

Additional Product Information – 04/2021

This Additional Product Information sheet is to be read in conjunction with your Insurance Product Information Document. It does not contain the full terms and conditions of the contract which can be found in the insuring document, a copy of which is available on request. The information document does not form part of your policy.

Your Policy Documentation

Information You Have Given Us/Change in Circumstances

This quotation/policy has been issued based on the information that has been supplied to us by your broker or insurance intermediary.

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

You must tell us within 14 days of you becoming aware of any changes in the information you have provided to us which happens before or during any period of insurance.

When we are notified of a change we will tell you if this affects your policy.

Cooling Off & Cancellation

Cooling-Off Period

If, for any reason, you feel that this insurance is not right for you, you are entitled to cancel this insurance by notifying us through your broker or insurance intermediary in writing, by email or by telephone within 14 days of either the date you receive your policy documentation or the start of the period of insurance, whichever is the later.

Should you choose to cancel your policy within the 'Cooling-Off Period', we will cancel your insurance from the start of the period of insurance treating this policy as if it had never existed. We will refund any premium you have paid, provided that you have not made a claim.

Your broker or insurance intermediary contact details are shown on your schedule and/or statement of fact.

Cancellation

1. Cancellation of your policy by you:

You may cancel this policy at anytime by notifying us through your broker or insurance intermediary in writing, by email or by telephone.

Your broker or insurance intermediary contact details are shown on your schedule and/or statement of fact.

2. Cancellation of your policy by us:

We may cancel this policy or any part of it if there are serious grounds to do so by giving you 30 days written notice through your broker or insurance intermediary detailing the reason for cancellation by recorded delivery to the correspondence address stated on your schedule and/or statement of fact.

We will detail the reason for the cancellation in our written notice to your broker or insurance intermediary.

Examples of where we would cancel your policy are as follows:

1. Where Plum Underwriting Ltd has been unable to collect a premium payment following non-payment correspondence issued to you or your broker or insurance intermediary.
If you pay your premium to us through a direct debit facility, we will allow 30 days for the premium to be brought up to date. If you fail to do so we will cancel from the date at which you have paid the relevant premium.
2. A change in the information you have previously given us where we are able to demonstrate that we would not normally offer insurance.
3. Unacceptable behaviour by you such as abusive behaviour or language, intimidation or bullying of our staff or suppliers.
4. Your failure to cooperate with us in accordance with our claims conditions where it affects our ability to process your claim.
5. If you have acted fraudulently in any way.
6. You have deliberately or falsely overstated information given to us.

3. Cancellation by us following a fraudulent claim

If you make a fraudulent claim under this policy we will cancel your policy from the date of the fraudulent act and we will retain 100% of the premium.

4. Premium refund following cancellation of your policy:

In the event of cancellation by you, your premium refund will be calculated as follows:

If you cancel after the initial 14 day 'cooling off' period any refund will be on a proportional basis and always subject to the period of insurance being claim free.

If you have made a claim in the period of insurance being cancelled we will retain 100% of the premium and no refund will be due to you.

In the event of cancellation by us, your premium refund will be calculated as follows:

Any refund will be on a proportional basis and always subject to the period of insurance being claim free. If you have made a claim you will not be eligible for a refund and you must pay us any amount you still owe us for the full annual period for which you have been insured.

Use of Personal Data

Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) are committed to protecting your personal information. Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) will use personal information about you fairly and lawfully, primarily in connection with the provision of insurance. Full details can be found in the Privacy Notice at www.plum-underwriting.com which specifies:

- the information that Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) may collect on you and from whom;
- how and why this information will be used;
- how Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) may share and disclose the information;
- and the retention of your data.

In some instances Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) may need to seek your consent before processing such data. Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) will always make it clear to you when and why your consent is being sought. A hard copy of the Privacy Notice is available on request.

You have a number of rights (including the right of access to see personal information about you that is held in Plum Underwriting Ltd and the insurer(s) records) and these are detailed in the Privacy Notice. If you have any questions or concerns relating to the Privacy Notice or Plum Underwriting Ltd's data protection practices, or to make a subject access request, please contact:

Plum Underwriting Ltd, 7th Floor, 55 Mark Lane, London, EC3R 7NE

Customer Service & Complaints Procedure

The insurers, Plum Underwriting Ltd and your broker or insurance intermediary are committed to providing you with the highest standard of service at all times. If you have any questions or queries about your policy or the handling of any claim, in the first instance please contact your broker or insurance intermediary shown on your schedule and/or statement of fact.

Customer Complaints Procedure

In the event that you wish to make a complaint regarding your policy or claim please follow the complaints procedure shown on your schedule and/or statement of fact.

Financial Ombudsman Service

Complaints that Plum Underwriting Ltd or insurers cannot resolve may be referred to the Financial Ombudsman Service.

The Financial Ombudsman Service is a free service set up by parliament to sort out individual complaints that consumers or small businesses are not able to resolve with financial businesses.

You can refer your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service if you have not received a written final response in respect of your complaint within 8 weeks of the date your complaint was received by the parties detailed in the complaints procedure shown on your schedule and/or statement of fact or if you are unhappy with the decision following your complaint.

If you would like to refer your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service, you must do so within 6 months from the date you receive the final response about your complaint from Plum Underwriting Ltd or the insurer.

You can contact the Financial Ombudsman Service as follows:

Financial Ombudsman Service
Exchange Tower, London, E14 9SR

From within the United Kingdom

Tel: 0800 023 4567 (calls to this number are now free on mobile phones and landlines)

Tel: 0300 123 9123 (calls to this number cost no more than calls to 01 and 02 numbers. Free for mobile phone users who pay a monthly charge for calls to numbers starting 01 or 02)

From outside the United Kingdom

Tel: +44 (0)207 964 0500

Fax: +44 (0)207 964 1001

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

The Financial Ombudsman Service can look into most complaints from consumers and small businesses.

For more information contact them on the above number or address, or view their website www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk.

The complaint procedure does not affect your right to take legal action.

How to Make a Claim

To make a claim, you can contact us by telephone, email or post – please refer to the section ‘How to Make a Claim’ on your schedule and/or statement of fact for the contact details.

When notifying a claim, please provide your name, policy number (shown on your schedule and/or statement of fact), the name of your broker or insurance intermediary and with full details of the loss or damage.

There are a number of claims conditions that operate. Please refer to the ‘Claims Conditions’ section of the policy wording as well as the individual sections of cover which explains your duties in the event of a claim and how we deal with your claim.