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# Overseas Holiday Home Insurance Policy

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# Introduction

This policy has been arranged by Schofields Limited, on behalf of by Tokio Marine Europe S.A., trading as Tokio Marine HCC. Tokio Marine Europe S.A. is authorised by the Luxembourg Minister of Finance and regulated by the Commissariat aux Assurances (CAA). Registered with the "Registre de commerce et des sociétés, Luxembourg" under No. B221975 and with registered office at 26 Rue de la Liberté, L-1930, Luxembourg.

This insurance is arranged by Schofields Limited which is registered in England and Wales. Schofields Limited is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (Firm Reference Number 118669).

This is to certify that the **Insurer**(s) in consideration of the premium specified on the **schedule** agrees to indemnify the insured in respect of cover detailed within this policy.

In deciding to accept this insurance and in setting the terms, **we** have relied on the information **you** have given **us**. **You** must take care when answering any questions **we** ask by ensuring that any information provided is accurate and complete.

Please contact **your insurance intermediary**, Schofields Limited as soon as possible if this document is not correct or if **you** would like to ask any questions.

The Overseas Holiday Home Insurance Policy wording, **schedule** and any **endorsements** are all part of this contract and should be read together to avoid misunderstanding. They show which sections of the policy are in force and contain details of the cover. All the documents should be read carefully, paying particular attention to the General Exclusions and General Conditions which apply to the whole policy.

This policy sets out all the circumstances in which an insured person can make a claim. It is not a maintenance contract and does not protect against every loss.

This contract is written in English and all communications about it will be in English. Unless we have agreed otherwise, this insurance is governed by the laws of England and Wales and is subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of England and Wales.

This insurance has been accepted under a binding authority from the **Insurer(s)** (number is shown in the **schedule**), whereby underwriting authority has been granted to **your insurance intermediary**, Schofields Limited.

# The contract of insurance

### Information you have given us

In deciding to accept this insurance and in setting the terms and premium, we have relied on the information you have given us. You must take care when answering any questions we ask by ensuring that all information provided is accurate and complete.

If **we** establish that **you** deliberately or recklessly provided **us** with false or misleading information **we** will treat this insurance as if it never existed and decline all claims.

If we establish that you carelessly provided us with false or misleading information it could adversely affect your insurance and any claim. For example we may:

- treat this insurance as if it had never existed and refuse to pay all claims and return the premium paid. We will only do this if we provided you with insurance cover which we would not otherwise have offered; or
- amend the terms of **your** insurance. **We** may apply these amended terms as if they were already in place if a claim has been adversely impacted by **your** carelessness; or
- reduce the amount **we** pay on a claim in the proportion the premium **you** have paid bears to the premium **we** would have charged **you**; or
- cancel **your** insurance in accordance with the cancellation terms as detailed within this policy document.

We or your insurance intermediary will write to you if we:

- intend to treat this insurance as if it never existed; or
- need to amend the terms of **your** insurance; or
- intend to cancel this insurance.

### Notifying us of any changes or inaccuracies

You must notify your insurance intermediary, Schofields Limited:

- without delay if you become aware that information you have given us is inaccurate;
- within fourteen (14) days of **you** becoming aware about any changes in the information **you** have provided to **us** which happens before or during the **period of insurance**;
- at least fourteen (14) days before **you** start any conversions, extensions or other structural work to the **buildings**.

When we are notified that information you previously provided is inaccurate, or of any changes to that information, or planned structural works, we will tell you if this affects your insurance. For example, we may amend the terms of your insurance or require you to pay more for your insurance or cancel your insurance in accordance with the cancellation terms as detailed within this document.

If **you** fail to notify **us** that information **you** have provided is inaccurate, or **you** fail to notify **us** of any changes, this insurance may become invalid and **we** may not pay **your** claim, or any payment could be reduced.

### The contract of insurance (continued)

### Who is my Insurer?

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### **Legal Jurisdiction**

Unless specifically stated otherwise, it is agreed that this insurance shall be governed exclusively by the law and practice of England and Wales, and any disputes arising under, out of or in connection with this insurance shall be exclusively subject to the jurisdiction of any competent court in England and Wales.

All summonses, notices or processes requiring to be served upon it for the purpose of instituting any legal proceedings again them in connection this insurance shall be properly served if addressed by mail to it and delivered to it care of:

Tokio Marine Europe S.A. Head of Legal and Compliance 26 Avenue de la Liberté L-1930 Luxembourg Grand-Duché du Luxembourg

### **Rights of Third Parties**

A person who is not a party to this contract has no right under the applicable law to enforce any term of this contract but this does not affect any right or remedy of a third party which exists or is available apart from that applicable law.

### Several Liability Notice

The subscribing Insurers' obligations under contracts of Insurance to which they subscribe are several and not joint and are limited solely to the extent of their individual subscriptions. The subscribing Insurers are not responsible for the subscription of any co-subscribing Insurer who for any reason does not satisfy all or part of its obligations.

### **Use of Third Parties**

As a Luxembourg-headquartered insurance company, Tokio Marine Europe S.A. (TME) is subject to an obligation of professional secrecy under the Luxembourg Act of 7 December 2015 on the insurance sector, as amended (the "Luxembourg Act"). Consequently, TME would like to make **you** aware that:

- a) TME may outsource certain services, activities or tasks to third parties such as specialist IT service providers, and banks that receive and make payments on our behalf ("Service Providers"). These Service Providers may not be located in Luxembourg, and are most likely to be located in the United Kingdom or the United States.
- b) any information that you or an authorised representative has provided to TME may be communicated to a Service Provider in the context of outsourcing/reliance on services. This includes information that may directly or indirectly identify the Policyholder, a beneficiary under the Policy or an authorised representative. The information that may be transmitted to Service Providers consist of the name, address, date of birth, and any piece of information collected for the purposes of TME's quote and subsequent servicing of the policy.

The country of establishment of the Service Providers is available upon request.

This relates solely to the **Insurer's** professional secrecy obligations under the Luxembourg Act and is not intended to be a notice or meet any obligations under applicable data protection legislation. Further information is available on **our** website at <u>https://www.tmhcc.com/en/-/media/row/documents/legal-info/luxembourg-professional-secrecy.pdf</u>

Please advise **us** of any objections or comments within 14 days of receipt of this document. If **we** do not hear from **you**, we shall assume that **you** allow **us** to share **your** information with selected third parties.

# **Data Protection Notice**

Tokio Marine HCC is the trading name of Tokio Marine Europe S.A. which respects **your** right to privacy. In **our** Privacy Notice (available at <u>https://www.tmhcc.com/en/legal/privacy-policy</u>) **we** explain who **we** are, how **we** collect, share and use personal information about **you**, and how you can exercise **your** privacy rights. If **you** have any questions or concerns about our use of **your** personal information, then please contact <u>dpo-tmelux@tmhcc.com</u>.

We may collect **your** personal information such as name, email address, postal address, telephone number, gender and date of birth. We need the personal information to enter into and perform a contract with **you**. We retain personal information we collect from **you** where we have an ongoing legitimate business need to do so.

We may disclose your personal information to:

- **our** group companies;
- third party services providers and partners who provide data processing services to **us** or who otherwise process personal information for purposes that are described in **our** Privacy Notice or notified to **you** when **we** collect **your** personal information;
- any competent law enforcement body, regulatory, government agency, court or other third party where **we** believe disclosure is necessary (i) as a matter of applicable law or regulation, (ii) to exercise, establish or defend **our** legal rights, or (iii) to protect **your** interests or those of any other person;
- a potential buyer (and its agents and advisers) in connection with any proposed purchase, merger or acquisition of any part of **our** business, provided that **we** inform the buyer it must use **your** personal information only for the purposes disclosed in **our** Privacy Notice; or
- any other person with **your** consent to the disclosure.

**Your** personal information may be transferred to, and processed in, countries other than the country in which **you** are resident. These countries may have data protection laws that are different to the laws of **your** country. **We** transfer data within the Tokio Marine group of companies by virtue of **our** Intra Group Data Transfer Agreement, which includes the EU Standard Contractual Clauses.

We use appropriate technical and organisational measures to protect the personal information that we collect and process about you. The measures we use are designed to provide a level of security appropriate to the risk of processing your personal information.

**You** are entitled to know what data is held on **you** and to make what is referred to as a Data Subject Access Request ('DSAR'). **You** are also entitled to request that **your** data be corrected in order that **we** hold accurate records. In certain circumstances, **you** have other data protection rights such as that of requesting deletion, objecting to processing, restricting processing and in some cases requesting portability. Further information on **your** rights is included in **our** Privacy Notice.

You can opt-out of marketing communications we send you at any time. You can exercise this right by clicking on the "unsubscribe" or "opt-out" link in the marketing e-mails we send you. Similarly, if we have collected and processed your personal information with your consent, then you can withdraw your consent at any time. Withdrawing your consent will not affect the lawfulness of any processing we conducted prior to your withdrawal, nor will it affect processing of your personal information conducted in reliance on lawful processing grounds other than consent. You have the right to complain to a data protection authority about our collection and use of your personal information.

Wherever the following words appear in bold in this insurance, they will have the meanings shown below.		
Accidental damage	Physical damage caused suddenly and accidentally, and not throug wear and tear, breakdown or malfunction.	
Bodily injury	Physical injury including accidental death, disease or illness.	
Buildings	<ul> <li>The holiday home and its decorations;</li> <li>fixtures and fittings attached to the holiday home;</li> <li>domestic outbuildings, garages, domestic fixed fuel tanks (whic includes, but is not limited to gas, LPG and oil tanks), swimmin pools, tennis courts, drives, patios and terraces, walls, gates an fences</li> <li>you own or for which you are legally responsible within th premises named in the schedule.</li> </ul>	
Contents	Household goods and personal property, within the <b>holiday home</b> which are <b>your</b> property or which <b>you</b> are legally responsible for.	
	<ul> <li>Contents also includes:</li> <li>radio and television aerials, satellite dishes, their fittings an masts which are attached to the holiday home;</li> <li>property in the open but within the premises subject to a £2,00 limit;</li> <li>silver and silver-plated articles up to £150 in total;</li> <li>television sets and video/DVD recorders.</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Contents does not include:</li> <li>motor vehicles including motor bikes, quad bikes, e-bikes, e scooters or sit-on lawn mowers, caravans, trailers or watercrat and their accessories;</li> <li>any living creature;</li> <li>any part of the buildings;</li> <li>any property insured under any other insurance;</li> <li>cash, currency, bank notes, negotiable documents or coins stamps, deeds, registered bonds and other personal documents jewellery, furs, gold articles, works of art or valuables;</li> <li>mobile phones, tablets or laptop computers;</li> <li>property of tenants;</li> <li>property not permanently kept at the premises, including baggag and personal effects temporarily removed from the permanent</li> </ul>	

- property not permanently kept at the **premises**, including baggage and personal effects temporarily removed from the permanent dwelling house;
- growing plants/gardens, trees and items of a similar nature.

**Cost of alternative accommodation** The cost incurred in providing alternative accommodation for the holidaymakers in the property at the time loss or damage occurs.

- Endorsement(s)A change in the terms and conditions of this insurance.ExcessThe amount you have to pay towards each claim.
- Heave Upward movement of the ground beneath the **buildings** as a result of the soil expanding.

# **Definitions** (continued)

Holiday home	The <b>holiday home</b> of <b>standard construction</b> and the garages and outbuildings used for domestic purposes at the <b>premises</b> shown in the <b>schedule</b> .
	For the purposes of this insurance, a <b>holiday home</b> is considered to be a second home which is used by <b>you</b> and/ or <b>your</b> friends and family or is a residential property which is commercially let on a <b>holiday home</b> rental basis.
Landslip	Downward movement of sloping ground.
Period of insurance	The length of time for which this insurance is in force, as shown in the <b>schedule</b> and for which <b>you</b> have paid and <b>we</b> have accepted a premium or until cancelled.
Premises	The address which is named in the <b>schedule</b> .
Sanitaryware	Washbasins, sinks, bidets, lavatory pans and cisterns, shower trays, shower screens, baths and bath panels.
Schedule	The <b>schedule</b> is part of this insurance and contains details of <b>you</b> , the <b>premises</b> , the sums insured, the <b>period of insurance</b> and the sections of this insurance which apply.
Settlement	Downward movement as a result of the ground being compressed by the weight of the <b>buildings</b> within ten years of construction.
Standard construction	Built of brick, stone or concrete and roofed with slates, tiles, asphalt or concrete.
Subsidence	Downward movement of the ground beneath the <b>buildings</b> that is not a result of <b>settlement</b> .
Valuables	Jewellery, watches, gold, precious metals, gemstones, furs, pictures and other works of art, stamp, coin and medal collections.
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You/your	The person or persons named in the <b>schedule</b> as the insured, or the directors or partners of the business named in the <b>schedule</b> .
Your insurance intermediary	Schofields Limited, the insurance intermediary who placed this insurance on <b>your</b> behalf.

# General conditions applicable to the whole of this insurance

Each **premises** included under this insurance is considered to be covered as if separately insured. These are the conditions of the insurance **you** will need to meet as **your** part of the contract. If **you** do not, a claim may be rejected or payment could be reduced. In some circumstances **your** policy might become invalid.

#### 1. Your duties

**You** must keep **your holiday home** in a good condition and state of repair, and take all reasonable care to prevent loss or damage, accident, **bodily injury** or legal proceedings. If legal proceedings are under way, **you** must tell **us** without delay and take all reasonable steps to reduce the costs of these proceedings.

**You** must make sure that all forms of protection provided for the security of the **holiday home**, including all locks and alarm systems, are kept in good working order and can be put into full and effective use whenever **you** or the occupants leave the **premises** unattended.

#### 2. Notice of change in circumstance

You must tell us, via Schofields Limited, as soon as possible about any changes in the information you have provided to us which happens before or during any period of insurance. We will tell you if such change affects your insurance and, if so, whether the change will result in revised terms and/or premium being applied to your policy. If you do not inform us about a change, it may affect any claim you make or could result in your insurance being invalid.

You must tell us about the following if you:

- plan to carry out building works at the **premises**;
- change how the **holiday home** is used;
- are convicted or have a prosecution pending for any offence (other than motoring);
- leave the **premises** permanently unoccupied;
- place the **premises** on the market to be sold;
- change **your** postal address.

#### 3. Cancellation clause

#### 14 day cooling-off period

**You** may cancel the insurance by sending **your insurance intermediary**, Schofields Limited, 5 The Courtyard, Calvin Street, Bolton, BL1 8PB, email: holidayhomes@schofields.ltd.uk, written notice within fourteen (14) days of it starting or (if later) within fourteen (14) days of **you** receiving the insurance documents. **We** will return any premium **you** have paid providing **you** have not made a claim.

#### Cancellation after the 14 day cooling-off period

You may cancel this insurance after the first fourteen (14) days by giving your insurance intermediary-notice in writing. (Contact details as above). We will refund the part of your premium which applies to the remaining **period of insurance**. For example, if you have been covered for six (6) months, the deduction for the time you have been covered will be half the annual premium.

If **you** cancel this insurance outside of the fourteen (14) day cooling off period, there will be an additional charge of £25.00 applied by **your insurance intermediary** to cover the administrative cost of providing the insurance. If **we** pay any claim, in whole or in part, then no refund of premium will be allowed.

If **you** pay **your** premium by instalments and **you** wish to cancel this insurance, cover will be cancelled from the date of the cancellation request. Where a claim has been notified during the current **period of insurance**, **you** must continue with the instalment payments throughout the remaining **period of insurance**, or pay the remaining premium in full. If **you** fail to do so, **we** may deduct any outstanding amount from any claims settlement.

# General conditions applicable to the whole of this insurance

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#### **3.** Cancellation clause (continued)

We may cancel the insurance by sending **you** thirty (30) days' notice to **your** last known address. We will refund the part of **your** premium which applies to the remaining **period of insurance**, providing **you** have not made a claim. For example, if **you** have been covered for six (6) months, the deduction for the time **you** have been covered will be half the annual premium. We will only do this for a valid reason (examples of valid reasons are as follows):

- Where we have been unable to collect a premium payment. In this case, we will contact you in writing requesting payment within fourteen (14) days. If we do not receive payment by this date, we will write to you again notifying you that payment has not been received and giving you seven (7) days' notice of a final date for payment. This letter will also notify you that if payment is not received by this date, your policy will be cancelled. If payment is not received by that date, we will cancel your policy with immediate effect and notify you in writing that such cancellation has taken place.
- Where **you** are required in accordance with the terms of this policy to co-operate with **us**, or send **us** information or documentation, and **you** fail to do so in a way that materially affects **our** ability to process a claim, or **our** ability to defend **our** interests. In this case, **we** may issue a cancellation letter and will cancel **your** policy if **you** fail to co-operate with **us** or provide the required information or documentation by the end of the cancellation notice period.
- Where **we** reasonably suspect fraud.
- Due to the use of threatening or abusive behaviour or language, or intimidation or bullying of staff or suppliers.

Notice will be considered to be duly received in the course of post if sent by pre-paid letter properly addressed.

# General exclusions applicable to the whole of this insurance

#### 1. Radioactive contamination and nuclear assemblies exclusion

We will not pay for any loss, damage, cost or expense directly or indirectly caused by, arising or resulting from nuclear reaction, nuclear explosion, nuclear radiation or radioactive contamination, however such reaction, explosion, radiation or contamination may have been caused.

#### 2. War exclusion

We will not pay for any loss or damage or liability caused by, happening through or as a result of war, invasion, acts of foreign enemies, hostilities (whether war be declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, or confiscation or nationalisation or requisition or destruction of or damage to property by or under the order of any Government or public or local authority.

#### 3. Limited Cyber and Data exclusion

We will not pay for any:

#### (a) Cyber

loss, damage, liability, cost or expense caused deliberately or accidentally by:

- i. the use of or inability to use any application, software, or programme;
- ii. any computer virus;
- iii. any computer related hoax relating to (a)(i) and/or (a)(ii) above.

However, where:

- a fire or explosion occurs as a result of (a)(i) or (a)(ii) above;
- an escape of water occurs as a result of (a)(i) or (a)(ii) above; or
- a theft or attempted theft immediately follows (a)(i) or (a)(ii) above;

and that fire, explosion, escape of water, theft or attempted theft would otherwise be covered under this contract, **we** will still cover physical loss or damage resulting from that fire, explosion, escape of water, theft or attempted theft.

(b) Electronic Data

loss of or damage to any electronic data (for example files or images) wherever it is stored.

#### 4. Sonic bangs

This insurance does not cover loss, destruction or damage, a result of pressure waves caused by aircraft and other aerial devices travelling at sonic or supersonic speeds.

#### 5. Existing and/ or deliberate loss or damage

We will not pay for loss or damage:

- occurring before or arising from an event before the beginning of the **period of insurance**;
- caused deliberately by you or your domestic staff employed under a contract of service.

#### 6. Indirect loss or damage

We will not pay for any loss or damage that is not directly associated with the incident that caused **you** to claim, unless expressly stated in this insurance.

#### 7. Loss of value

We will not pay for any reduction in value of the property insured following repair or replacement paid for under this insurance.

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#### 8. Wear and tear or anything that happens gradually

We will not pay for damage caused by wear and tear or anything that happens gradually (for example, damp formed over a period of time due to blocked or poorly maintained guttering, or the mechanical or electrical failure of a television).

#### 9. Criminal activities

We will not pay for loss or damage resulting from criminal activities being carried out at the premises.

#### 10. Terrorism

We will not pay for loss, damage, cost or expense of any nature caused by, resulting from or in any way connected with any act of terrorism regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the loss.

For the purpose of this insurance, an act of terrorism means an act, including but not limited to the threat and/or the use of force or violence, of any person or group(s) of persons, whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organisation(s) or government(s), committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public, or any section of the public, in fear.

We will not pay for loss, damage, cost or expense of any nature caused by, resulting from or in any way connected with any action taken in controlling, preventing, suppressing or in any way relating to any act of terrorism.

#### **11.** Biological or chemical contamination

We will not pay for:

- 1. loss or damage to any property, or any loss or expenses;
- 2. legal liability of any nature;
- 3. death or injury to any person;

caused by or in any way connected with or contributed to by or arising from Biological or Chemical contamination due to or arising from;

- terrorism; and/or
- steps taken to prevent, suppress, control or reduce the consequences of any actual, attempted, threatened, suspected or perceived terrorism.

For the purposes of this exclusion "terrorism" means any act(s) of any person(s) or organisation(s) involving:

- the causing, occasioning or threatening of harm of whatever nature and by whatever means;
- putting the public or any section of the public in fear;

in circumstances in which it is reasonable to conclude that the purpose(s) of the person(s) or organisation(s) concerned are wholly or partly of a political, religious, ideological or similar nature.

#### **12.** Pollution or Contamination

We will not pay for:

- 1. loss or destruction of or damage to any property, or any loss or expenses; or
- 2. legal liability of any nature, or death or injury to any person

caused by or contributed to by or arising from pollution or contamination of air, water or soil, unless the pollution or contamination is directly caused by an event which is sudden, identifiable, unintended and unexpected. The whole event must happen at a specific time and place during the **period of insurance**.

# General exclusions applicable to the whole of this insurance

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#### 13. Sanctions

We will not provide any benefit under this insurance to the extent of providing cover, payment of any claim or the provision of any benefit where doing so would breach any sanction, prohibition or restriction imposed by law or regulation.

#### 14. Infectious or Contagious Disease Exclusion

This insurance does not cover any loss, damage, liability, cost or expense, in any way caused by or resulting from:

- a) infectious or contagious disease;
- b) any fear or threat of a) above; or
- c) any action taken to minimise or prevent the impact of a) above.

Infectious or contagious disease means any disease capable of being transmitted from an infected person, animal or species to another person, animal or species by any means.

# How to make a claim

To make a claim, please contact:

RELA Limited Telephone: 08081 756291 Email: <u>schofieldsclaims@relaltd.com</u>

Claims in writing should be directed to:

RELA Limited Unit 7, Bocam Park Old Field Road Pencoed Bridgend CF35 5LJ United Kingdom

RELA Limited handles claims on **our** behalf. Professional staff are available to assist **you** whether you need a claim form, advice on emergency repairs or any other aspect of **your** claim.

Alternatively, if you prefer, please contact your insurance intermediary, Schofields Limited.

To enable **your** claim to be dealt with quickly **we** will require **you** to provide **us** with assistance and evidence that **we** require concerning the cause and value of any claim. Ideally, as part of the initial notification, **you** will provide:

- Your name, address, and telephone numbers
- Policy / Certificate number
- The date of the incident
- Police details / Crime Reference number where applicable
- The cause of the loss or damage
- Details of the loss or damage together with claim value if known
- Names and addresses of any other parties involved or responsible for the incident (including details of injuries) and addresses of any witnesses.

# Claims conditions applicable to the whole of this insurance

### Your duties

In the event of a claim or possible claim under this insurance:

- To help prove **your** claim **we** may require **you** to provide original purchase receipts, invoices, bank or credit card statements, instruction booklets, photographs, utility bills, pre-purchase surveys or plans and deeds of **your** property. To help assist in dealing with **your** claim **we** may require **you** to obtain estimates for the replacement or repair of damaged property. We will only ask for information relevant to **your** claim.
- Tell the Police as soon as possible if **you** have suffered a theft, attempted theft or malicious damage or vandalism, and obtain an incident number
- **you** must without delay forward to RELA Limited, if a claim for liability is made against **you**, any letter, claim, writ, summons or other legal document **you** receive;
- you must not admit liability or offer or agree to settle any claim without our written permission;
- you must take all reasonable care to limit any loss, damage or injury;
- you must provide us with reasonable evidence of value or age (or both) for all items involved in a claim;
- you must not abandon any property to us without our written consent.

If you fail to comply with any of the above duties, this insurance may become invalid.

#### How we deal with your claim

#### 1. Defence of claims

We may:

- take full responsibility for conducting, defending or settling any claim in **your** name;
- take any action we consider necessary to enforce your rights or our rights under this insurance.

#### 2. Fraudulent claims

- 2.1 If you make a fraudulent claim under this insurance contract, we:
  - a) Are not liable to pay the claim; and
  - b) May recover from **you** any sums paid by **us** to **you** in respect of the claim; and
  - c) May by notice to **you** treat the contract as having been terminated with effect from the time of the fraudulent act.
- 2.2 If **we** exercise **our** right under clause 2.1(c) above:
  - a) **We** will not be liable to **you** in respect of a relevant event occurring after the time of the fraudulent act. A relevant event is whatever gives rise to **our** liability under the insurance contract (such as the occurrence of a loss, the making of a claim, or the notification of a potential claim); and,
  - b) We need not return any of the premiums paid.

#### **3.** Other Insurance

There will be no liability under this insurance in respect of any claim where **you** are entitled to indemnity under any other insurance EXCEPT in respect of any excess beyond the amount which would have been covered under such other insurance had this insurance not been effected and subject to being limited to the sums insured on the policy. This clause does not apply to Fatal Injury (Section two: Contents, Additional cover D).

# Section one: Buildings

The following only applies if the **schedule** shows that it is included.

The **buildings** are covered against loss or damage occurring during the **period of insurance** directly caused by:

	What is covered	What is NOT covered
1.	Fire, lightning, explosion.	<ul> <li>a) The first £50 of every claim.</li> <li>b) Loss or damage caused by the usage of Electrical Vehicle Charging Point(s) or the charging of electrical vehicles.</li> </ul>
2.	Aircraft and other flying devices or articles dropped from them.	The first £50 of every claim.
3.	Storm, flood or weight of snow.	a) Loss or damage caused by coastal or river erosion, <b>subsidence</b> , <b>landslip</b> or <b>heave</b> .
		<ul> <li>b) Loss or damage to domestic outbuildings and garages which are not of standard construction, domestic fixed fuel tanks in the open, swimming pools, tennis courts, drives, patios and terraces, gates and fences.</li> </ul>
		c) The first £250 of every claim.
4.	Escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes.	a) Loss or damage whilst the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.
		b) Loss or damage to domestic outbuildings and garages which are not of <b>standard construction</b> .
		c) Loss or damage caused by faulty workmanship, chemicals or a chemical reaction, or the escape of water from guttering, rainwater downpipes, roof valleys and gullies.
		<ul> <li>d) Loss or damage caused by failure or lack of sealant and/or grout.</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>e) Loss or damage: <ul> <li>to fixed swimming pools, fixed hot tubs, fixed jacuzzis and fixed spas;</li> <li>to the installation itself; or</li> <li>if the installation is outdoors or in an outbuilding, unless the installation is connected to a domestic heating boiler protected by a frost-stat device.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
		f) The first £250 of every claim.
5.	Escape of oil from a fixed domestic oil-fired heating installation and smoke damage caused by a fault in any domestic fixed heating installation.	<ul> <li>a) Loss or damage caused by faulty workmanship.</li> <li>b) Loss or damage whilst the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.</li> <li>c) The first (50 of every claim)</li> </ul>
6		c) The first £50 of every claim.
6.	Theft or attempted theft.	<ul> <li>a) Loss or damage whilst the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.</li> <li>b) The first £50 of every claim.</li> </ul>
7.	Collision by any vehicle or animal.	The first £50 of every claim.
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# Section one: Buildings (continued)

	What is covered	What is NOT covered
8.	Any person taking part in a riot, violent disorder, strike, labour disturbance, civil commotion or acting maliciously.	<ul> <li>a) Loss or damage while the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.</li> <li>b) The first £50 of every claim.</li> </ul>
9.	Breakage or collapse of fixed radio and television aerials, fixed satellite dishes and their fittings and masts.	<ul> <li>a) Loss or damage to the radio and television aerials, or satellite dishes themselves or their fittings and masts.</li> <li>b) The first £50 of every claim.</li> </ul>
10.	Falling trees, telegraph poles or lamp-posts.	<ul> <li>a) Loss or damage caused by trees being cut down or cut back within the premises.</li> <li>b) Loss or damage to hedges, gates and fences.</li> <li>c) The first £50 of every claim.</li> </ul>
11.	Earthquake.	<ul> <li>a) Loss or damage to swimming pools, tennis courts, drives, patios, terraces, gates, fences.</li> <li>b) The first £300 of every claim.</li> </ul>

# Section one: Buildings (continued)

# Extra benefits included with buildings:

	What is covered	What is NOT covered	
А.	<ul> <li>The cost of repairing accidental breakage to:</li> <li>fixed glass and double glazing (including the cost of replacing frames);</li> <li>solar panels;</li> <li>sanitaryware;</li> <li>ceramic hobs all forming part of the buildings.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>a) Damage whilst the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.</li> <li>b) The first £50 of every claim.</li> </ul>	
В.	<ul> <li>The cost of repairing accidental damage to:</li> <li>domestic fuel pipes;</li> <li>underground water supply pipes;</li> <li>underground sewers, drains and septic tanks;</li> <li>underground gas pipes;</li> <li>underground cables</li> <li>which you are legally liable for.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>a) Damage due to wear and tear or anything that happens gradually.</li> <li>b) The cost of clearing blocked sewer pipes, drains, soakaways, underground pipes or tanks.</li> <li>c) The first £50 of every claim.</li> </ul>	
C.	<ul> <li>Expenses you have to pay and which we have agreed in writing for:</li> <li>architects', surveyors', consulting engineers' and legal fees;</li> <li>the cost of removing debris and making safe the buildings;</li> <li>costs you have to pay in order to comply with any Government or local authority requirements</li> <li>following loss or damage to the buildings which is covered under this section.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>a) Any expenses incurred for preparing a claim or an estimate of loss or damage.</li> <li>b) Any costs if Government or local authority requirements have been served on you before the loss or damage.</li> </ul>	
D.	The cost of finding the source of an escape of water or oil from any fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes following loss or damage to the <b>buildings</b> which is covered under Section one.	More than £1,000 in any <b>period of insurance</b> .	
E.	Expenses <b>you</b> have to pay in respect of Fire Brigade charges for which <b>you</b> are liable to pay following attendance by the Fire Brigade at the <b>premises</b> shown in the <b>schedule</b> , following loss or damage to the <b>buildings</b> which is covered under this section.	More than £1,000 in any <b>period of insurance</b> . If <b>you</b> claim for such loss under Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents, we will not pay more than £1,000 in total.	
F.	Increased domestic metered water charges <b>you</b> have to pay following an escape of water which gives rise to an admitted claim under Insured event 4 of this section.	More than £1,000 in any <b>period of insurance</b> . If <b>you</b> claim for such loss under Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents, <b>we</b> will not pay more than £1,000 in total.	

# Section one: Buildings (continued)

#### **Basis of claims settlement**

We will decide whether to pay the cost of repairing or replacing the part of your buildings damaged or destroyed or make a payment in respect of the damaged parts if:

- the sum insured is enough to rebuild **your buildings**;
- the repair or rebuilding is carried out as soon as possible after **we** give **our** approval (other than emergency repairs, which should be carried out without delay); and
- your buildings are in a good state of repair.

If the loss or damage to **your buildings** is not repaired or replaced as **we** have explained above, **we** will then decide to pay either:

- the cost of repairing or replacing the damage, less a deduction for wear and tear; or
- the difference between the market value of the **premises** immediately before the damage and its value after the damage.

We will not pay the cost of replacing any undamaged or unbroken item or parts of items forming part of a pair, set, suite or collection of the same type, colour or design if the damage happens to one particular area or to a specific part and replacements cannot be matched.

If **we** have discounted the premium for this section because **you** have not made any claims, **we** may reduce or remove the discount if **you** make a claim.

#### Sum insured

The most **we** will pay under Section one: Buildings is the sum insured for **buildings** shown on the **schedule** and adjusted in line with index linking. This includes the extra expenses and fees listed under Additional cover C in Section one: Buildings.

#### Under-insurance

If **you** are under-insured, which means the cost of rebuilding the **buildings** at the time of loss or damage is more than **your** sum insured for the **buildings**, then **we** will only pay a proportion of the claim. For example, if **your** sum insured only covers one half of the cost of rebuilding the **buildings**, **we** will only pay one half of the cost of repair or replacement.

In respect of each **premises** separately insured, **our** liability for any loss or damage will not exceed the respective sum insured specified in the **schedule**.

# **Section two: Contents**

The following only applies if the **schedule** shows that it is included.

The contents are covered against loss or damage occurring during the period of insurance directly caused by:

	What is covered	What is NOT covered
1.	Fire, lightning, explosion.	a) The first £50 of every claim.
		<ul> <li>b) Loss or damage caused by the usage of Electrical Vehicle Charging Point(s) or the charging of electrical vehicles.</li> </ul>
2.	Aircraft and other flying devices or articles dropped from them.	The first £50 of every claim.
3.	Storm, flood or weight of snow.	a) Loss or damage caused by coastal or river erosion, <b>subsidence</b> , <b>landslip</b> or <b>heave</b> .
		b) The <b>contents</b> of domestic outbuildings and garages which are not of <b>standard construction</b> .
		c) Property in the open.
		d) The first £250 of every claim.
4.	Escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes.	a) Loss or damage whilst the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.
		b) Frost damage to water tanks, apparatus or pipes.
		c) The first £250 of every claim.
5.	Escape of oil from a domestic fixed fuel oil-	a) Loss or damage caused by faulty workmanship.
	fired heating installation and smoke damage caused by a fault in any domestic fixed heating installation.	b) The first £50 of every claim.
6.	Theft or attempted theft.	a) Loss or damage whilst the <b>buildings</b> are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.
		<ul> <li>b) More than £2,000 in any period of insurance from detached domestic outbuildings or garages.</li> </ul>
		c) The first £50 of every claim.
7.	Collision by any vehicle or animal.	The first £50 of every claim.
8.	Any person taking part in a riot, violent disorder, strike, labour disturbance, civil commotion or acting maliciously.	The first £50 of every claim.
9.	Falling trees, telegraph poles or lamp-posts.	a) Loss or damage caused by trees being cut down or cut back within the <b>premises</b> .
		b) The first £50 of every claim.
10.	Earthquake.	The first £300 of every claim.

# Section two: Contents (continued)

### Extra benefits included with contents:

	What is covered		What is NOT covered
А.	<ul> <li>Accidental damage to:</li> <li>televisions, satellite decoders;</li> <li>audio and video equipment;</li> <li>radios;</li> <li>home computers, video cassette recorders all situated within the holiday home.</li> </ul>	a) b) c) d)	Damage or deterioration caused in the process of cleaning, repair, renovation or dismantling. Damage to tapes, records, cassettes, discs, mobile phones, tablets, laptop computers or computer software. Mechanical or electrical faults or breakdown. The first £50 of every claim.
В.	Accidental damage to mirrors, glass tops and fixed glass in furniture.	a) b)	Damage to or the cost of removing or replacing frames. The first £50 of every claim.
С.	The <b>contents</b> (including golf equipment and pedal cycles, permanently kept in the <b>premises</b> ) if they are not already insured whilst they are temporarily outside the <b>holiday home</b> against loss or damage directly caused by any of the events insured under numbers 1-10 in this section and, if the appropriate additional premium has been paid, cover also under the <b>accidental damage</b> to <b>contents</b> extension.	<ul> <li>a)</li> <li>b)</li> <li>c)</li> <li>d)</li> <li>e)</li> </ul>	Contents outside the country in which the premises are situated. Breakage of sporting equipment and pedal cycles whilst in use. Theft of pedal cycles whilst left unattended, unless locked to an immoveable object or kept in a locked building at the time of the theft. Loss or damage to tyres, lamps and accessories attached to a pedal cycle unless the pedal cycle is stolen or damaged at the same time. Exclusions that apply to both the contents and accidental damage to contents extension wordings.
D.	<ul> <li>Fatal injury to you, happening at the premises shown in the schedule, caused by outward and visible violence by burglars or by fire, provided that death ensues within twelve months of such injury, for the following amounts:</li> <li>£10,000 for each insured person over sixteen years of age;</li> <li>£5,000 for each insured person under sixteen years of age at the time of death.</li> </ul>		

# Section two: Contents (continued)

### Accidental damage to contents

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

What is covered	What is NOT covered
Accidental damage to the contents within the <b>buildings</b> of the dwelling situated within the	a) Damage or any proportion of damage specifically excluded under this policy
premises named in the schedule.	b) Damage or deterioration of any article directly caused by the actual process of dyeing, cleaning, repair, renovation or whilst being worked upon.
	<ul> <li>c) Any amount in excess of £1,000 in all in respect of porcelain, china, glass or other articles of a brittle nature.</li> </ul>
	d) Cash, currency, bank notes, negotiable documents, coins, stamps and credit cards.
	e) Damage to contact, corneal or micro-corneal lenses.
	<ul> <li>f) Wear and tear or gradual deterioration, moth, vermin, infestation, corrosion, damp, wet or dry rot, mould or frost.</li> </ul>
	g) Damage arising out of malfunction or mechanical or electrical breakdown.
	h) Damage arising out of climatic or atmospheric conditions.
	i) Any amount in excess of £2,000 in respect of <b>Contents</b> stored in outbuildings.
	<ul> <li>j) Any loss or damage caused by or contributed to, by or arising from any kind of pollution and/or contamination.</li> </ul>
	k) The first £50 of every claim.

### Section two: Contents (continued)

#### **Basis of claims settlement**

We will decide whether to pay the cost of repairing an item or replacing it with a new item (in the same form and style) if it is lost or damaged beyond repair, except for household linen and pedal cycles where we will take off an amount for wear and tear. If we can repair or replace an item but agree to your request to make a cash settlement we will only pay you what it would cost us to repair or replace the item using our own suppliers.

We will not pay the cost of replacing any undamaged or unbroken item or parts of items forming part of a pair, set, suite or collection of the same type, colour or design if the damage happens to one particular area or to a specific part and replacements cannot be matched.

If **we** have discounted the premium for this section because **you** have not made any claims, **we** may reduce or remove the discount if **you** make a claim.

#### Limit of insurance

Your contents must be insured for the full cost of replacement as new.

We will not pay any more than the sum insured for the contents of each premises shown in the schedule.

#### **Under-insurance**

If **you** are under-insured, which means the cost of replacing or repairing the **contents** at the time of the loss or damage is more than **your** sum insured for the **contents**, then **we** will only pay a proportion of the claim. For example, if **your** sum insured only covers one half of the cost of replacing or repairing the **contents**, we will only pay one half of the cost of replacement.

# Section three: Accidents to domestic staff

The following only applies if the **schedule** shows that it is included.

What is covered	What is NOT covered
We will pay for your legal liability for amounts you become legally liable to pay, including costs and expenses incurred by you which we have agreed in writing, to pay compensation for accidental <b>bodily injury</b> to domestic staff employed by you under a contract of service at the premises during the period of insurance.	<ul> <li>a) Bodily injury arising from or in any way connected with: <ul> <li>the use of any vehicle outside the premises;</li> <li>any vehicle used for racing, pacemaking or speed testing;</li> <li>any communicable disease or condition.</li> </ul> </li> <li>b) Bodily injury whilst in Canada or the United States of America after the total period of stay has exceeded thirty (30) days in the period of insurance.</li> </ul>
	c) <b>Bodily injury</b> to independent contractors, their employees and members of <b>your</b> family or household.
	d) <b>Bodily injury</b> arising from any wilful or malicious act.

#### Limit of insurance

The limit of liability in respect of all claims under this section WILL NOT EXCEED £1,000,000 ANY ONE ACCIDENT or series of accidents arising out of any one event, plus the costs and expenses incurred by **you** which **we** have agreed in writing.

# Section four: Legal liability to the public

The following only applies if the **schedule** shows that it is included.

What is covered	What is NOT covered
<ul> <li>We will pay for your legal liability as owner or occupier up to the amounts insured stated in the schedule for any amounts you become legally liable to pay as damages for:</li> <li>bodily injury;</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>We will not pay for your legal liability arising:</li> <li>a) for bodily injury to you, any other permanent member of your family or your domestic staff;</li> </ul>
• damage to property caused by an accident happening in and around the	<ul> <li>b) other than as owner or occupier of the premises;</li> <li>c) from any agreement or contract unless you</li> </ul>
premises during the period of insurance.	would have been legally liable anyway;
	<ul> <li>d) from criminal acts;</li> <li>e) as a result of an assault, alleged assault or a deliberate or malicious act;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>f) from owning or occupying any land or buildings, other than the <b>premises</b>;</li> </ul>
	g) where <b>you</b> are entitled to cover from another source;
	<ul> <li>h) from any profession, trade or business, other than operation of the premises as a let holiday home or a self-catering holiday home;</li> </ul>
	i) from paragliding or parascending;
	<ul> <li>j) in any way connected with any communicable disease or condition;</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>k) from you, your domestic staff or your tenant(s) owning or using any:</li> <li>power-operated lift</li> <li>electrically-, mechanically- or power- assisted vehicles (including children's motorcycles motor cars, e-bikes or e- scooters) or horse-drawn vehicles (other than domestic garden equipment not licensed for road use)</li> <li>aircraft (including drones), hang-gliders, hovercraft, land- or sand-yachts, parakart jet skis or watercraft (other than rowing boats or canoes);</li> <li>Electric Vehicle Charging Point(s);</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>1) from you, your domestic staff or your tenant(s) owning or using any:</li> <li>caravans or trailers</li> <li>animals other than your pets</li> <li>animals of a dangerous species and livestock as defined in the Animals Act 1971* (other than horses used for private hacking) or</li> <li>dogs listed under the Dangerous Dogs (Northern Ireland) Order 1991, or any amending legislation.</li> </ul>

What is covered	What is NOT covered
	<ul> <li>m) in respect of any kind of pollution and/or contamination other than:</li> <li>caused by a sudden, identified, unexpected and unforeseen accident which happens in its entirety at a specific moment of time during the <b>period of insurance</b> at the <b>premises</b> named in the <b>schedule</b>; and</li> <li>reported to <b>us</b> not later than 30 days from the end of the <b>period of insurance</b>; in which case all such pollution and/or contamination arising out of such accident shall be deemed to have happened at the time of such accident.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>We will not pay for any liability arising from the following:</li> <li>Liquidated damages <ul> <li>Damages where the amount to be paid for failing to keep to the terms of a contract has been agreed by the people involved in the contract, at the time the contract was made.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Punitive or exemplary damages <ul> <li>Damages that punish the person they are awarded against, as well as compensate the person they are awarded to.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Aggravated damages         Damages that are awarded when a person's behaviour or the circumstances of a case increase the injury to the other person because they are humiliated, distressed or embarrassed.     </li> </ul>
	• Multiplying compensatory damages In some areas of the world, the amount of money awarded as compensation is multiplied as a punishment.

# Section four: Legal liability to the public (continued)

\*Animals Act 1971 - People who keep animals whether dangerous or non-dangerous are under a duty of care to prevent harm to other people by their animals. The Animals Act 1971 makes provision with respect to civil liability for damage done by animals and provides a distinction between dangerous and non-dangerous species For further guidance please see the Office of Public Sector Information website (www.opsi.gov.uk) or contact the Citizens Advice Bureau.

**\*Dangerous Dogs Act 1991-** The Dangerous Dogs Act 1991 imposes certain requirements on specific types of dog. It also places requirements in relation to dogs which are, as described by the Act, dangerously out of control. For further guidance please see the Office of Public Sector Information website (www.opsi.gov.uk) or contact the Citizens Advice Bureau.

#### Limit of insurance

The limit of liability in respect of all claims under this section WILL NOT EXCEED £5,000,000 ANY ONE ACCIDENT or series of accidents arising out of any one event, plus the costs and expenses incurred by **you** which **we** have agreed in writing.

# Section five: Loss of use and denial of access

The following only applies if the **schedule** shows that it is included.

	What is covered	What is NOT covered
stat loss	s insurance is extended to pay up to the amount ed in the <b>schedule</b> any one occurrence for the s of rentals pre-booked in advance or the <b>cost of</b> <b>ernative accommodation</b> resulting from:	• Rental income which is not pre-booked and pre-paid or cannot be confirmed by way of a rental agreement or booking confirmation at the time loss or damage occurs.
a)	damage to the <b>premises</b> or <b>contents</b> by any of the insured events covered by Section one: Buildings or Section two: Contents;	• More than £5,000 (unless stated otherwise in <b>your schedule</b> ).
b)	access to the <b>buildings</b> or that part of the <b>premises</b> owned and insured by <b>you</b> being made impossible by virtue of any of the insured events covered by Section one: Buildings or Section two: Contents;	
c)	oil or chemical pollution within 10km of the <b>premises</b> .	

This section also includes:

What is covered	What is NOT covered
Subject to <b>our</b> prior agreement and approval, additional costs involved (including but not limited to travel and accommodation costs) incurred to minimise a claim for damage covered under Section one: Buildings, Section two: Contents and/or Section six: Theft of keys of this insurance.	Costs incurred without our prior agreement and approval.

#### Limit of insurance

Unless stated otherwise in **your schedule**, the limit of liability in respect of all claims under this section will not exceed £5,000.

# Section six: Theft of keys

The following only applies if the **schedule** shows that it is included.

What is covered	What is NOT covered
Costs <b>you</b> have to pay for replacing locks to safes, alarms and outside doors in the <b>holiday home</b> following theft of <b>your</b> keys.	The first £50 of every claim.

### Limit of insurance

Cost of replacement.

# **Complaints**

**Our** aim is to ensure that all aspects of **your** insurance are dealt with promptly, efficiently and fairly. At all times, **we** are committed to providing **you** with the highest standard of service.

If you have any questions or concerns about your policy, you should contact your insurance intermediary, Schofields Limited:

Schofields Limited 5 The Courtyard Calvin Street Bolton BL1 8PB

Tel:01204 365080E-mail:holidayhomes@schofields.ltd.uk

Alternatively, if **you** feel **we** have not offered **you** a first class service or have a complaint about the handling of **your** claim, **you** should contact **your insurers** directly in writing or verbally, by using the contact details below:

Post: Tokio Marine Europe S.A. Head of Legal and Compliance 26 Avenue de la Liberté L-1930 Luxembourg Grand-Duché du Luxembourg

E-mail: <u>TMEComplaints@tmhcc.com</u>

#### **Alternative Dispute Resolution Body**

You may still have the right to refer your complaint, free of charge, to the Insurance Ombudsman or the Commissariat Aux Assurances (CAA).

You can find more information on the Insurance Ombudsman and the CAA below:

By Website:	By Email:
<u>https://www.aca.lu/en/insurance-ombudsman</u>	<b>mediateur@aca.lu</b>
By Post: ACA c/o Médiateur en Assurance B.P. 448 L-2014 Luxembourg	By Phone: + <b>352 44 21 44 1</b>

# **Natural Catastrophe Extension Clause - France**

#### Natural Catastrophe Extension Clause - France

#### (Fire, All Risks and Others)

Specimen clauses applicable to insurance contracts referred to in Article L.125 (Paragraph 1) of the Insurance Code.

#### (a) Object of cover

The object of this cover is to hold the Insured indemnified in respect of non-insurable direct property damage caused to the objects covered under the policy by an event whose decisive cause is the abnormal intensity of a natural agent.

#### (b) Invoking the cover

The cover may only be invoked after publication in the Official Gazette of the French Republic of an interministerial decree setting out that a natural catastrophe has occurred.

#### (c) Extent of cover

The Policy covers the cost of the non-insurable direct property damage suffered by the objects at the rate of their values laid down by the policy and within the limits of and subject to the conditions stipulated by the policy when the risk first manifests itself.

#### (d) Excess

Notwithstanding any stipulation to the contrary, the Insured keeps for his own account part of the indemnity due following a loss. He undertakes to abstain from taking out an insurance policy covering this excess.

As regards residential property, overland motor vehicles and other property not for professional use, the excess amounts to  $\notin$  380 or currency equivalent; except for losses due to subsidence/heave where the excess shall be  $\notin$  1520.

As regards property for professional use, the excess amounts to 10% of the amount of the non-insurable direct property loss suffered by the Insured, per establishment and per event, but not less than  $\notin$  1140 or currency equivalent; except for losses due to subsidence/heave where the excess shall be  $\notin$  3050. However, the excess stipulated by the Policy is applicable if it exceeds the above amounts.

In municipal areas not having the benefit of a local Natural Hazards Prevention Plan covering the risk which is the subject of a decree confirming a natural catastrophe event, the excess shall be varied as a function of the number of decrees made in respect of the same risk since 2 February 1995, as follows:

- first and second decrees: Minimum excess level applies
  third decree: 200% of excess level shall apply
- fourth decree: 300% of excess level shall apply
- fifth and subsequent decrees: 400% of excess level shall apply

The provisions of the preceding paragraph shall cease to apply from the time that a Natural Hazards Prevention Plan covering the risk which is the subject of the decree confirming a natural catastrophe event is prescribed in the municipal area concerned. They will take renewed effect in the absence of approval of the said Plan within 5 years of the date of the decree prescribing the Plan.

#### (e) Obligation of the insured

The Insured is compelled to declare to the Underwriters or their local agent every claim-event liable to invoke the cover, as soon as he becomes aware of it and not later than within ten days following application of the interministerial decree setting out that a natural catastrophe has occurred.

If several policies taken out by the Insured cover the non-insurable direct property damage caused by the abnormal intensity of a natural agent, the Insured is compelled, in the case of a claim-event and within the period stipulated by the preceding paragraph, to declare the existence of these policies to the interested Underwriters. He has to declare the claim-event to the Underwriters of his choice within the same period.

#### (f) Underwriters' obligation

The Underwriters are compelled to effect payment of indemnification under the policy within three months following submission by the Insured of a valuation of the damaged objects or the date of publication of the interministerial decree setting out that a natural catastrophe has occurred, whichever is the later. Failing this, and except in the case of a fortuitous event or force majeure, the indemnity due by the Underwriters bears interest at the statutory rate as from the end of this period.

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# **Insurance against acts of Terrorism – France**

#### Insurance against acts of Terrorism - Article L.126-3 of the French Insurance Code

Pursuant to article L. 126-3 of the French Insurance Code the insurance coverage herein is extended as per the conditions set forth in article L. 126-2 of the French Insurance Code which provides that:

"Where insurance contracts insure against fire damage to property on the national territory and damage to land motor vehicles, the insured is also covered for direct material damage to insured property sustained on the national territory caused by terrorist attacks as defined in articles 421-1 and 421-2 of the French Penal Code.

Repair of material damage, including the costs of decontamination and the repair of immaterial damage caused by such damage are covered within the limits of the deductible and the limit for fire damage set by the contract.

In the event that decontamination of real estate property is necessary, indemnification of the damages, including the costs of decontamination, shall not exceed the market value of the building or the amount of the insured capital.

Moreover, if the insured is covered for business interruption, this cover is extended to the damage caused by terrorist attacks, in accordance with the terms of the corresponding contract. This cover does not apply to the decontamination of debris and the containment of such debris.

Any clause to the contrary is deemed to be unwritten.

A decree of the "Conseil d'Etat" determines the possible dispensations or exclusions applicable to contracts covering large risks defined in article L. 111-6 with regard to the insurability of such risks."

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# **Exclusion of losses arising from Extraordinary Events - Spain**

#### Exclusion of losses arising from Extraordinary Events

We will not cover any loss or damage caused by or arising from the following:

- a) The following natural phenomena: earthquakes and tidal waves, extraordinary flooding including those provoked by sea dashing;, volcanic eruptions, unusual cyclonic activities (including extraordinary winds of more than 120 km/h and tornadoes), and falling of astral bodies and meteorites.
- b) Those events occurring violently as a result of terrorism, rebellion, sedition, insurrection, and popular tumult.
- c) Events or acts of the Military Forces or State Security Bodies in peacetime.

However, **you** are insured against loss or damage caused by or arising from these events by the "*Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros*" as explained in the subsequent pages (*pages 34-36*). If the reimbursement **you** receive from the Consorcio is less than what **we** would have paid had this Clause not been in force, **we** will pay **you** the difference.

#### Notification of Losses to the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros

For information on how **you** notify claims to the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros, please refer to the *Notification of Losses to the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros* section on the bottom of Page 37.

# Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros Clause - Spain

#### Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros Clause – Spain

#### CLAUSE ON COMPENSATION OF LOSSES ARISING FROM EXTRAORDINARY EVENTS BY THE CONSORCIO DE COMPENSACIÓN DE SEGUROS

In accordance with the provisions of the redrafted text of the Legal Statute for the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros, enacted by Royal Legislative Decree 7/2004 of 29<sup>th</sup> October, any policyholder of those insurance contracts which compulsorily must include the charge in favour of the aforesaid public entity are entitled to take out the cover of the extraordinary risks with any **insurer** meeting the conditions required by the legislation in force.

Compensation deriving from losses arising out of extraordinary events taking place in Spain and affecting risks located therein and, with regard to personal damage, also those extraordinary events occurring abroad when the insured habitually resides in Spain, will be paid by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros if the policyholder has paid the relevant charges in its favour and provided that one of the following circumstances occurs:

- a) When the extraordinary risk covered by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros is not covered by the insurance policy taken out with the **insurer**.
- b) When, even though the risk is covered by the said insurance policy, the obligations of the **insurer** cannot be met because the **insurer** is declared insolvent by a Court or because the **insurer** is subject to a winding-up procedure supervised or carried out by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros.

The Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros will act in accordance with the aforementioned Legal Statute, the Law 50/1980 of 8<sup>th</sup> October on Insurance Contract, the Regulations on Extraordinary Risks approved by Royal Decree 300/2004 of 20<sup>th</sup> February and other complementary legislation.

#### SUMMARY OF LEGAL RULES

#### 1. Extraordinary events covered.

- d) The following natural phenomena: earthquakes and tidal waves, extraordinary flooding including those provoked by sea dashing;, volcanic eruptions, unusual cyclonic activities (including extraordinary winds of more than 120 km/h and tornadoes), and falling of astral bodies and meteorites.
- e) Those events occurring violently as a result of terrorism, rebellion, sedition, insurrection, and popular tumult.
- f) Events or acts of the Military Forces or State Security Bodies in peacetime.

The atmospheric and seismic phenomena, volcanic eruptions and the falling of astral bodies will be certified, at the request of the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros, through reports issued by the State Meteorology Agency (AEMET), the National Geographic Institute and others competent public bodies. In the case of political or social events as well as in the event of damage caused by facts or acts of the Military Forces or State Security Bodies in peacetime, the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros shall be able to collect information about the facts from the competent judicial or administrative authorities

#### 2. Risks excluded

- a) Those which do not give rise to compensation in accordance with the Insurance Contract Law.
- b) Those caused to property insured under an insurance contract other than those contracts with a mandatory charge in favour of the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros.
- c) Those caused by a fault or defect of the insured item or by its evident lack of maintenance.
- d) Those caused by armed conflicts, even when not preceded by a formal declaration of war

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- e) Those arising from nuclear energy, without prejudice to the provisions of the Law 12/2011 of 27<sup>th</sup> May on liability for nuclear damage or provoked by radioactive materials. Notwithstanding the foregoing, direct damage to an insured nuclear facility will be deemed to be included when the damage is caused by an extraordinary event affecting the facility itself.
- f) Those due to the mere action of time and, in the case of goods which are totally or partially permanently submerged, those caused by the mere action of waves or ordinary currents.
- g) Those produced by natural phenomena other than the natural phenomena mentioned in section 1.a) and, in particular, those arising from rising groundwater levels, the movement of embankments, sliding or settlement of land, falling rocks and similar phenomena, unless the damage is manifestly caused by the action of rainwater which, in turn, has caused a situation of extraordinary flooding in the area and the damage arises simultaneously with such flooding.
- h) Those caused by acts of popular uprising in the course of meetings and demonstrations carried out in accordance with the provisions of Organic Law 9/1983 of 15<sup>th</sup> July 15<sup>th</sup> governing the right of assembly, as well as in the course of legal strikes, except where such acts could be qualified as extraordinary events of those indicated in section 1.b).
- i) Those caused by bad faith of the insured.
- j) Those deriving from losses arising from natural phenomena causing damage to goods or loss of profits when the policy's issue date or effective date (if later) does not precede the date on which the loss occurred by seven calendar days, unless it can be proven that it would have been impossible to take out the insurance policy earlier because the insurable interest did not exist. This waiting period shall not apply in case of replacement or substitution of the policy with the same or another company without a smooth transition, except in the part subject to an increase or new coverage. It shall not apply also to the part of the insured capital resulting from the automatic revaluation established in the policy.
- k) Those relating to losses occurring before payment of the first premium or when, in accordance with the Insurance Contract Act, the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros's coverage is suspended or the insurance contract is annulled due to non-payment of premiums.
- With regard to material damage, indirect risks or losses arising from direct or indirect damage other than loss
  of profits eligible for compensation as per the Regulation on the insurance of extraordinary risks. In particular,
  this coverage includes neither loss or damage incurred resulting from power cuts or changes to the external
  supply of electricity, fuel gases, fuel oil, diesel oil or other fluids nor any indirect damage or loss other than
  that cited in the foregoing paragraphs, even if those changes arise for a reason included in the cover of
  extraordinary risks.
- m) Those declared by the National Government to be a "national calamity or catastrophe" in view of their magnitude or severity.
- n) In the event of land vehicles liability, personal damage arising from this cover.

#### 3. Deductible

I. The deductible for the insured shall be:

- a) In the case of direct damage, in insurance policies covering damage to goods, the deductible for the insured will be 7% of the amount of the compensable damage caused by the loss. However, no deduction for deductible will apply to damage affecting homes, ownership communities and vehicles which are insured under a motor policy.
- b) In the case of miscellaneous pecuniary losses, the deductible for the insured will be that established in the policy, in time or amount, for damage resulting from ordinary claims of loss of profits. If there are several deductibles for the cover of ordinary claims of loss of profits, those established for the main cover will apply

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- c) When the policy provides a combined deductible for damage and loss of profits, material damage will be settled by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros once applied the appropriate deductible as provided in section a); and the loss of profits with deduction of the deductible stated in the policy for the main cover, less the deductible applied in the settlement of material damage.
- II. In the case of personal insurance, no deductible will apply.

#### 4. Extension of the cover.

- 1. The cover for extraordinary risks will apply to the same goods or people as well as sums insured established in the insurance policies covering the ordinary risks.
- 2. Notwithstanding the foregoing:
  - a) For policies covering own damage to motor vehicles, the cover of the extraordinary risks by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros shall guarantee the total insurable interest even if the ordinary policy only covers it partially.
  - b) When the vehicles only had a motor liability policy, the cover of extraordinary risks by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros shall guarantee the value of the vehicle in its state at the moment immediately prior to the occurrence of the loss at purchase price generally accepted in the market.
  - c) For those life policies generating a mathematical provision in accordance with the policy and the applicable regulations for private insurance, the cover provided by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros will refer to the capital at risk for each insured, i.e. the difference between the sum insured and the mathematical provision that, in accordance with the said regulations, the **insurer** must have established. The amount relating to the said mathematical provision will be paid by the said **insurer**.

#### NOTIFICATION OF LOSSES TO THE CONSORCIO DE COMPENSACIÓN DE SEGUROS

- 1. The application for indemnity of losses covered by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros shall be made through notification of the loss by the policyholder, the insured or the policy's beneficiary or by someone acting on their behalf, or by the **insurer** or the **insurance intermediary** which mediated in the policy.
- 2. Notification of losses and receipt of information about the procedure and the state of the file can be made:
  - Via phone call to the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros call centre (902 222 665 or 952 367 042).
  - Via the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros webpage (www.consorseguros.es).
- 3. Assessment of losses: The assessment of the losses which are payable in accordance with the insurance laws and the content of the policy shall be made by the Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros, and this entity shall not be bound by any assessment made by the **insurer** covering the ordinary risks.
- 4. Payment of indemnity: The Consorcio de Compensación de Seguros shall pay the indemnity to the policy's beneficiary through bank transfer.

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# **Important Information**

Please note: The following pages contain a generic list of **endorsement(s) we** <u>MAY</u> apply to the Overseas Holiday Home insurance in certain circumstances.

However, the following list of **endorsement**(**s**), <u>DO NOT</u> apply to **your** Overseas Holiday Home insurance policy unless the specific **endorsement** number and title appear on **your** separate quotation **schedule**, policy **schedule** or renewal document under the title "Policy Endorsements".

A quotation **schedule**, policy **schedule** or renewal document is a separate document, attachment or page which is part of this Holiday Home insurance policy and contains details of **you**, the **premises**, the sums insured, the **period of insurance** and the sections of this insurance which apply.

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC01 Building Works Clause

Based on information provided by **you** about the refurbishment, conversion or extension of **your Holiday Home**, **we** will continue to provide cover during the **period of insurance** subject to the following terms and conditions.

You must notify us, via Schofields Limited, if your Holiday Home becomes permanently unoccupied or if any additional work is to be undertaken which you have not told us about.

We will not pay for any loss or damage:

- resulting from any work which is the subject of a contract which removes or limits **your** legal rights against the contractor(s);
- caused by Insured event 3 (Storm, flood or weight of snow) unless your holiday home is wind and weatherproof.

We will not pay:

- for any loss or damage caused by, or attributable to, the activities of any contractor;
- for any liability arising out of the activities of any contractor;
- for loss or damage to site materials, tools or plant.

#### If we insure your buildings:

Section one: Buildings, Insured event 6 (Theft or attempted theft), What is NOT covered is replaced by the following:

- a) Loss or damage whilst the **buildings** are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.
- b) Loss or damage unless there has been forced and violent entry into or exit out of the **premises**.
- c) Caused by **you**, **your** tenant(s) or guest(s), contractors or sub-contractors.
- d) The first £<*insert amount*> of every claim.

#### If we insure your contents:

Section two: Contents, Insured event 6 (Theft or attempted theft), What is NOT covered is replaced by the following:

- a) Loss or damage whilst the **buildings** are not furnished enough to be normally lived in.
- b) Loss or damage unless there has been forced and violent entry into or exit out of the premises.
- c) Caused by **you**, **your** tenant(s) or guest(s), contractors or sub-contractors.
- d) The first £*<insert amount>* of every claim.

#### SC02 Chimney Warranty

All chimneys to solid fuel stoves, boilers and open fires must be kept in a good state of repair and be professionally cleaned once a year before October.

If **you** do not meet this condition, and a claim happens as a result, **we** will not be able to pay **your** claim unless **you** can prove that **your** breach in no way could have increased the risk of the loss or damage.

#### SC03 Fire Extinguisher Condition

At least two fire extinguishers must be installed in the private living accommodation, one of which must be situated in the kitchen.

If **you** do not meet this condition, and a claim happens as a result, **we** will not be able to pay **your** claim unless **you** can prove that **your** breach in no way could have increased the risk of the loss or damage.

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC04 Non-standard Construction Clause

It is noted that the **premises** are of non-**standard construction**, the details of which are as follows: *<enter details>* 

#### SC05 Flood Exclusion

Under Section one: Buildings or Section two: Contents, Insured event 3 (Storm, flood or weight of snow), What is NOT covered, the following is added:

- a) Loss or damage caused by flood.
- b) Loss or damage caused by ground level inundation or invasion of water following storm, torrential rain or downpour.

#### SC07 Underground Services Clause

Cover in respect of Section one: Buildings, Additional cover B is deleted and of no effect. Cover excludes all claims arising from **accidental damage** to underground services.

#### SC09 OHH – Republic of Ireland Clause

A £500 excess applies to each and every loss for escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes.

Excluding loss or damage directly caused by escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes if **you** leave the home without an occupant for more than seven consecutive days unless the water has been turned off at the point of supply to the **buildings**.

#### SC12 Protections Clause

It is your duty to ensure that all protections provided for the security of the holiday home and contents:

- are maintained in good working order, and
- are in full and effective operation whenever **you** are absent from the **premises**.

If **you** fail to comply with the above duties, this insurance will become invalid in respect of loss or damage resulting from unauthorised entry.

#### SC13 Theft Limitation Clause

This insurance does not cover theft or attempted theft from the **holiday home** other than as a result of violent and forcible entry.

#### SC18 Floodcheck Device Clause

Cover excludes loss or damage directly caused by escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes unless a pre-agreed and approved Floodcheck device has been fitted and is fully operational.

#### SC19 Flat Roof Warranty

All flat roof sections must be inspected and tested at least once every two-year period by a qualified independent building/roofing contractor and should be maintained as recommended. A record of all such inspections must be retained.

Failure to do so will result in a £500 excess applicable to any storm damage claim to flat roofed areas.

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC20 Earthquake Exclusion

We do not cover loss or damage caused by earthquake or volcanic eruption.

#### SC21 Bells Only Alarm Warranty

We will not provide any cover for loss or damage arising out of theft or attempted theft unless the following conditions are complied with:

- the burglar alarm installed at **your holiday home** is maintained in an efficient condition;
- the burglar alarm is put into full and effective operation whenever **your holiday home** is left unattended.

#### SC22 Restriction of Cover

Cover under Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents is limited to fire, lightning, explosion, earthquake and aircraft (and other flying devices or articles dropped from them) only.

An excess of £1,000 will also apply.

#### SC23 Central Station Monitored Alarm Warranty

We will not provide any cover for loss or damage arising out of theft or attempted theft unless the following conditions are complied with:

- the burglar alarm installed at **your holiday home** is maintained in an efficient condition;
- the burglar alarm is put into full and effective operation whenever your holiday home is left unattended;

you notify us, via your insurance intermediary, without delay if written notice is received from the alarm receiving station warning of withdrawal of their response to calls from the Alarm.

#### SC25 Fixed Hot Tubs, Jacuzzis and Spas

The definition of **buildings** is extended to include fixed hot tubs, fixed jacuzzis and fixed spas.

We will not pay for any loss or damage caused by:

- escape of water:
  - to the installation itself or
  - if the installation is outdoors or in an outbuilding, unless the installation is connected to a domestic heating boiler protected by a frost-stat device;
- subsidence or heave of the site on which **your buildings** stand, or landslip unless the private living accommodation is damaged at the same time and by the same cause;
- accidental damage.

We will not pay for any loss, damage or liability arising from the ownership or usage of the hot tub, unless the hot tub is used, maintained and serviced in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

For further guidance on how to comply with **your** legal duties, please see attached link: <u>https://www.hse.gov.uk/legionnaires/spa-pools.htm</u>

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC26 Not Connected To Mains Water

It is noted and agreed that the property is not connected to mains water.

#### SC27 Key Safe Warranty

Section One: Buildings or Section Two: Contents, Insured event 6. Theft or attempted theft, under *What is NOT covered*, the following is added:

• Loss or damage if the key is left in the key safe for more than twenty-four (24) hours.

#### SC28 Loss of Use and Denial of Access Flood Exclusion

The policy excludes all cover in respect of section five: Loss of use and denial of access cover following flood.

#### SC29 Dwelling Only Restriction

The policy definition of Buildings and Holiday Home are deleted and replaced with the following:-

This definition includes:	This definition does not include
Buildings	• domestic outbuildings, garages, domestic
• The Holiday Home and its decorations;	fixed fuel tanks, septic tanks, fixed swimming
• Fixtures and fittings attached to <b>holiday home</b>	pools, tennis courts, drives, patios and
You own or for which you are legally responsible within	terraces, walls, gates and fences
the <b>premises</b> named in the <b>schedule</b>	
Holiday Home	<ul> <li>garages and outbuildings</li> </ul>
The holiday home of standard construction at the	
premises shown in the schedule.	

#### SC30 Drinking Water Liability Exclusion

We will not pay for loss or damage to any property; any legal liability; costs and expenses; or death or injury to any person caused by, contributed to, in any way connected with, or arising from the following:

- usage or consumption of water supplied to the premises;
- usage or consumption of water obtained from the well, spring or other supply;
- poisoning by, or foreign or harmful matter in, food or drink **you** have produced, bottled or supplied.

#### SC31 Increased Flood Excess:

Section One: Buildings and Section Two - Contents, insured event 3 Storm, Flood or weight of snow, under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

The first £(insert amount) of each loss or damage sustained caused by

Flood

• Ground level inundation or invasion of water following Storm, torrential rain or downpour.

#### SC33 Storm Damage Excess

In respect of Section one: Buildings, Insured event 3 (Storm, flood or weight of snow) under What is NOT covered, the **excess** of  $\pounds$ *<insert value>* every claim, is deleted and replaced with:

• The first <*insert amount*> of every claim

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC34 Isolation of Water Clause (2)

Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents, Insured event 4. Escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes, under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

From 1<sup>st</sup> November to 31<sup>st</sup> March (both dates inclusive), when the **holiday home** has been **unoccupied** for more than seven (7) consecutive days **we** will not pay for loss or damage unless the water has been turned off at the stopcock within the **holiday home**.

For the purposes of this clause, the definition of **unoccupied** is where the **holiday home** has not been stayed in overnight by **you**, paying guests or someone who has **your** permission to stay there.

#### SC35 Drain Down Warranty (2)

Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents, Insured event 4. Escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes, under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

From 1<sup>st</sup> November to 31<sup>st</sup> March (both dates inclusive), when the **holiday home** has been **unoccupied** for more than seven (7) consecutive days, **we** will not pay for loss or damage unless the water has been turned off at the stopcock within the **holiday home** and the water system drained down.

For the purposes of this clause, the definition of **unoccupied** is where the **holiday home** has not been stayed in overnight by **you**, paying guests or someone who has **your** permission to stay there.

#### SC36 Winter Heating/ Drain Down Warranty (2)

Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents, Insured event 4. Escape of water from fixed water tanks, apparatus or pipes, under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

From 1<sup>st</sup> November to 31<sup>st</sup> March (both dates inclusive), when the **holiday home** has been **unoccupied** for more than seven (7) consecutive days, **we** will not pay for loss or damage unless:

- the water supplies are turned off at the main stopcock and all water and central heating systems must be drained; or
- where the **holiday home** benefits from a central heating system, it is kept fully operational 24 hours a day and a minimum temperature of 50°F (10°C) is maintained at all times.

For the purposes of this clause, the definition of **unoccupied** is where the **holiday home** has not been stayed in overnight by **you**, paying guests or someone who has **your** permission to stay there.

#### SC39 Sit on Mower Endorsement

The definition of **Contents** is extended to cover a ride on mower *<insert details>* valued at £*<insert value>*.

We will not cover loss or damage by theft or attempted theft unless the mower is locked and the keys removed and it is kept in a securely locked garage or outbuilding, whilst not in use.

Under the Settling claims heading of Section Two: Contents, we will take off an amount for wear and tear for rideon mowers.

We will not pay the first £200 of any claim.

The value of this item is in addition to the limit under Section Two: Contents insured event 6. Theft or attempted theft for items kept in detached domestic outbuildings or garages

Under Section Three – Legal Liability to Domestic Staff and Section Four – Legal Liability to the Public, under What is NOT covered, the following is added: **We** will not pay for **your** legal liability arising out of the ownership, possession or operation of the ride on mower.

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC40 Premises on the Market for Sale

You have declared and we have acknowledged that the holiday home is currently on the market to be sold.

As a result, (unless stated otherwise in the **schedule**) the standard policy **excess** will be increased from £50 to  $\pm 250$ .

However, in accordance with the General Conditions stated within the policy wording, **you** must inform **your insurance intermediary**, Schofields Limited, if **you** change how the **holiday home** is used and/ or leave the **premises** permanently unoccupied or unfurnished.

Please note failure to inform your insurance intermediary will result in the following terms will being applied:

Cover under Section one: Buildings and Section two: Contents is restricted to the following Insured events:

- 1. Fire, lightning, explosion;
- 2. Aircraft and other flying devices or articles dropped from them.

We will not pay the £1,000 of every claim.

Cover for Section five: Loss of use and denial of access and Section six: Theft of keys is deleted.

#### SC41 Legal Liability to the Public Restriction

Restriction to Section four: Legal Liability to the Public

Section four: Legal Liability to the Public, under What is not covered, reference to **We** will pay for **your** legal liability as owner or occupier for any amounts **you** become legally liable to pay as damages for **bodily injury**; damage to property caused by an accident happening at the **premises** during the **period of insurance**, is deleted and replaced with:

We will pay for **your** legal liability as owner or occupier for any amounts **you** become legally liable to pay as damages for:

- bodily injury;
- damage to property

caused by an accident happening in the holiday home during the period of insurance.

#### SC42 Ground Floor and/or Basement Storage Flood Exclusion

Section one: Buildings or Section two: Contents, Insured event 3 (Storm, flood or weight of snow), under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

- a) Loss or damage caused by Flood to contents of basement storage areas.
- b) Loss or damage caused by inundation or invasion of water following Storm, torrential rain or downpour to contents of ground floor and/or basement storage areas.

#### SC43 Oil fired appliance, oil tank and associated equipment/ pipework inspection clause

We will not pay for any loss, damage or liability arising from an escape of oil unless the oil fired appliances, the oil tank and associated equipment/ pipework are inspected and maintained on an annual basis by an OFTEC registered engineer or technician.

### The following clauses apply <u>only</u> if they are mentioned in **your schedule**.

#### SC46 Trampoline Exclusion: Liability Exclusion

Section three: Accidents to Domestic Staff and Section four: Legal liability to the Public, under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

From you, your domestic staff or your tenant(s) owning or using a trampoline.

#### SC47 Freestanding Hot Tubs

The limit as stated within Section two: Contents in respect of **contents** outside the **holiday home** but within the **premises** is increased by  $\pounds$ *<insert value>* to include a Hot Tub.

We will not pay for any loss or damage caused by:

- escape of water:
- to the installation itself; or
- if the installation is outdoors or in an outbuilding, unless the installation is connected to a domestic heating boiler protected by a frost-stat device;
- accidental damage.

We will not pay for any loss, damage or liability arising from the ownership or usage of the hot tub, unless the hot tub is used, maintained and serviced in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

For further guidance on how to comply with **your** legal duties, please see attached link: <u>https://www.hse.gov.uk/legionnaires/spa-pools.htm</u>

# SC54 Sauna/ steam room – requirement to use, maintain or service in accordance with manufacturer's instructions.

Section 3 – Legal Liability to the Public and Section 4 – Accidents to Domestic Staff, under What is NOT covered, the following is added:

We will not pay for your legal liability arising from the ownership or the usage of the sauna/ steam room unless:

- the sauna/ steam room is used, maintained and serviced in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions;
- the sauna/ steam room door must have an internal handle to allow the guest or user to exit the room when required.
- health and safety information and instructions for usage have been supplied to the guests.