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WEDDING INSURANCE

**POLICY**  
**WORDING**

## Your policy wording – Contents

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### Cover Summary

The cover shown is for the **Marrying Couple** and is dependent on the cover package **you** have selected. Package upgrades and optional covers are available upon payment of an additional premium. For cover limits and sub-limits please refer to **your Schedule** and for specific excesses please refer to the excesses section below.

Cover Section	Basic	Classic	Deluxe
Cancellation	✓	✓	✓
Rearrangement	✓	✓	✓
Financial Failure of Suppliers	✓	✓	✓
Personal Liability	✓	✓	✓
Photography & Videography	✓	✓	✓
Wedding Cars & Transportation	✓	✓	✓
Ceremonial Attire	✓	✓	✓
Wedding Rings, Flowers & Cake	x	✓	✓
Wedding Gifts	x	✓	✓
Overseas Essential Documents	x	✓	✓
Professional Counselling	x	x	✓
Wedding Stationery	x	x	✓
<b>Optional Covers (if selected):</b>			
Marquee Hire			
Public Liability for Guests			
Ceremonial Swords Cover			

### Policy Excesses

Under most sections of the policy, claims will be subject to an excess. The excess will be applied per section and per incident under which a claim is made. This means that **you** will be responsible for the first part of the claim. For applicable excesses please refer to **your Schedule** or see a copy of the wording below:

An **EXCESS** is applicable to most sections of the policy;  
 Section 3: Personal Liability for the Marrying Couple £250  
 Section 9: Overseas Essential Documents £0  
 Section 12: Optional Marquee Hire £100  
 Section 13: Optional Public Liability for the Guests £250  
**All other sections £50**

### How to Make a Claim

If **you** need to make a claim, please let **us** know as soon as possible by contacting **us** in one of the following ways;

- Call **us** on **03334009986**
- Email **us** at [propertyclaims@innovation.group](mailto:propertyclaims@innovation.group)
- Write to **us** at  
 Innovation Property (UK) Ltd  
 1300 Parkway  
 Whitley  
 PO15 7AE

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### For Liability Claims

- Call **us** on 03432270844
- Email **us** at [bspoke@kennedyslaw.com](mailto:bspoke@kennedyslaw.com)

Write to **us** at Kennedys Law LLP  
6 Queen Street  
Leeds  
LS1 2TW

On all correspondence please tell **us you** are insured by Bspoke Underwriting Ltd for **Save the Date Wedding Insurance** and provide the unique policy number from **your Schedule**. This will help **us** to validate **your** policy details and deal with **your** claim as quickly as possible.

## Important Information

This policy is a legal contract of insurance between **you** and **us**. It is not **our** intention that the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 gives anyone else any rights under this policy or the right 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 Act.

The following are elements for the contract of insurance between **you** and **us** based on information **you** have provided to **us**. Please read them carefully and if **you** require any amendments please return them to **your** broker for correction. Keep the policy safe in case **You** need to refer to it.

- **Your** policy,
- The **schedule**,
- Endorsements.

It is important that **you**:

- tell **us** about any material circumstances which affect **your** insurance and which have occurred since the policy started
- check that the Sections **you** have requested are included in the **schedule**;
- check that the information **you** have given **us** is accurate;
- comply with **your** duties under each Section and the insurance as a whole.

A circumstance is material if it would influence **our** judgement in determining whether to provide the cover and, if so, on what terms. If **you** are not sure whether a circumstance is material ask **your** insurance adviser. If **you** fail to tell **us** it could affect the extent of cover provided under the policy.

### The Agreement

In consideration of the payment of the premium, **we** will compensate **you** by payment, or at **our** option, by reinstatement or repair in respect of damage, accident, or injury occurring in connection with the Business during the **period of insurance**, subject to the terms, Conditions and Exclusions contained in or endorsed on the policy.

**You** must notify Save the Date as soon as possible if any of the information in **your** policy documents is incorrect or if **you** wish to make a change to **your** policy. If **you** do not provide accurate and complete answers to the questions **you** are asked, or **you** fail to notify Save the Date of any incorrect information or changes **you** wish to make **your** policy may not operate in the event of a claim, **we** may not pay any claim in full or **your** policy could be invalid.

**You** must tell Save the Date as soon as possible about any changes to the information **you** provided when **you** purchased this policy, for example:

- If the cost of **your wedding** changes
  - If the date or location of **your wedding** and/or **wedding reception** changes
- (Please note in these instances an additional premium may be applicable).

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This is not an exhaustive list and any changes **you** tell **us** about may affect **your** cover or result in a change to **your** premium. If **you** are unsure whether a change may affect **your** cover, please contact Save the Date.

### Your Insurer

Save the Date is a trading name of Arma Karma Limited, registered office Innovation Centre, Knowledge Gateway, Boundary Road, Colchester, England, CO4 3ZQ, registered in England and Wales (Registered company number 12002692). Arma Karma Limited is an appointed representative (FRN 925873) of Innovative Risk Labs Ltd, a company authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (FRN 609155).

This insurance is arranged by Arma Karma Limited (Trading as Save the Date) and underwritten by Bspoke Underwriting Ltd on behalf of Accelerant Insurance UK Limited which is registered in England and Wales with the company number of 03326800 and the registered office of One Fleet Place, London, EC4M 7WS. Its trading address is Lodge Park Business Centre, Lodge Lane, Langham, Colchester, CO4 5NE. Accelerant Insurance UK Limited is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and the Prudential Regulation Authority (firm reference number: 207658)

Bspoke Underwriting Ltd is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. Firm Reference No. 310101. **You** can check **our** details on the Financial Services Register <https://register.fca.org.uk/>.

### Your Claims Administrator

Your Claims Administrator is Innovation Property (UK) Ltd.

### Complaints Procedure

If **you** have any cause for complaint regarding this insurance, please refer to the complaint section on page 30.

### Your Right to Cancel

If **you** are unhappy with **your** policy for any reason **you** have the right to cancel within 14 days of receiving **your** policy and have **your** full premium refunded providing the **wedding** has not taken place and/ or no claims have been made or are pending. Thereafter **you** may cancel the insurance policy at any time by informing **us** however no refund of premium will be payable.

Full details regarding **your** right to cancel are available on page 32.

### Policy Limits

All sections of **your** policy have limits on the amount **we** will pay under that section. Sometimes there are limits within the section for specific items. Please refer to **your** **Schedule** document for full details.

**Geographical Limits** –This policy applies to **Weddings** taking place anywhere in the world except for the following circumstances;

There is no cover for **Weddings** or **wedding receptions** taking place outside of the **United Kingdom** or **The Continent of Europe** for the following sections;

- Section 3 - Personal Liability for the Marrying Couple

There is no cover for **Weddings** or **wedding receptions** taking place outside of the **United Kingdom** under the following sections;

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- Section 12 – Optional Marquee Hire
- Section 13 – Optional Public Liability for Guests
- Section 14 – Optional Ceremonial Sword cover

## Accessibility & Alternative Formats

This policy and other documentation are also available in large print, audio and Braille. If **you** require any of these formats, please contact Save the Date.

## Care & Unattended Property

**You** must exercise care to prevent illness or injury and prevent loss or damage to **your** property. There is no cover for property left unattended in a place to which the general public has access.

## Salvage

Where **we** settle any part of **your** claim **we** may, at **our** discretion, take ownership of **your** property or agree a reduction in **your** claim so **you** can retain ownership.

## Pre-Existing Medical Conditions

The policy does not cover any claims caused by or arising from any of the following situations relating to the **Marrying couple**, their **close relative** or any person upon whom the cost of the **Wedding** or **wedding services** depends if, at the point when **you** buy the policy;

- a) anyone has been given a terminal prognosis.
- b) anyone is acting against medical advice.
- c) anyone is on a waiting list for hospital treatment
- d) anyone is awaiting the results of any tests or medical investigations.

## IMPORTANT NOTE ON CORONAVIRUS

**We** draw **Your** attention to the exclusions detailed in the 'General Exclusions' section, in particular exclusion 30 on page 29 as this policy will not provide cover for any loss, damage, claim, cost(s) expense or other sums, directly or indirectly caused by, arising or resulting from, or in connection with any pandemic, epidemic, outbreak of disease or public health emergency, as declared by the World Health Organisation (WHO), a national government agency/ body, local authorities, or any officially recognised body. This policy also offers no cover for any disease, illness or conditions that is caused by or transmitted by means of any substance or agent from any organism to another organism (human or otherwise) where the substance or agent includes, but is not limited to any pathogen, virus, bacterium, parasite, fungus or other organism, microorganism or any mutation or variation thereof, whether deemed living or not, and whether transmitted directly or indirectly by means of airborne transmission, bodily fluid transmission, transmission from or to any surface or object, solid, liquid or gas or between organisms.

## WEDDING CLAIMS HELPLINE: 03334009986

Full details of how to make a claim are shown on pages 3 and 4.

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### Conditions and Exclusions

General conditions and general exclusions will apply to the whole of your policy. These are detailed in full on pages 27, 28 and 29 but some of the key points are highlighted here; This insurance does not cover:

- Any actual or alleged loss, damage, liability, injury, sickness, cost or expense, regardless of any other cause contributing concurrently or in any sequence, in any way caused by or resulting directly or indirectly from infectious or contagious disease.
- Deciding not to proceed with the marriage or register the civil partnership and/or associated celebrations are not circumstances covered by this policy.
- Any claims caused by or arising from any of the following situations relating to the **marrying couple**, their **close relative** or any person upon whom the cost of the **wedding** or **wedding services** depends if, at the point when **you** buy the policy;
  - a) anyone has been given a terminal prognosis.
  - b) anyone is acting against medical advice.
  - c) anyone is on a waiting list for hospital treatment
  - d) anyone is awaiting the results of any tests or medical investigations.
- This policy does not cover claims arising from incidents involving;
  - a) bouncy castles or other inflatables
  - b) fireworks or other pyrotechnic devices or effects If **you** are intending to arrange this type of entertainment, **we** would recommend that **you** consider additional specialist liability insurance.
- This policy does not offer cover when **you** know, when buying this policy, that there is already a problem that may lead to a claim.
- This policy does not offer cover for **your** financial circumstances or those of any person or company on whom the wedding arrangements depend, except as provided for in Part 1 | Cancellation Point 7.
- Either one of the **Marrying couple** must be resident in the UK, have been living permanently in the UK for at least six months prior to the purchase of this policy and be registered with a local medical practitioner.
- In the event of a claim, contracts for goods and services must be evidenced in writing directly between **you** and **your** individual suppliers. For example, there is no cover for wedding planning services where the planner is responsible for paying on monies to other suppliers.

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### Definition of Words

Wherever the following words or phrases appear in **bold** within this policy they will always have the same meaning.

#### **Additional Costs**

Any extra charges incurred due to the rearrangement of **wedding services** and/or **wedding reception**. These costs represent the financial difference between the original cost of the planned **wedding services** and/or **wedding reception**, and the cost associated with their rearrangement.

#### **Adverse Weather**

Weather conditions that are such that they cause major disruption to travel services i.e. rail, road or bus, thus severely affecting the ability of **you** and/or **your close relatives** to reach the **wedding** or **wedding reception**.

#### **Ancillary Equipment**

Staging, chairs, tables and portable toilets. (for marquee cover only)

#### **Attendants**

Non-professional participants in the **wedding**, traditionally assistants of the **marrying couple**.

#### **Bodily Injury**

Injury caused by external and visible means.

#### **Ceremonial Attire**

Clothing and accessories of the **marrying couple**, **attendants** and the parents of the **marrying couple**, whether hired or owned, excluding **ceremonial swords**.

#### **Ceremonial Swords**

Hired swords or daggers and accompanying regalia.

#### **Close Relative**

**Your** spouse, partner, fiancé(e), parent, parent-in-law, stepparent, son, son-in-law, step-son, daughter, daughter-in-law, step-daughter, grandparent, grandson, granddaughter, brother, brother-in-law, stepbrother, sister, sister-in-law or step-sister.

#### **Consequential Loss**

Any other costs that are directly or indirectly caused by the event which led to **your** claim. An example of such loss would be the loss of earnings following **Bodily Injury** or illness.

#### **Continent of Europe**

Albania, Andorra, Austria, Belarus, Belgium, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Faroe Islands, Finland, France, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy including Vatican, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Malta, Moldova, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal including Madeira, Republic of Ireland, Romania, San Marino, Serbia and Montenegro, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain including Balearics and Canaries, Sweden, Switzerland, Turkey. Any country which is a member of the European Union.

#### **Deposits**

Means the initial amount paid to secure the services of a **wedding service** supplier. This is the minimum amount required by the supplier as part of the contractual agreement to ensure their services for **your wedding**.

#### **Essential Documents**

The documentation required by the relevant foreign authority to enable the **wedding** to take place as booked outside the **United Kingdom**, and shall include, but not be limited to, visas, birth certificates and Passports.

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### **Financial Failure**

The bankruptcy, compulsory liquidation, insolvency, compulsory winding-up and/or the appointment of a receiver or administrator resulting in the inability of the **wedding service** supplier being able to provide the service which it was contracted to provide.

### **Home**

Your permanent residential address in the **UK**.

### **Marquee**

Shall mean the hired marquee, tent, gazebo, tepee, wigwam, papakata or summer house arrangement and any **ancillary equipment** hired to use alongside the marquee.

### **Marrying Couple**

The couple entering into the contract of marriage, blessing, renewal of vows or civil partnership.

### **Medical Practitioner**

A UK registered practising member of the medical profession who is not related to **you**.

### **Period of Insurance**

As specifically defined on **your Schedule**.

### **Property Insured**

The **marquee** as defined, together with **ancillary equipment** hired or leased by **you**, solely for the purpose of **your wedding** and for which **you** are responsible.

### **Relevant Authority**

Any official body that possesses the legal right to order the closure of **your** booked **wedding** and/or **wedding reception** venue due to specific, unforeseen circumstances at the venue itself (e.g., the Fire Brigade in case of fire safety concerns). However, this definition does not extend to cover mass venue closures or temporary service suspensions ordered by government legislation or decrees.

### **Resident**

Your main residence must be in the **UK**, **you** must have been living permanently in the **UK** for at least six months prior to the purchase of this policy and **you** must be registered with a local **medical practitioner** in the **UK**.

### **Schedule**

The document which shows **your** unique policy number, the names of those insured and the date/s of **your wedding** and/or **wedding reception**. It attaches to and should be read in conjunction with this policy wording.

### **United Kingdom**

England, Wales, Scotland and Northern Ireland.

### **We, Our, Us**

Bspoke Underwriting Ltd on behalf of Accelerant Insurance UK Limited.

### **Wedding(s)**

A ceremony which creates a contract of marriage or civil partnership which is legally enforceable within the **United Kingdom** occurring on the **wedding date**. Or, for the purposes of this insurance, a similar single, specific event/ceremony/blessing arranged to celebrate a marriage or renewal of vows conducted by an officiating minister.

### **Wedding Date**

The day specified to **us** and shown in the **Schedule** for the **wedding** to take place.

### **Wedding Gifts**

Gifts for the **marrying couple** presented for the purposes of celebrating the **wedding**.

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### **Wedding Reception(s)**

The social gathering held in celebration of the **wedding**. This can include, but is not limited to, room hire, catering, and entertainment.

### **Wedding Rings**

The ring(s) exchanged by the **marrying couple** at the **wedding**.

### **Wedding Services**

Shall mean the providers of professional photography and/or professional video operation; floral arrangements; wedding planning services (excludes responsibility for paying suppliers on **your** behalf), venue dressers and decorators, hired cars or transport; toastmaster; venue; **wedding** cake; **ceremonial attire**; catering; DJ/disco; band/musician or paid entertainment contracted directly by **you** to provide services at the **wedding** or **wedding reception**.

### **You, Your(s)**

The **marrying couple** named in the **Schedule** or, for the purposes of certain sections, and where appropriate, the person upon whom the cost of the **wedding** or **wedding services** depends.

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## Your Policy Cover

### Section 1 | Cancellation or Rearrangement of Your Wedding and/or Reception

If **your wedding** can no longer go ahead, **you** will need to choose whether to cancel **your wedding** or to rearrange it. If **you** choose to cancel the **wedding**, the intention of the policy is to pay for any costs that **you** have incurred to date which cannot be recovered from any other source. If **you** choose to re-arrange **your wedding**, we will pay reasonable **additional costs** incurred to amend **your** existing arrangements to meet **your** new requirements. **We** cannot consider claims made under both the cancellation and rearrangements parts of this section of cover.

Cover under Section 1 commences from the date the premium is paid and applies until the completion of the **wedding** and/or **wedding reception**, as detailed on **your Schedule**, or a claim being made under Section 1, whichever occurs first.

#### **IMPORTANT:**

**You** can only claim once under Section 1 Part 1 for Cancellation. All cover under this policy will cease once a claim has been paid under this section of the policy.

If **you** make a claim in relation to Section 1 Part 2 for Rearrangement, then this section of the policy is used and **you** can no longer use this section for the rearranged wedding(s) or any future wedding(s). All other sections will remain in force until the date of the rearranged wedding(s).

### Part 1 | Cancellation

#### **WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:**

**We** will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule**, for any irrecoverable expenses incurred by **you** in respect of **ceremonial attire**, flowers, photographs, caterers, transport, accommodation for **you** and **your close relatives** and the services from any other **wedding services** supplier booked but not used as a direct result of the unavoidable cancellation of the **wedding** or **wedding reception** as a result of:

- 1) closure by a **relevant authority** which prevents **your wedding** or **wedding reception** taking place.
- 2) damage to the venue
- 3) murder or suicide at the venue
- 4) the death, injury or sickness of **you** or **your close relative** which would make continuance of the **wedding** inappropriate.
- 5) the total non-appearance on the **wedding** day of any booked and paid for professional **wedding services** which prevents **your wedding** or **wedding reception** from taking place.
- 6) Accidental complete loss of or damage to **ceremonial attire** to be worn by the **marrying couple** that occurs up to 1 month prior to the **wedding** and which renders the items unwearable and the purchase or hire of alternatives is not possible.
- 7) redundancy, where consultation commences or notice is received at least 8 weeks after the issue of the policy and qualifying for payment under the current redundancy legislation, of **you** or any of **your close relatives** who would have made proven, significant, financial contributions on which the **wedding** arrangements depend. For clarification, any redundancy directly or indirectly arising from an enforced government lockdown is not covered.
- 8) the unforeseen posting overseas of **you** or **your close relative** which occurs during the **period of insurance** as a result of being a serving member of the UK armed forces or unavoidable and necessary duty for the Ambulance Service or health service, Coastguard, Fire Brigade or Police Personnel.
- 9) the non-appearance of the officiating minister or registrar.
- 10) the inability of **you** and/or **your close relatives** to reach the **wedding** or **wedding reception** venue due to **adverse weather** conditions.

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### Part 2 | Rearrangement

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

In the event of cancellation of the **wedding**, **wedding reception** or **wedding services** for reasons specified in Part 1 above, **we** will pay up to the amount detailed in **your Schedule** to reimburse **you** for reasonable **additional costs** incurred in rearranging the **wedding** and/or **wedding reception** and/or **wedding services** to a similar standard to that catered for by the original budget. **We** would expect services of a similar standard to not exceed the original invoiced costs by more than 25%. For example: if **your** wedding was £10,000 **we** would expect the difference in costs to not exceed £2,500.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR UNDER PART 1 AND PART 2:

**We** will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
- 2) any **additional costs** and expenses that have not been notified to **us** and agreed in advance of the rearranged **wedding**
- 3) any claim arising directly or indirectly from:
  - a) financial losses recoverable from any other source
  - b) government regulation or act in regard to mass venue closures or temporary suspension of goods and/or services provided by the booked venue and **wedding services** suppliers.
  - c) strikes or labour disputes
  - d) unemployment, other than redundancy as specified in Part 1 | Cancellation Point 7
  - e) **your** financial circumstances or those of any person or company on whom the **wedding** arrangements depend, except as provided for in Part 1 | Cancellation Point 7
  - f) **wedding** arrangements not honoured by **your** employer, other than as provided in section Part 1 | Cancellation Point 8
  - g) deciding not to continue with the contract of marriage or civil partnership as agreed or failure to comply with legal requirements or **your** failure to obtain the relevant legal documentation
  - h) failure to notify the provider of any goods or service immediately it is found necessary to cancel the **wedding** or **wedding reception**
  - i) claims made under both parts of this section of cover
  - j) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**

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### Section 2 | Financial Failure of Suppliers

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

Following the **financial failure** of any **wedding service** supplier contracted and paid for by **you**, **we** will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** for the **deposits you** have directly paid to them that cannot be recovered.

Cover under this section starts from the date **you** pay the premium and remains in effect until the completion of **your wedding** and **wedding reception** or until a claim is made under this section of the policy, whichever happens first.

IMPORTANT: Please note that any claims incurred within the initial eight weeks following the payment of the premium will not be covered under this section of the policy

**We** will only cover one claim per **wedding service** in relation to the **financial failure** of suppliers. **We** may, at **our** discretion, rely on publicly available records (such as Companies House or The Gazette) to validate the **financial failure** of **your** supplier.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

**We** will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
- 2) Any amounts recoverable from other sources
- 3) Costs that would have been incurred if the original supplier had not ceased trading
- 4) Costs resulting from the financial failure of a **wedding gifts** supplier or any supplier not contracted by and pre-paid by **you**.
- 5) Costs arising from the financial failure of a professional **wedding** planner beyond the fees paid solely for their services. **We** will not reimburse any costs paid to the **wedding services** planner to pay other **wedding service** providers not directly contracted by **you**.
- 6) Costs incurred when there is no valid written contract clearly outlining the costs, terms, and conditions between **you** and the **wedding services** supplier. Please note that verbal agreements or agreements made with a third party on **your** behalf will not be considered valid for claims purposes. It is essential to have a comprehensive written contract in place to ensure coverage.
- 7) Willful and malicious acts, as well as acts of vandalism by individuals invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**.
- 8) Any company that enters into a Company Voluntary Agreement (CVA).
- 9) The financial failure of any supplier not registered on Companies House.

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### Section 3 | Personal Liability for the Marrying Couple

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the maximum amount shown on **your Schedule** for any one claim, or series of claims occurring during, and being directly related to **your Wedding or Wedding Reception**.

We cover claims made against **You**, because of **Your** proven negligence, which result in **You** being legally responsible for causing:

- 1) accidental **bodily injury** or death to any person, or
- 2) accidental loss of, or damage to, third party property

The total amount payable includes reasonable defence costs and expenses. By this **we** mean costs incurred with **our** prior written agreement to investigate, settle or defend a claim against **you**. All claims which arise from the same single or original cause or source will be regarded as one claim.

#### IMPORTANT:

- a) This section does not provide cover for claims arising from the actions of anyone other than the **marrying couple**, except where the **marrying couple** would be held liable for them in law, for example, their child.
- b) This section does not include any additional liability accepted under a hiring or booking contract.
- c) Please note cover under this section does not apply to weddings taking place outside the **United Kingdom and The Continent of Europe**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

- 1) an excess of £250 for each and every claim arising from damage to third party property.
- 2) any liability incurred more than 24 hours before or more than 24 hours after **your Wedding or Wedding Reception**.
- 3) damage to any property belonging to **you**, or which at the time of the loss or damage is in **your** care, custody or control.
- 4) **bodily injury** to any of **your** employees or to **your** partner or to any of **your** relatives that permanently live with **you**.
- 5) that part of any claim where **your** right of recovery is restricted by any contract.
- 6) fines and contractual penalties, punitive or exemplary damages. By this **we** mean additional damages awarded by way of punishment when the defendant's behaviour was found to be particularly harmful.
- 7) **your** liability under any contract which is greater than the liability **you** would have at law without the contract.
- 8) claims where **you** are entitled to financial assistance or compensation, also known as indemnity, from another source.
- 9) claims arising out of the ownership, possession or use of motorised vehicles, yachts or motorised waterborne craft, airborne craft or aerial device of any description, animals or firearms and weapons.
- 10) any defective erection, used or dismantled by **you** or on **your** behalf, or any staging, marquees or temporary structures.
- 11) Loss or damage caused to flooring of any kind.
- 12) claims arising from any act, breach, omission or infringement **you** deliberately, spitefully, dishonestly or recklessly commit, condone or ignore which could reasonably be expected to cause injury or damage to another party.

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### Section 4 | Photography & Videos

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** to reimburse **you** for unforeseen expenses necessarily incurred to take/re-take **wedding** photographs or videos or refund any non-recoverable amount which **you** originally contracted to pay as a direct and necessary consequence of:

- 1) non-appearance at the **wedding** of the professional photographer or professional video operator contracted for the **wedding**
- 2) loss of or damage to the original film or negatives, or loss or damage to whatever digital media on which the photographic images are being stored, by the professional photographer or professional video operator contracted for the **wedding**, before copies are made
- 3) non-development of the original film or negatives or non-development of whatever digital media on which the photographic images are stored (other than as a result of under or over exposure) by the professional photographer or professional video operator contracted for the **wedding**. Cover under this section commences from the date the premium is paid and applies until delivery of the photographs or video not exceeding 12 months after the **wedding** date or a claim being made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first.
- 4) If it is planned to take photographs of the **marrying couple** cutting the **wedding** cake, **we** will pay up to the amount stated in the Cover Summary to arrange an alternative photographic session necessitated by damage to the **wedding** cake occurring within 48 hours before the conclusion of the **wedding reception**.

#### IMPORTANT:

- a) In respect of points 1), 2) and 3) above, cover will only apply if more than 75% of the photographs or video originally commissioned and paid for are not provided by the professional photographer or professional video operator contracted for the **wedding**.
- b) Any event that may lead to a claim being made for retaking the photographs of the cake-cutting ceremony must be notified to the claims service within 48 hours of the occurrence.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
- 2) losses recoverable from any other source
- 3) losses which may effectively be claimed under Section 1 of this policy
- 4) contracts which are not in writing
- 5) costs for travel and accommodation for attendees other than the **marrying couple** and their **close relatives**
- 6) the cost of retaking photos that have already been successfully developed and delivered
- 7) financial failure of any service providers. This cover is provided in Section 2
- 8) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**

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### Section 5 | Cars & Transport

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated **your Schedule** if the private hire firm or individual with whom the transport arrangements have been made fails to meet its/their contractual obligation(s). Cover under this section commences from the date the premium is paid and applies until completion of the **wedding** and **wedding reception** or a claim being made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
  - 2) losses recoverable from any other source
  - 3) losses which may be claimed under Section 1 of this policy
  - 4) contracts which are not in writing
  - 5) any costs which would have been incurred had the original supplier not failed to meet their contractual obligations
  - 6) financial failure of any service providers. This cover is provided in Section 2
- wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**

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### Section 6 | Ceremonial (Wedding) Attire

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** for:

- 1) the repair or replacement (at **our** discretion) of **ceremonial attire**, that has been purchased by **you**, if such attire is lost or damaged whilst in **your** possession or that of a **close relative** within 1 month prior to the **wedding**, and for a subsequent 48 hours thereafter
- 2) loss or damage to **ceremonial attire**, that has been hired by **you**, within 48 hours before and after the **wedding**

#### IMPORTANT:

In respect of point 2) above, an amount will be deducted in respect of hired attire to reflect previous wear and tear.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
- 2) loss or damage arising from wear or tear, moth, vermin, atmospheric or climatic condition, deterioration, depreciation, confiscation, detention or any process of cleaning, restoration or repair
- 3) loss or damage which, but for the existence of this policy, would be otherwise insured
- 4) any loss (other than by damage) not reported to the police within 24 hours of discovery
- 5) loss or damage by theft or attempted theft of any **ceremonial attire** left in any unattended vehicle, unless the property is left in the locked boot or locked glove compartment of the vehicle, concealed from view and there is evidence of visible and forcible entry which is confirmed in a Police report
- 6) financial failure of any service providers. This cover is provided in Section 2
- 7) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding or wedding reception** by **you**
- 8) loss, **theft** or damage to **ceremonial swords**.

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### Section 7 | Rings, Flowers, Attendants Gifts and Wedding Cake – Classic and Deluxe only

This Section is only applicable if shown as covered in **your Schedule**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** for loss of or damage to:

- 1) **wedding** rings
- 2) flowers
- 3) **attendants'** gifts
- 4) the **wedding** cake

Cover under this section commences;

- 1) 7 days prior to the **wedding** and expires 24 hours after the **wedding**, or when a claim is made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first, in respect of **wedding rings**
- 2) 36 hours prior to the **wedding** and expires 24 hours after the **wedding**, or when a claim is made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first, in respect of flowers and **attendants'** gifts
- 3) 36 hours prior to the **wedding reception** and expires 24 hours after the **wedding reception**, or when a claim is made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first, in respect of the flowers, **attendant's** gifts and **wedding** cake.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
- 2) theft of **wedding ring(s)**, flowers and **attendants'** gifts unless such items were removed by visible and forcible means, which is confirmed in a Police report
- 3) any loss not reported to the police within 24 hours of discovery
- 4) loss or damage which but for the existence of this policy would be otherwise insured
- 5) contracts which are not in writing
- 6) claims for loss of or damage to floral arrangements, or to the **wedding** cake, that may effectively be claimed under Section 1 of this policy
- 7) loss or damage by theft or attempted theft of any **wedding ring(s)**, flowers, **attendants'** gifts or the **wedding** cake, left in any unattended vehicle, unless the property is left in the locked boot or locked glove compartment of a motor vehicle, concealed from view and there is evidence of visible and forcible entry which is confirmed in a Police report
- 8) financial failure of any service providers. This cover is provided in Section 2
- 9) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**

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## WEDDING INSURANCE

### Section 8 | Wedding Gifts - Classic and Deluxe only

This Section is only applicable if shown as covered in **your Schedule**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** (subject to a maximum of £250 for any one item) for loss of or damage to **wedding gifts** due to accident, fire or theft whilst being stored by **you** or **your close relative**. This cover also applies whilst gifts are in transit or on display at the **wedding reception**. Cover applies one month prior to the **wedding** and for a subsequent 24 hours after the **wedding reception**. If the **wedding reception** does not take place on the same day as the wedding, wedding gifts are covered on the date of the **wedding reception** and for a subsequent 24 hours after.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim
- 2) any loss (other than by damage) not reported to the police within 24 hours of discovery
- 3) loss or damage arising from wear or tear, moth, vermin, atmospheric conditions, deterioration, depreciation, confiscation, detention or any process of cleaning, restoration or repair
- 4) loss or damage which but for the existence of this policy would be otherwise insured
- 5) loss or damage by theft or attempted theft of any **wedding gifts** left in any unattended vehicle, unless the property is left in a locked boot or locked glove compartment of the vehicle, concealed from view and there is evidence of visible and forcible entry which is confirmed in a Police report
- 6) loss or damage by theft or attempted theft of any **wedding gifts** left in the **home** or ceremony venue or **wedding reception** venue, unless there is evidence of visible and forcible entry which is confirmed in a Police report
- 7) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**
- 8) any loss covered under Section 7 - Rings, Flowers, Attendants Gifts and Wedding Cake.

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### Section 9 | Overseas Essential Documents - Classic and Deluxe only

This Section is only applicable if shown as covered in **your Schedule**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** in respect of reasonable costs for travel, accommodation and fees which arise as a result of the necessity to obtain replacement copies of the **essential documents** which are necessary to **your wedding** taking place outside the **UK**, and which, during the period defined in 2) below, are lost or damaged for reasons beyond **your** control. Cover under this section:

- 1) applies only in respect of **weddings** taking place outside the **UK**;
- 2) commences from the date of issue of this policy and applies until the wedding takes place or a claim is made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first.

#### IMPORTANT:

When travelling, **essential documents** must be kept with **you** on **your** person or in **your** hand luggage. There is no cover for loss of documentation that has been checked in and/ or placed in the custody of an airline or any other transport provider.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) loss or damage;
  - a) arising from confiscation or detention by customs officials or other authorities
  - b) due to wear and tear
  - c) not reported to the consular representatives of the relevant issuing country within 24 hours of discovery of the loss, and a written report obtained
- 2) loss or theft from any unattended motor vehicle
- 3) claims which arise from **your** lack of care, or from reasons within **your** control
- 4) loss of documents when stored in suitcases or other like receptacles whilst in the custody of the airline or other carriers
- 5) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**

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### Section 10 | Professional Counselling – Deluxe only

This Section is only applicable if shown as covered in **your Schedule**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** for professional counselling costs for one of the marrying partners if the **wedding** is cancelled due to the death of their marrying partner. Cover under this section commences from the date the premium is paid and applies until completion of the **wedding** and **wedding reception** or a claim being made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 for each and every claim as shown in **your Schedule**
- 2) any amount greater than the maximum stated in **your Schedule**
- 3) losses arising from circumstances known to **you** at the time of purchasing this insurance
- 4) claims relating to a condition for which a terminal diagnosis had been given prior to the date **you** applied for this insurance
- 5) claims relating to a serious illness or bodily injury that was under investigation or diagnosed within 30 days of the start of this policy
- 6) claims relating to a serious illness or bodily injury where a medical practitioner had advised against booking or going ahead with the wedding
- 7) counselling services provided by a close relative, whether or not they are a qualified professional

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### Section 11 | Wedding Stationery - Deluxe only

This Section is only applicable if shown as covered in **your Schedule**.

#### **WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:**

**We** will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** for the cost of replacing **wedding** stationery that is lost, stolen, or accidentally damaged while in the possession of the marrying partners, their parents, or attendants. Cover under this section commences from the date the premium is paid (or the date of purchase of the **wedding** stationery, if later) and applies until the beginning of the **wedding reception** or a claim being made under this section of the policy, whichever occurs first.

#### **WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:**

**We** will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £50 of each and every claim as shown in **your Schedule**
- 2) any amount greater than the maximum stated in **your Schedule**
- 3) any loss, theft, or accidental damage occurring after **your** wedding reception has begun

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### Section 12 | Optional Marquee Hire

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the amount stated in **your Schedule** in the event of loss of or damage to the **property insured** by any cause not specifically excluded occurring during the period of hire. Cover under this section includes cancellation and rearrangement as a direct result of loss of or damage to the **marquee**. There is a single item limit of £2,000 for any **ancillary equipment**.

#### IMPORTANT:

This section applies only where the appropriate premium has been paid and is stated on **your Schedule**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

We will not pay for the following in connection with claims made under this section:

- 1) the first £100 of each and every claim
- 2) erection and/or dismantling of any hired equipment
- 3) audio visual entertainment equipment unless specifically mentioned
- 4) Any claim in respect of owned or hired generators
- 5) loss or damage suffered by **you** as a result of being deceived into knowingly parting with property
- 6) damage to flooring caused by footwear
- 7) **consequential loss** of any kind or description
- 8) financial losses recoverable from any other source
- 9) loss or theft from unattended venues or vehicles
- 10) theft or attempted theft of Property Insured unless involving visible and forcible entry or exit, which is confirmed in a Police report
- 11) any loss, damage, liability, cost or expense of any kind caused by or resulting from poor or faulty design, workmanship or materials
- 12) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the wedding or wedding reception by **you**
- 13) marquee hire for a **wedding** or **wedding reception** outside of the **United Kingdom**

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## WEDDING INSURANCE

### Section 13 | Optional Public Liability for Guests

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay up to the maximum amount shown on **your Schedule** for any one claim, or series of claims occurring during, and being directly related to, **your Wedding** or **Wedding Reception**, which guests invited by **you** to **your wedding** and/or **wedding reception** become legally liable for;

- 1) accidental **bodily injury** or death to any person, or
- 2) accidental loss of, or damage to, third party property.

The total amount payable includes reasonable defence costs and expenses. By this **we** mean costs incurred with **our** prior written agreement to investigate, settle or defend a claim against **you**. All claims which arise from the same single or original cause or source will be regarded as one claim.

**IMPORTANT:** Cover under this section does not apply to weddings taking place outside of the **United Kingdom**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

- 1) an excess of £250 for each and every claim rising from damage to third party property.
- 2) any liability incurred more than 24 hours before or more than 24 hours after **your Wedding** or **Wedding Reception**.
- 3) damage to any property belonging to **you**, or which at the time of the loss or damage is in **your** care, custody or control.
- 4) **bodily injury** to any of **your** employees or to **your** partner or to any of **your** relatives that permanently live with **you**.
- 5) that part of any claim where **your** right of recovery is restricted by any contract.
- 6) fines and contractual penalties, punitive or exemplary damages. By this **we** mean additional damages awarded by way of punishment when the defendant's behaviour was found to be particularly harmful.
- 7) any **bodily injury**, death or accidental damage to property occurring outside of the United Kingdom.
- 8) **your** liability under any contract which is greater than the liability **you** would have at law without the contract.
- 9) claims where **you** are entitled to financial assistance or compensation, also known as indemnity, from another source.
- 10) claims arising out of the ownership, possession or use of motorised vehicles, yachts or motorised waterborne craft, airborne craft or aerial device of any description, animals or firearms and weapons.
- 11) any defective erection, used or dismantled by **you** or on **your** behalf, or any staging, marquees or temporary structures.
- 12) loss or damage caused to flooring of any kind.
- 13) claims arising from any act, breach, omission or infringement **you** deliberately, spitefully, dishonestly or recklessly commit, condone or ignore which could reasonably be expected to cause injury or damage to another party.

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### Section 14 | Optional Ceremonial Swords cover

#### WHAT YOU ARE COVERED FOR:

We will pay **you** up to the amount stated in the **Schedule** in the event of loss or **theft**, or damage to **ceremonial swords** and associated regalia worn and/or used by **you** and **your** attendants within 48 hours before and after the **wedding**.

**IMPORTANT:** Cover under this section does not apply to weddings taking place outside of the **United Kingdom**.

#### WHAT YOU ARE NOT COVERED FOR:

- 1) an **excess** of £50 for each and every claim as shown in **your Schedule**
- 2) losses recoverable from any other source
- 3) loss or damage arising from wear or tear, moth, vermin, atmospheric or climatic condition, deterioration, depreciation, confiscation, detention or any process of cleaning, restoration or repair.
- 4) **ceremonial swords** taken outside of the **United Kingdom**
- 5) loss or **theft** not reported to the police within 24 hours of discovery
- 6) any claim arising directly or indirectly from:
  - a) loss or **theft** unless there is violent and forced entry to or exit from a locked room or building,
  - b) loss or damage by **theft** or attempted **theft** of any items left in any unattended motor vehicle, unless the property is left locked in the boot or glove compartment, concealed from view, and there is evidence of forced entry,
  - c) any deliberate, wilful, criminal or malicious actions,
  - d) loss or **theft** of or damage to the **ceremonial swords** while they are in the custody of an airline or other carrier.

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### General Conditions Applicable to all Sections of Your Policy

#### CONDITIONS WHICH APPLY TO ALL SECTIONS OF THIS INSURANCE

- 1) **You** must take care to:
  - a) supply accurate and complete answers to all the questions **we** may ask as part of **your** application for cover under the policy;
  - b) 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 possibleFailure to provide accurate answers may mean that **your** policy is invalid and that it does not operate in the event of a claim.
- 2) Written evidence of any event which may give rise to a claim shall be given to **us** (or **our** claims service) as soon as is practical. All documents required in support of a claim, including items being claimed for if required by **us**, shall be produced by **you**, and at **your** expense. Additional action then depends on the type of claim:
  - a) theft, loss or malicious damage or vandalism – tell the police immediately and obtain a police report
  - b) legal liability for injury or damage – forward to **us** immediately upon receipt any writ, summons or other legal process issued or commenced against **you**. **You** must not negotiate, admit or repudiate any claim without **our** consent
  - c) **You** must provide **us**, at **your** expense, with all reasonable details and evidence which **we** ask for concerning the cause and amount of loss, damage or injury (including receipts for **wedding gifts**, money and vouchers).
- 3) Except with **our** written consent, no person is entitled to admit liability on **our** behalf or give any representation or other undertakings binding upon **us**. **We** shall be entitled to conduct all proceedings arising out of or in connection with claims in **your** name, and to instruct solicitors of **our** own choice for this purpose.
- 4) The due observance and fulfilment of all the terms and conditions of this insurance by **you**, or anyone acting on **your** behalf, in so far as they relate to anything to be done or complied with by **you**, or anyone acting on **your** behalf, shall be a condition precedent to **our** liability to make any payment under this insurance.
- 5) No refund of premium is allowed, other than in respect of the cooling off period, once the insurance has been purchased.
- 6) **You** must exercise due care and attention at all times for the safety of **your** property and take all reasonable steps to prevent accident, loss or damage.
- 7) **Our** liability shall be conditional upon the observance by **you** of the terms and conditions of this insurance and the truth and completeness of the statements and answers supplied by **you** and on **your** behalf. If a claim is in any respect false or if any fraudulent means or devices are used by **you** or anyone acting on **your** behalf to obtain benefits from this insurance, all benefits under this insurance shall be forfeited and no return of premium shall be due.
- 8) The final **wedding reception** must conclude within 21 days of the wedding date.
- 9) **You** may not transfer **your** interest in this insurance.
- 10) **Our** total liability shall not exceed the respective sums stated in the schedule.
- 11) **You** shall agree to medical examination at **your** own expense except post mortem which **we** reserve the right to have undertaken at **our** own expense.
- 12) **We** may, at **our** own expense, take proceedings in **your** name to recover compensation or secure an indemnity from any third party in respect of any loss or damage covered by this insurance, and any amount so recovered shall belong to **us**.
- 13) In the event of a claim, **you** must produce written documentation to show that original contractual obligations with suppliers were evidenced or that ownership of goods existed.
- 14) **You** may not claim under more than one section or part of this policy for the same financial loss.
- 15) This policy may be cancelled without the consent of a third party.
- 16) A person who is not a party to this contract has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any term of this contract. This does not affect any right or remedy of a third party which exists or is available apart from that Act.

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### General Exclusions Applicable to all Sections of Your Policy

The Insurance policy does not cover:

- 1) claims caused by or arising from any of the following situations relating to the **marrying couple**, their **close relative** or any person upon whom the cost of the **wedding** or **wedding services** depends if, at the point when **you** buy the policy;
  - a) anyone has been given a terminal prognosis
  - b) anyone is acting against medical advice
  - c) anyone is on a waiting list for hospital treatment
  - d) anyone is awaiting the results of any tests or medical investigations.
- 2) Any loss, damage, liability, claim, cost or expense of any nature, directly or indirectly caused by, contributed to by, resulting from, arising out of, in connection with, or otherwise in any way directly or indirectly attributable to:
  - a) Coronaviruses; and
  - b) Coronavirus disease (COVID-19); and
  - c) Severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS- CoV-2); and
  - d) any mutation of or variation of a), b) or c) above; and
  - e) any infectious disease that is designated or treated as a pandemic by the World Health Organisation; and
  - f) any fear or anticipation of a), b), c), d) or e) above, regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any other sequence thereto
- 3) this policy does not offer cover when **you** know, when buying this policy, that there is already a problem that may lead to a claim.
- 4) any direct or indirect consequence of war, civil war, invasion, acts of foreign enemies (whether war be declared or not), rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power, or confiscation, nationalisation, requisition, destruction of or damage to property by or under the order of any government, local or public authority.
- 5) any direct or indirect consequence of terrorism as defined by the Terrorism Act 2000 and any amending or substituting legislation. Any act of terrorism directly or indirectly caused by, contributed to by, resulting from, arising out of or in connection with biological, chemical, radiological or nuclear pollution or contamination shall be excluded.
- 6) losses directly or indirectly occasioned by pressure waves caused by aircraft or other flying devices travelling at a sonic or supersonic speed.
- 7) losses directly or indirectly occasioned by, happening through, or in consequence of alcoholism, the use of intoxicating drink or drugs (other than drugs taken in accordance with treatment prescribed by a registered **medical practitioner**, but not for drug addiction) or self exposure to needless peril (except in an attempt to save human life).
- 8) any direct or indirect consequence of:
  - a) Irradiation, or contamination by nuclear material; or
  - b) The radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous or contaminating properties of any radioactive matter; or
  - c) Any device or weapon which employs atomic or nuclear fission or fusion or other comparable reaction or radioactive force or matter.
- 9) any loss whereby any period of disability or loss whatsoever is increased through **your** own act or omission.
- 10) any property more specifically insured.
- 11) incidents which may give rise to a claim not notified in writing to **us** (or **our** claims service) within a reasonable timeframe.
- 12) losses arising as a result of **consequential loss** of any kind.
- 13) any claim arising directly or indirectly from injury, illness, death, loss, expense or other liability attributable to sexually transmitted disease.
- 14) losses arising as a result of any unlawful act by **you** or criminal proceedings against **you** or any other person on whom the **wedding** plans depend (other than in the event of **your** obligation to attend a court of law under subpoena as a witness, unless such obligation to attend falls within **your** occupation or professional or other similar capacity).
- 15) in respect of persons who are not **resident** in the **UK**, where such liability would not have existed had those persons been **resident** in the **UK** and not elsewhere, unless specifically agreed by **us**.

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- 16) wilful and malicious acts and any acts of vandalism by persons invited to the **wedding** or **wedding reception** by **you**.
- 17) any circumstance manifesting itself after the date of the **wedding** and/or **wedding reception** booking but prior to the date of issue of this policy.
- 18) third party rights and no party other than **you** may claim benefit under the terms of this insurance.
- 19) Pollution unless any loss or damage arises as a direct result of an accident.  
For the purposes of this exclusion, pollution means a) Pollution or contamination by naturally occurring or man-made substances, forces, and organisms, including, but not limited to: (i) any actual, threatened, feared or perceived use of any biological, chemical, radioactive or nuclear agent, material or device, whether or not related in any way to any act of terrorism, and (ii) the deposit of or impairment by dust or soot, chemical precipitation, adulteration or impurification, or any combination of them whether permanent or transitory; and b) all loss, **accidental damage** or injury directly or indirectly caused by pollution or contamination as stated in a) above.
- 20) loss or theft from unattended venues or vehicles unless involving visible and forcible entry to or exit of.
- 21) theft or attempted theft unless involving visible and forcible entry to or entry from a building.
- 22) bouncy castles and other inflatables.
- 23) fireworks or other pyrotechnic devices or effects.
- 24) any costs where no written contractual agreement exists directly between **you** and the **wedding services** supplier.
- 25) any claims caused by or arising from court mourning or the death of a member of the royal family or head of state.
- 26) loss of or damage due to or arising from:
  - a) wear and tear, inherent defect
  - b) rot, mildew, rust, corrosion, frost
  - c) insects, woodworm, vermin, moth
  - d) dyeing, cleaning, repair, renovation
  - e) electronic, electrical or mechanical breakdown, failure or derangement
  - f) faulty manipulation, design, plan, specification or materials
  - g) gradual deterioration, market depreciation
  - h) normal atmospheric conditions
  - i) shrinkage or change of colour.
- 27) any part of a claim which is unproven or unsubstantiated.
- 28) losses, whether directly or indirectly, arising out of **your** management of **your** finances.
- 29) Any consequence, howsoever caused, including but not limited to Computer Virus or Electronic Data being lost, destroyed, distorted, altered, or otherwise corrupted. For the purposes of this Policy, Electronic Data shall mean facts, concepts and information stored to form useable data for communications, interpretations, or processing by electronic or electromechanical data processing or other electronically controlled hardware, software and other coded instructions for the processing and manipulation of data, or the direction and manipulation of such hardware. For the purposes of this Policy, Computer Virus shall mean a set of corrupting, harmful, or otherwise unauthorised instructions or code, whether these have been introduced maliciously or otherwise, and multiply themselves through a computer system or network of whatsoever nature.
- 30) any loss, damage, claim, cost(s) expense or other sums, directly or indirectly caused by, arising or resulting from, or in connection with any pandemic, epidemic, outbreak of disease or public health emergency, as declared by the World Health Organisation (WHO), a national government agency/ body, local authorities, or any officially recognised body. This policy also offers no cover for any disease, illness or conditions that is caused by or transmitted by means of any substance or agent from any organism to another organism (human or otherwise) where the substance or agent includes, but is not limited to any pathogen, virus, bacterium, parasite, fungus or other organism, micro-organism or any mutation or variation thereof, whether deemed living or not, and whether transmitted directly or indirectly by means of airborne transmission, bodily fluid transmission, transmission from or to any surface or object, solid, liquid or gas or between organisms.
- 31) Weddings and/or Receptions taking place in an area where the Travel Advice from the Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO) has advised the public against all or all but essential travel.
  - 32) Travel and/or accommodation arrangements made for **weddings** taking place outside the **United Kingdom**. **You** will need to take out a separate travel insurance policy if **you** wish to insure these arrangements.
  - 33) **We** shall not be deemed to provide cover or be liable to pay any claim or provide any benefit under this policy to the extent that the provision of such cover, payment or provision of such benefit would expose us to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations' resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom or United States of America.
- 34) Losses or indirect losses arising from the manufacture, mining, processing, distribution, testing, remediation, removal, storage, sale, use or exposure to asbestos materials or materials containing asbestos.

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### What To Do If You Have A Complaint

It is our intention to give you the best possible service however if you do have cause for complaint about this insurance or the handling of a claim you should follow the complaints procedure below:

- If **you** have a complaint regarding the sale or service of **your** policy, please contact;

Arma Karma Limited,  
Innovation Centre, Knowledge Gateway, Boundary Road, Colchester, England, CO4 3ZQ  
Email: [complaints@savethedate.insure](mailto:complaints@savethedate.insure)

- If **you** have a complaint about the handling of a liability claim, please contact:

Kennedys Law LLP  
6 Queen Street  
Leeds  
LS1 2TW

Tel: 03432270844  
Email: [bspoke@kennedyslaw.com](mailto:bspoke@kennedyslaw.com)

- If **you** have a complaint about the handling of any other claim, please contact:

Innovation Property (UK) Ltd  
1300 Parkway  
Whitley  
PO15 7AE

Tel: 03334009986  
Email: [propertyclaims@innovation.group](mailto:propertyclaims@innovation.group)

**In all correspondence please state that your insurance is underwritten by Bspoke Underwriting Ltd and quote your unique policy number from your Schedule.**

Following **our** complaints procedure does not affect **your** legal rights as a consumer. For further information **you** can contact the Citizens Advice Bureau or Trading Standards.

If **we** have not completed **our** investigations into **your** complaint within 8 weeks of receiving **your** complaint or if **you** are not happy with **our** Final Response, **you** may ask the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS) to look at **your** complaint.

If **you** decide to contact them, **you** should do so within 6 months of receiving **our** Final Response Letter.

For more information regarding the scope of the Financial Ombudsman Service please refer to: [www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk](http://www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk).

The Financial Ombudsman Service, Exchange Tower, London E14 9SR Tel: 0800 023 4567 Get in touch on line: <https://www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk/contact-us/complainonline>

## The Compensation Scheme

If Accelerant Insurance UK Limited cannot meet their obligations, **you** may be entitled to compensation from the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). **You** can get more information about compensation scheme arrangements from the FSCS or visit [www.fscs.org.uk](http://www.fscs.org.uk).

## Governing Law

This policy is governed by English law.

## Your Privacy

### Bspoke Underwriting Ltd

**We** are Bspoke Underwriting Ltd, **our** data controller registration number, issued by the Information Commissioner's Officer, is Z7739575.

This information is relevant to anyone who uses **our** services, including policyholders, prospective policyholders, and any other individuals insured under a policy.

**We** are dedicated to being transparent about what **we** do with the information that **we** collect about **you** and **we** process **your** personal data in accordance with the relevant data protection legislation.

### Why do we process your data?

The provision of **your** personal data is necessary for **us** to administer **your** insurance policy and meet **our** contractual requirements under the policy. **You** do not have to provide **us** with **your** personal data, but **we** may not be able to proceed appropriately or handle any claims if **you** decide not to do so.

### What information do we collect about you?

Where **you** have purchased an insurance policy through one of **our** agents, **you** will be aware of the information that **you** gave to them when taking out the insurance. The agent will pass **your** information to **us** so that **we** can administer **your** insurance policy and fulfil **our** contract of insurance.

For specific types of insurance policies, for example when offering **you** a Personal Accident policy, **we** may process some special categories of **your** personal data, such as information about **your** health. **We** collect this data as **we** are required to use this information as part of **your** insurance quotation or insurance policy with **us**. **We** may also process the data where it is necessary for a legal obligation, or as part of the establishment or defence of a legal claim.

**We** also process special categories of **your** personal data as it is in the substantial public interest and it is necessary: i) for administering **your** insurance policy; or ii) to prevent and detect an unlawful act (e.g. fraud).

### Privacy Notice

**You** can get more information about this by viewing **our** full Privacy Notice online [here](#) or request a copy by emailing **us** at [dataprotection@bspokeunderwriting.co.uk](mailto:dataprotection@bspokeunderwriting.co.uk). Alternatively, **you** can write to **us** at: Data Protection, Bspoke Underwriting Ltd, Brookfield Court, Selby Rd, Leeds LS25 1NB.

### Accelerant Insurance UK Limited

Certain personal data related to this policy is also processed by Accelerant Insurance UK Limited, which underwrites the risks under this insurance policy. Accelerant Insurance UK Limited acts as an independent data controller for limited purposes such as portfolio and risk management, regulatory oversight, and compliance with applicable laws. Accelerant does not collect personal data directly from individuals but receives it from [Member Name] as

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part of policy administration. Further information on how Accelerant Insurance UK Limited handles personal data is available at: <https://accelerant.ai/privacy-policy/>.

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What information do **we** collect about **you**?

Where **you** have requested a quote for one of **our** insurance policies, or **you** have purchased an insurance policy from **us**, **you** will be aware of the information that **you** have provided. **We** may also collect information about **you** from other sources. This includes information where **you** are a joint or additional insured party and **we** collect information about **you** from the policyholder. **We** may also collect information about **you** from fraud prevention, law enforcement or government agencies and HM Treasury and other authorities in relation to regulatory issues. Information may also be collected about **you** from credit reference agencies when **you** choose to pay by Direct Debit instalments.

Do **we** collect special personal data?

For specific types of insurance policies, for example when offering **you** a Personal Accident policy, **we** may process some special categories of **your** personal data, such as information about **your** health. **We** collect this data as **we** are required to use this information as part of **your** insurance quotation or insurance policy with **us**. **We** may also process the data where it is necessary for a legal obligation, or as part of the establishment or defence of a legal claim.

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## Your Right to Cancel

**You** have the right to cancel this policy within 14 days of the date **you** purchased the policy or when **you** received the policy documents if this is later. **You** may cancel within this period without needing to provide a reason, and **we** will provide a full refund of any premium paid. If **you** have made a claim or there has been an incident likely to result in a claim, no refund of premium will be payable.

After this initial 14-day period, **you** may cancel the insurance policy at any time by informing **us**. However, please note that no refund of premium will be payable for any remaining coverage period.

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### Cancellation by Us

**We** 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) non-payment of premium
- b) threatening and abusive behaviour
- c) failure to provide documents
- d) non-compliance with policy terms and conditions.
- e) a change in **your** circumstances means that **we** can no longer provide cover
- f) where **we** identify **your** involvement in, or association with, insurance fraud or financial crime
- g) where **you** have misrepresented or provided false information to the questions asked **you** when purchased, renewed or amended **your** policy

**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.

If **we** exercise **our** right under (c) above, **we** shall 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.

**We** will not return any of the premiums paid.

### Other insurances

**We** will not pay any claim where there is another insurance policy in force in **your** name which covers **you** for the same loss or liability.

### Subrogation

If a third party is believed to be responsible for any claim, **We** may take over, defend or settle the claim, or take up any claim in **Your** name for **Our** own benefit. This is known as exercising **Our** right of subrogation. **You** must give **Us** all the help and information **We** reasonably require for the purpose of exercising this right. **You** will take no action or make any agreements that may weaken or remove **Our** rights under this clause without **Our** prior written permission. **We** will pay any costs or expenses involved in exercising **Our** right of subrogation.

### Fraudulent Claims

If **you** or anyone acting for **you** makes a false or fraudulent claim, which includes but is not limited to;

- 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 for any loss or damage **you** caused deliberately or acts dishonestly or exaggerates a claim **We**;

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