, we will replace it with one of comparable specification or the equivalent value taking into account the age and condition of the original *gadget*. We cannot guarantee that the replacement *gadget* will be the same colour as the original item.
- 2. Repairs will take place on your return to the UK and will be carried out using readily available parts. Where possible we will use original parts, but in some cases, unbranded parts may be used. In the event that any repairs authorised by us under this policy invalidate your manufacturer's warranty, we will repair or replace your gadget for the remaining period of your manufacturer's warranty in line with your manufacturer's warranty terms and conditions.
- 3. In the event of a valid claim resulting in the replacement of the *gadget*, this policy will automatically cover the replacement *gadget*.
- 4. All blocks must be removed from your gadget before being sent for repair. This includes any personal pin locks or operator specific security blocks, including Find My iPhone. Failure to do so will result in your claim being delayed, and/or, your gadget being returned to you.

Fraudulent acts

If **you** or anyone acting on **your** behalf knowingly commit a fraudulent act or submit a fraudulent document or make a fraudulent statement or exaggerate any claim made under this section of cover, **we** will not pay the claim and cover under this section of cover will cease immediately. **You** will not be entitled to any refund of premium.

We will process your claim under the terms and conditions of this section of cover based on the first reason notified to us for the claim. If your claim is not covered and you then submit a claim having changed the circumstances of the loss or damage we consider this as fraud. Details of all such cases will be passed to appropriate agencies for action.

Data protection

Details of **you**, **your** insurance cover under this policy and claims will be held by **us** (acting as data controllers) for underwriting, policy administration, claims handling, complaints handling, sanctions checking and fraud prevention, subject to the provisions of applicable data protection law and in accordance with the assurances contained in **our** website privacy notice (see below).

We collect and process these details as necessary for performance of **our** contract of insurance with **you** or complying with **our** legal obligations, or otherwise in **our** legitimate interests in managing **our** business and providing **our** products and services.

These activities may include:

- a. use of sensitive information about **you**, in order to evaluate **your** claim and provide other services as described in this policy,
- b. disclosure of information about you and your insurance cover to companies within the AXA group of companies, to our service providers and agents in order to administer and service your insurance cover, to provide you with an insurance gadget cover claims service, for fraud prevention, to collect payments, and otherwise as required or permitted by applicable law;

- c. monitoring and/or recording of your telephone calls in relation to cover for the purposes of record-keeping, training and quality control;
- d. obtaining and storing any relevant and appropriate evidence of the condition of the property subject of the *gadget* claim, which you have provided for the purpose of validating your claim; and
- e. sending **you** feedback requests or surveys relating to **our** services, and other customer care communications.

We will separately seek your consent before using or disclosing your personal data to another party for the purpose of contacting you about other products or services (direct marketing). Marketing activities may include matching your data with information from public sources, in order to send you relevant communications. You may withdraw your consent to marketing at any time, or opt-out of feedback requests, by contacting the Data Protection Officer (see contact details below).

We carry out these activities within the UK and both within and outside of the European Economic Area (the European Union plus Norway, Liechtenstein and Iceland) and Switzerland, across which the data protection laws provide a similar level of protection.

By purchasing this policy and using **our** services, **you** acknowledge that **we** may use **your** personal data, and consent to **our** use of sensitive information, as described above. If **you** provide **us** with details of other individuals, **you** agree to inform them of **our** use of their data as described here and in **our** website privacy notice (see below).

You are entitled on request to a copy of the information we hold about you, and you have other rights in relation to how we use your data (as set out in our website privacy notice – see below). Please let us know if you think any information we hold about you is inaccurate, so that we can correct it. If you want to know what information is held about you by Inter Partner Assistance or AXA Assistance, or have other requests or concerns relating to our use of your data, please write to us at:

Data Protection Officer, The Quadrangle, 106-118 Station Road, Redhill, Surrey, RH1 1PR

Email: dataprotectionenquiries@axa-assistance.co.uk

Our full data privacy notice is available at: www.axa-assistance.co.uk. Alternatively, a hard copy is available from **us** on request.

MAKING A COMPLAINT

We are committed to providing a high level of customer service. If you do not feel we have delivered this, we would welcome the opportunity to put things right for you.

Many concerns can be resolved straight away

Please get in touch with the relevant party shown below, as they may be able to provide **you** with an immediate response to **your** satisfaction.

1. Does your complaint relate to a claim?

For complaints relating to sections A to I and sections K to S inclusive:

a) In the first instance, please contact:

The Complaints Officer Claims Settlement Agencies, 308-314 London Road, Hadleigh, Benfleet, Essex SS7 2DD United Kingdom

Tel: 01702 553443 Email: info@csal.co.uk

When **you** make contact please provide the following information:

- Your name, address and postcode, telephone number and e-mail address (if you have one)
- Your policy and/or claim number, and the type of policy you hold
- The reason for **your** complaint.

Any written correspondence should be headed 'COMPLAINT' and **you** may include copies of supporting material.

If we are unable to resolve your complaint immediately, we will send you a written acknowledgement within two (2) days of receipt. We will then investigate your complaint and, in most cases, send you a full response in writing within two (2) weeks of receipt.

In exceptional cases, where **we** are unable to complete **our** investigations within two (2) weeks, **we** will send **you** a full written response as soon as **we** can, and in any event within four (4) weeks of receipt of **your** complaint.

b) If you are dissatisfied with our response, then you can raise the matter with the Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman (FSPO), an independent body that adjudicates on complaints, at the following address:

Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman Lincoln House Lincoln Place Dublin 2 D02 VH29

Telephone: +353 1 567 7000 Email: info@fspo.ie Website: www.fspo.ie

For complaints relating to section J – (End Supplier Failure including Scheduled Airline Failure) only:

 a) In the first instance, please contact: Compliance Officer
 Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE
 20 Fenchurch Street
 London
 EC3M 3AW

> Telephone: +44 (0) 20 3758 0840 Email: complaints@libertyglobalgroup.com

Please make sure that **you** quote **your** policy number, which can be found on **your policy schedule** or a claim number.

b) If after making a complaint, you are still not satisfied, you may have the right to contact the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS at the following address:

Financial Ombudsman Service Exchange Tower London E14 9SR

Telephone: 0800 023 4567 – From **UK** Landline Telephone: 0300 123 9123 – From **UK** Mobile Email: <u>complaint.info@financial</u>-ombudsman.org.uk Website: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

To confirm whether **you** are eligible to ask the Financial Ombudsman Service to review **your** complaint please contact them at: https://www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk/consumers/ how-tocomplain.

Making a complaint will not affect **your** right to take legal action.

For complaints relating to section T – (Gadget cover) only:

a) In the first instance, please contact:

The Customer Services Director, Davies Group Limited, Unit 8 Fulwood Business Park Caxtion Road Preston PR2 9NZ

Email: gadgetcomplaints@davies-group.com Telephone: 0345 0744788

When **you** make contact please provide the following information:

- Your name, address and postcode, telephone number and e-mail address (if you have one)
- Your policy and/or claim number, and the type of policy you hold
- The reason for **your** complaint

We will make every effort to resolve **your** complaint immediately. If we cannot resolve **your** complaint by the end of the next working day, we will acknowledge **your** complaint within 5 days of receipt and will do **our** best to resolve the problem within four weeks, by sending **you** a final response letter.

If **we** are unable to resolve **your** complaint in this time, **we** will write to advise **you** of progress and will endeavour to resolve **your** complaint within the following four weeks.

b) If you are still dissatisfied after receiving our final response letter, you may refer your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service at the following address:

The Financial Ombudsman Service Exchange Tower London E14 9SR

Tel: 0800 023 4567 – from UK landline Tel: 0300 123 9123 – from UK mobile Email: complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk Website: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

You have the right of referral within six months of the date of your final response letter. Whilst **we** and **our UK** service providers are bound by the decision of the Financial Ombudsman Service, you are not. Following the complaints procedure above does not affect your right to take legal action.

2. <u>Does your complaint relate to your policy?</u>

For complaints relating to sections A to T inclusive:

a) In the first instance, please contact:

The Managing Director, TravelTime Travel Insurance, Suite 9, Chalkwell Lawns, 648-656 London Road, Westcliff on Sea, SSO 9HR

Email: traveltime@traveltimeinsurance.co.uk Tel no: 0345 548 2122

When **you** make contact please provide the following information:

- Your name, address and postcode, telephone number and email address (if you have one)
- Your policy and/or claim number, and the type of policy you hold
- The reason for your complaint

Any written correspondence should be headed **'COMPLAINT'** and **you** may include copies of supporting material.

If **we** are unable to resolve **your** complaint immediately, **we** will send **you** a written acknowledgement within two (2) days of receipt. **We** will then investigate **your** complaint and, in most cases, send **you** a full response in writing within two (2) weeks of receipt.

In exceptional cases, where **we** are unable to complete **our** investigations within two (2) weeks, **we** will send **you** a full written response as soon as **we** can, and in any event within four (4) weeks of receipt of **your** complaint.

b) If **you** are dissatisfied with **our** response, then **you** can raise the matter with the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS).

The FOS is an independent body that arbitrates on complaints about general insurance products. **You** have six (6) months from the date of **our** final response to refer **your** complaint to the FOS.

If **we** cannot resolve **your** complaint, **you** may refer it to Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS) at the following address:

Financial Ombudsman Service Exchange Tower London E14 9SR

Telephone: 0800 023 4567 – From **UK** Landline Telephone: 0300 123 9123 – From **UK** Mobile Email: <u>complaint.info@financial</u>-ombudsman.org.uk Website: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Complaints about non-insured events and **your** travel arrangements must be referred to **your** travel organiser.

You have the right of referral within six months of the date of your final response letter. Whilst we and our UK service providers are bound by the decision of the Financial Ombudsman Service, you are not. Following the complaints procedure above does not affect your right to take legal action.

FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPENSATION SCHEME (FSCS)

You may be entitled to compensation from the FSCS (depending on the type of insurance and the circumstances of the claim) if **we** are unable to meet **our** financial obligations under this policy. A claim under this type of insurance is covered for 90% of the claim without any upper limit.

Further information about the compensation scheme is available from: Financial Services Compensation Scheme, 10th Floor, Beaufort House, 15 St Botolph Street, London EC3A 7QU

Tel: 020 7741 4100 or 0800 678 1100 Website: <u>www.fscs.org.uk</u>.



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> Gadget Claims 0345 074 4828

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