### KEY PROTECTION INSURANCE

#### INTRODUCTION

Thank you for choosing Key Protection Insurance.

It's important that you read this wording and your policy schedule to make sure that everything you've told us is correct. Please read this policy carefully so that you understand the cover we are giving you. You must follow the terms and conditions set out in this policy wording. Please make sure that you keep this policy wording and your policy schedule in a safe place in case you need to look at them later.

This insurance is arranged by Strategic Insurance Services Limited and is underwritten by Collinson Insurance. Collinson Insurance (a trading name of Astrenska Insurance Limited) is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority in the United Kingdom, under Firm Reference Number 202846. Registered in England number 01708613.

Strategic Insurance Services Limited (FCA number 307133) are authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. These details can be checked on the Financial Services Register by visiting: www.fca.org.uk.

In return for the payment of **your** premium **we** will provide the insurance cover detailed in this policy document, subject to the terms, conditions, and limitations shown below or as amended in writing by **us** and during the **period of insurance**.

### CONSUMER INSURANCE ACT

You are required by the provisions of the Consumer Insurance (Disclosure and Representations) Act to take care to:

- a) Supply accurate and complete answers to all the questions **we** or the selling broker may ask as part of **your** application for cover under the policy.
- b) To make sure that all information supplied as part of your application for cover is true and correct.
- c) Tell us of any changes to the answers you have given as soon as possible.

Failure to provide answers in-line with the requirement of the Act may mean that **your** policy is invalid and that it does not operate in the event of a claim.

## **COOLING OFF PERIOD**

You have the right to cancel this policy within 14 days of the date of issue or receipt of the terms and conditions, whichever is later. We will refund to you any premium you have paid to us. You can cancel this policy after 14 days, but we will not give you back any premium.

To cancel this policy please contact the broker who sold it to you.

# JURISDICTION AND LAW

This insurance will be governed by the laws of England, whose courts alone shall have jurisdiction in any dispute arising from this insurance.

## **DEFINITIONS**

Where **we** explain what a word means, that word will be highlighted in **bold** print and will have the same meaning wherever it is used in this policy.

Annual Claim Limit The most we will pay in the period of insurance as shown in your policy schedule.

Claims Administrators Davies Group.

**Duplicate Key** A spare key for **your** home or vehicle.

**Emergency Situation** A dependent is left alone and unsupervised, or if there is serious or immediate

danger to you or your vehicle, home or belongings.

Immediate Family

Member

Husband, wife, civil partner, live-in partner and their parents, children,

stepchildren, adult children, or adult stepchildren.

**Insured Event** The loss, theft or accidental damage of an **insured key**, or an **insured key** locked

inside your home or vehicle during the period of insurance.

**Insured Key**House keys, vehicle keys and personal **property** keys that belong to **you**, apart from

those given to you by others, such as a friend, neighbour or relative.

**Locksmith Charges** Charges relating to work carried out by a locksmith.

New Locks New locks fitted or changes to the existing locks to enable a new key to replace an

insured key.

Onward Transport Costs Transport costs for getting you and your vehicle to your original destination or your

home, up to a maximum of £75.

**Period of Insurance** The period stated in **your policy schedule** that this policy is in force for.

Policyholder The person named in your policy schedule.

Policy Schedule The separate document we send you that includes details about you and what you

are covered for.

Property Any property or item that belongs to the policyholder and that your insured key

unlocks.

**Replacement Key** A key to replace an **insured key** and includes any reprogramming of infrared

handsets, immobilisers, and alarms that is required following the replacement of the

insured key.

**Territorial Limits** United Kingdom, Channel Islands, Isle of Man, and the European Union.

We/Us/Our/Insurer Collinson Insurance.

You/Your The policyholder and any immediate family member permanently living at the same

address as the policyholder.

### WHAT IS COVERED

If an insured key is lost, accidentally damaged or stolen, we will pay up to the values shown in the table below.

What Is Covered		We	We Will Not Pay	
1.	Locksmith Charges:  We will pay up to the annual claim limit for locksmith charges if an insured key is lost, stolen, accidentally damaged, or locked in your home or vehicle and you are unable to access your home, vehicle, or property.	•	Any charges or costs incurred for the attendance of a locksmith or other tradesman at a particular location, and you are not there.  Any charges to gain entry to your home or vehicle where you have access to a duplicate key unless you are in an emergency situation.	
2.	New Locks (including reprogramming of immobilisers, infrared handsets, and alarms): We will pay up to the annual claim limit for new locks if there is a security risk to your home, vehicle, or property due to the loss/theft of an insured key.	•	For replacement locks of a higher standard or specification than those needing to be replaced. For locks which are damaged before the loss, theft, or accidental damage of an <b>insured key</b> .	
3.	Replacement Keys: We will pay up to the annual claim limit for replacement keys (including any immobiliser, infrared handset and/or alarm which is integral to any insured key) if an insured key is lost by, stolen from, or accidently damaged by you.	•	For more than two keys per lock, per claim.  For <b>replacement keys</b> of a higher standard or specification than those needing to be replaced.	
4.	Onward Transport Costs:  We will pay up to £75 per claim for onward transport costs if you have no access to your vehicle and you are away from your home due to lost, stolen, or broken insured keys.	•	More than £75 per claim for <b>onward transport costs</b> .	
5.	<b>Vehicle Hire: We</b> will pay up to £40 per day, for up to three days, if <b>you</b> are unable to use <b>your</b> vehicle due to the loss or theft of an <b>insured key</b> .	•	More than £40 per day for a hire vehicle.  Vehicle hire charges after the third day of hire.	
6.	Accommodation Costs:	•	More than £120 per claim for accommodation costs.	

We will pay hotel or accommodation costs if you have no access to your home up to a maximum of £120 per claim due to the loss or theft of an insured key.

### WHAT IS NOT COVERED (EXCLUSIONS)

- 1. Any amount over the **annual claim limit** within the **period of insurance**.
- 2. Sums claimed for more than the values detailed in the table above.
- 3. Any insured event that you don't report to the claims administrators within 30 days of discovering it.
- 4. Any insured event outside of the territorial limits.
- 5. Any claim you don't provide valid receipts or invoices for within 120 days of the insured event.
- 6. Any claim for the theft of **your insured key(s)** unless **you** have reported the theft to the police and got a crime reference number.
- 7. More than two **replacement keys** per lock.
- 8. Insured keys lost or stolen from someone other than you.
- 9. Any associated costs (other than the cost of replacing the insured key) where duplicate keys are available.
- 10. Loss of any belongings other than an **insured key** and its associated lock or ignition system, infra-red handsets, immobilisers, and alarms attached to an **insured key**.
- 11. Any loss of earnings or profits which you suffer as a result of the loss or theft of an insured key.
- 12. Claims arising from any deliberate or criminal act or omission by you.
- 13. Loss or theft of an insured key which occurs outside the period of insurance.
- 14. Claims arising as a result of your failure to take all necessary steps to safeguard an insured key.
- 15. Any claim resulting from war and/or terrorism.
- 16. Loss caused by radiation, radioactive contamination or the hazardous properties of any explosive, corrosive, invasive or toxic substance or material.

## **CONDITIONS APPLICABLE**

- 1. Right of Recovery we can take proceedings in your name but at our expense to recover for our benefit the amount of any payment made under this policy.
- 2. Other Insurance If **you** were covered by any other insurance following the **insured event**, which resulted in a valid claim under this policy, **we** will only pay **our** proportionate share of the claim.
- 3. This insurance is only valid if **you** are a permanent resident of the United Kingdom (England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland), Channel Islands or the Isle of Man.
- 4. We have the right to approach any third party in relation to your claim.
- 5. We shall not provide cover or be liable to pay any claim or other sums, including return premiums, where this would expose us to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations resolutions, asset freezing or trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom, and/or all other jurisdictions where we transact business.

## **HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM**

Your Key Protection claim will be handled on the insurer's behalf by Davies Group Limited.

To make a **Key Protection** claim, go to:

#### https://keyclaims.davies-group.com

It's the fastest and easiest way to submit **your** claim. If **you** don't have internet access, call **us** on 0344 856 2270 to inform **us** about **your** claim.

# Supporting documents

When you make a car key claim, you must send a copy of the V5 (or relevant registered keeper document issued by the DVLA) or if you have not been given the V5, a contract or lease agreement containing the registration number of your vehicle.

When **you** make a claim in respect of other keys, **we** may, at our discretion, ask for supporting documents, such as, but not limited to evidence of address.

#### Theft

We will not deal with theft claims if you haven't reported it to the Police and/or don't have a crime reference number.

## Maximum number of claims

You can make as many claims as you need to within the **period of insurance**. The most **we** will pay in each **period of insurance** will not exceed the **annual claim limit**.

#### **CLAIMS SETTLEMENT**

Your claim will be handled on a 'pay and claim' basis. You will have to pay the costs upfront and then we will pay you back once you have sent us valid receipts/invoices.

If a duplicate key exists, we will only reimburse you for the cost of the replacement key, unless you are in an emergency situation. In which case we will reimburse you for the costs incurred subject to the terms and conditions of this policy.

## **CANCELLATION BY US**

We shall not be bound to accept renewal of any insurance and may at any time cancel any insurance policy by giving 14 days' notice in writing where there is a valid reason for doing so. A cancellation letter will be sent to you at your last known address.

Valid reasons may include but are not limited to:

- a) Where we reasonably suspect fraud.
- b) Non-payment of premium.
- c) Threatening and abusive behaviour.
- d) Non-compliance with policy terms and conditions.
- e) You have not taken reasonable care to provide complete and accurate answers to the questions we ask.

Where **our** investigations provide evidence of fraud or a serious non-disclosure, **we** may cancel the policy immediately and backdate the cancellation to the date of the fraud or the date when **you** provided **us** with incomplete or inaccurate information, which may result in **your** policy being cancelled from the date **you** originally took it out.

If we cancel the policy and/or any additional covers you will receive a refund of any premiums you have paid for the cancelled cover, less a proportionate deduction for the time we have provided cover, unless the reason for cancellation is fraud and/or we are entitled to keep the premium under the Consumer Insurances (Disclosure and Representations) Act 2012.

#### **FRAUD**

You must not act in a fraudulent way. If you or anyone acting for you:

- Fails to reveal or hides a fact likely to influence whether **we** accept your proposal, **your** renewal, or any adjustment to **your** policy.
- Fails to reveal or hides a fact likely to influence the cover we provide.
- Makes a statement to us or anyone acting on our behalf, knowing the statement to be false.
- Sends us or anyone acting on our behalf a document, knowing the document to be forged or false.
- Makes a claim under the policy, knowing the claim to be false or fraudulent in any way.
- Makes a claim for any loss or damage you caused deliberately or with your knowledge.

If **your** claim is in any way dishonest or exaggerated, **we** will not pay any benefit under this policy or return any premium to **you**, and **we** may cancel **your** policy immediately and backdate the cancellation to the date of the fraudulent claim. **We** may also take legal action against **you** and inform the appropriate authorities.

## **COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE**

We always strive to provide excellent service. However, if you have a complaint, please follow these steps.

- 1. If your complaint is about the sale of your policy, contact the broker who sold you the policy.
- 2. If your complaint is about a claim you made, contact Davies Group:

• Email: customer.care@davies-group.com

• Tel: 0344 856 2015

We will respond to your complaint within four weeks of receiving it. Our response will be our final decision based on the information provided. If there's a delay in our investigations, we'll explain the reason and give you an estimated timeframe for reaching a decision.

If, for any reason, you're still dissatisfied or haven't received a final answer within eight weeks, you have the right to escalate your complaint to an independent authority called the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS). You can contact them using the details below:

The Financial Ombudsman Service

Exchange Tower, 1 Harbour Exchange Square, London, E14 9SR

Telephone: 08000 234 567 (free for people calling from a landline) or 0300 123 9 123

Email: complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Following this complaints procedure does not stop you from taking legal action.

### **COMPENSATION SCHEME**

The Financial Services Compensation Scheme covers this policy. **You** may be entitled to compensation from this scheme if **we** cannot meet **our** liabilities under this policy. Further information about compensation scheme arrangements is available at www.fscs.org.uk or by telephoning 0207 741 4100.

#### **DATA PROTECTION**

### How We Use the Information About You

As a data controller, we collect and process information about you so that we can provide you with the products and services you have requested. We also receive personal information from your agent on a regular basis while your policy is still live. This will include your name, address, risk details and other information which is necessary for us to:

- Meet our contractual obligations to you.
- Issue you this insurance policy.
- Deal with any claims or requests for assistance that you may have.
- Service your policy (including claims and policy administration, payments, and other transactions).
- Detect, investigate, and prevent activities which may be illegal or could result in your policy being cancelled or treated as if it never existed.
- Protect our legitimate interests.

In order to administer **your** policy and deal with any claims, **your** information may be shared with trusted third parties. This will include members of The Collinson Group, third party administrators, contractors, investigators, crime prevention organisations and claims management organisations where they provide administration and management support on **our** behalf. Some of these companies are based outside of the European Union where different data privacy laws apply. Wherever possible, **we** will have strict contractual terms in place to make sure that **your** information remains safe and secure.

We will not share your information with anyone else unless you agree to this, or we are required to do this by our regulators (e.g., the Financial Conduct Authority) or other authorities.

The personal information **we** have collected from **you** will be shared with fraud prevention agencies and databases who will use it to prevent fraud and money-laundering and to verify **your** identity. If fraud is detected, **you** could be refused certain services, finance, or employment. Further details of how **your** information will be used by **us** and these fraud prevention agencies and databases, and **your** data protection rights, can be found by visiting https://cifas.org.uk/fpn and https://insurancefraudbureau.org/privacy-policy.

## Processing your data

Your data will generally be processed on the basis that it is:

- Necessary for the performance of the contract that you have with us.
- Is in the public or **your** vital interest: or.
- For our legitimate business interests.

If we are not able to rely on the above, we will ask for your consent to process your data.

# How we store and protect your information

All personal information collected by **us** is stored on secure servers which are either in the United Kingdom or European Union. **We** will need to keep and process **your** personal information during the period of insurance and

after this time so that **we** can meet **our** regulatory obligations or to deal with any reasonable requests from **our** regulators and other authorities.

We also have security measures in place in our offices to protect the information that you have given us.

How you can access your information and correct anything which is wrong.

You have the right to request a copy of the information that we hold about you. If you would like a copy of some or all of your personal information, please contact us by email or letter as shown below:

Email address: data.protection@collinsongroup.com Postal Address: 3 More London Riverside, London, SE1 2AQ

This will normally be provided free of charge, but in some circumstances, we may either make a reasonable charge for this service or refuse to give you this information if your request is clearly unjustified or excessive.

We want to make sure that your personal information is accurate and up to date. You may ask us to correct or remove information you think is inaccurate.

If **you** wish to make a complaint about the use of **your** personal information, please contact **our** Complaints manager using the details above. **You** can also complain directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). Further information can be found at https://ico.org.uk.