

Professions and Specialty Commercial – Endorsement

IMPORTANT NOTICE: CHANGES TO YOUR POLICY DUE TO BREXIT

As a result of the likely departure of the United Kingdom from the European Union (Brexit), **we** have had to make some changes to how **our** policies are underwritten from 1st January 2019.

Please note that the changes referred to in this notice do not affect the cover provided under the policy.

Previously **our** policies were underwritten by Hiscox Underwriting Ltd (HUL) as an intermediary on behalf of the insurers shown in the schedule. Most sections of the policies were insured by Hiscox Insurance Company Limited (HIC), although some sections were insured by other insurers, as detailed on the schedule.

As a result of Brexit, sections of **our** policies that were previously insured by HIC are now insured by Hiscox SA (HSA) directly. HUL will no longer act as intermediary. HSA is an insurance company in the Hiscox group, domiciled and regulated in Luxembourg.

As a result of the change of insurer from HIC to HSA, **we** have had to make a number of changes to the way in which **our** policies are administered, including how complaints are dealt with.

In order to reflect these changes, the following amendments are made to **your policy**, including the schedule:

	Amended to read:
References to Hiscox Insurance Company Limited:	Hiscox SA
Address:	Hiscox SA registered head office: Avenue John F. Kennedy 35F 1855 Luxembourg LUXEMBOURG Local branch office: Hiscox SA (Irish branch) The Observatory 7-11 Sir John Rogerson's Quay Dublin 2 D02 VC42 REPUBLIC OF IRELAND Website: https://Hiscox.ie
Company number:	Hiscox SA: Registered in Luxembourg with Trade and Company Register Luxembourg (RCS Luxembourg): registration number B217018 Hiscox SA (Irish branch): Registered in Republic of Ireland with Companies Registration Office: company number 908764
Regulator:	Hiscox SA is subject to the supervision of the Commissariat aux Assurances Local branch regulator: Central Bank of Ireland
Signatory:	Richard O'Dwyer Managing Director, Hiscox SA (Irish branch)
Contact number and email address for Customer Relations	<u>Customer relations:</u> customerrelations.ireland@hiscox.com +353 1 238 1810
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Complaints:	<p>Customer Relations Hiscox SA (Irish branch) The Observatory 7-11 Sir John Rogerson's Quay Dublin 2 D02 VC42 REPUBLIC OF IRELAND</p> <p>or by telephone on +353 1 238 1810 or +353 1800 901 903 (free toll number), or by email at customerrelations.ireland@hiscox.com.</p>
Complaints (regulator):	<p>If you remain dissatisfied after the internal dispute resolution process, you may have the right to refer your complaint to the Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman.</p> <p>The Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman (FSPO) is an independent, impartial, fair and free service that helps resolves complaints with pensions providers and regulated financial services providers.</p> <p>Contact details: Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman Lincoln House Lincoln Place Dublin DO2 VH29</p> <p>Phone: +353 1 567 7000 Email: info@fspo.ie Web: www.fspo.ie</p> <p>If you have purchased your policy online you can also make a complaint via the EU's online dispute resolution (ODR) platform. The website for the ODR platform is: http://ec.europa.eu/odr.</p> <p>Alternatively, you can also contact:</p> <p>Commissariat aux Assurances 7, boulevard Joseph II L-1840 Luxembourg LUXEMBOURG e-mail: caa@caa.lu</p> <p>Insurance Ombudsman ACA, 12, rue Erasme, L - 1468 Luxembourg LUXEMBOURG Phone: +352 44 21 44 1 Fax: +352 44-02-89 e-mail: mediateur@aca.lu</p>
In addition, any references to Hiscox Underwriting Ltd in your policy are removed.	

Property – money

Policy wording

The General terms and conditions, the Property definitions and the following terms and conditions all apply to this section.

Please read the schedule to see whether **money** is insured whilst at each of the locations shown below.

Special definitions for this section

Excluded location

Any location individually stated under Excluded locations in the Property – money section of the schedule.

What is covered

We will insure **you**, up to the **amount insured** stated in the schedule for each location listed below, against **damage** occurring during the **period of insurance** to **money**:

1. in any **specified or unspecified insured premises** while open for operation or in a locked safe;
2. in any **specified or unspecified insured premises** while not open for operation and not in a locked safe;
3. at the home of any partner, director, trustee, committee member, employee or volunteer of **yours** in the **United Kingdom**;
4. in transit within the **geographical limits** by road, rail, water, air or in person, including while being loaded, unloaded and temporarily housed overnight away from the **specified or unspecified insured premises** in the course of transit;
5. at any location within the **geographical limits** where **you** are attending a promotional event or exhibition in connection with **your** activities;
6. at any location within the **geographical limits** where **you** have a contract to carry out **your** activities;
7. at any other location within the **geographical limits**;
8. at any location individually stated in the Property – money section of the schedule. If **we** provide such cover, **we** will not cover **you** under **What is covered**, 1. to 7. above.

Additional cover

The following is also provided up to the amount stated in the schedule:

Personal assault following robbery or attempted robbery

Compensation as stated in the schedule if any director, partner, trustee, committee member, employee or volunteer of **yours** is physically injured in the course of **your** activities in a robbery or attempted robbery within the **geographical limits** occurring during the **period of insurance** and dies or is permanently disabled solely and directly as a result of the injury within two years from the date it happened. This cover only applies to people aged between 16 and 70 at the start of the **period of insurance**.

What is not covered

We will not make any payment for:

1. **damage** caused by wear and tear, rot, fungus, mould, vermin or infestation, or any gradually operating cause.
2. **damage** caused by theft from any **unattended vehicle** unless the **money** is completely hidden within the storage compartment, boot or trailer of the vehicle and all security measures on the vehicle or trailer are fully operational.
3. **damage to money** at any **excluded location**.
4. unexplained loss or disappearance or inventory shortage.
5. loss due to clerical or accounting errors.
6. loss by fraud or dishonesty, other than the direct physical theft of **money**.
7. loss arising from any electronic funds or account balances.
8. consequential or indirect losses of any kind.
9. **war, confiscation and nuclear risks**.

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Policy wording

10. a. **damage** directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with **terrorism** or any action taken to control, prevent or respond to **terrorism**;
- b. **damage** in Northern Ireland directly or indirectly caused by civil commotion.

If there is any dispute between **you** and **us** over the application of this exclusion, it will be for **you** to show that the exclusion does not apply.

11. the amount of the **excess**.

How much we will pay

Personal assault following robbery or attempted robbery

We will pay up to the **amount insured** stated in the schedule unless limited below or in the schedule. Only one **amount insured** shall be payable for each incidence of **damage**.

We will not pay compensation under more than one heading in the schedule for the same injury.

Your obligations

If any damage occurs

We will not make any payment under this section unless **you** notify **us** promptly of any **damage** which might be covered. **You** must report to the police or relevant local authority, as soon as reasonably possible, any **damage** arising from theft, arson, malicious damage, riot or civil commotion and obtain a crime reference from them.

Money in transit

You must ensure that cash, bank and currency notes in transit with a total value:

- a. between £2,000 and £6,000 is carried by at least two able-bodied adults;
- b. between £6,000 and £10,000 is carried by at least three able-bodied adults;
- c. in excess of £10,000 is carried by a Security Industry Authority approved cash and valuables in transit company.

Please check the **policy** schedule to see what cover **you** have for **money** as it may be lower than the above limits.

We will not make any payment under this section in respect of any incident occurring whilst **you** are not in compliance with these conditions unless **you** can demonstrate that such non-compliance could not have increased the risk of the **damage** occurring in the circumstances in which it occurred.