AXA Motorhome

### Your policy booklet June 2024 edition



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This policy booklet contains details of what is covered and how claims are settled. We recommend that you check your cover meets your needs.

### Introduction

This policy provides comprehensive cover. All parts of this policy apply except where amended by endorsement.

We want you to understand your policy and everything we can do for you and have tried to design your policy booklet to help you do this. You will find the following headings on many pages:

#### ✓ What is covered

This provides detailed information on the insurance provided and should be read with 'What is not covered'.

#### X What is not covered

This tells **you** what is not included in **your** policy.

#### To help you further...

We have included some explanatory notes in your policy. These are headed Useful information and are printed in italics at the bottom of the page. They are not part of the insurance contract but they are there to help you understand it.

### Making a claim

If you need to make a claim or think you do please call our claims team on 0345 608 0230\* who will immediately take action to help you. We will take all the details and if appropriate, give you the telephone number and location of our nearest recommended repairer and inform you of any further action you may need to take. We are committed to dealing with each claim quickly and effectively.

To make the claims process quicker please have your policy number to hand and a full description of the incident. We will keep you informed about how we are progressing with the resolution of your claim. We are committed to dealing with each claim quickly and effectively.

\*Telephone calls may be monitored and recorded.

### **Making a complaint**

AXA Insurance UK plc aims to provide the highest standard of service to every customer.

If **our** service does not meet **your** expectations, **we** want to hear about it so **we** can try to put things right.

All complaints we receive are taken seriously. The following will help us understand your concerns and give you a fair response.

#### Making your complaint

If your complaint relates to a claim on your policy, please contact the department dealing with your claim or phone 0203 640 4597.

If **your** complaint relates to **your** policy, please contact the agent or AXA office where it was bought, or AXA Insurance UK plc.

#### **Contact details**

Head of Customer Relations AXA Insurance PO Box 2796 Bolton BL6 9LZ

Tel: 0330 024 5518

Email: customercare@axa-insurance.co.uk

When **you** make contact please provide the following information:

- Your name, address and postcode, telephone number and e-mail address (if you have one).
- Your policy and/or claim number, and the type of policy you hold.

- The name of your insurance agent/firm (if applicable).
- The reason for **your** complaint.

Any written correspondence should be headed 'COMPLAINT' and you may include copies of supporting material.

#### **Beyond AXA**

Should you remain dissatisfied following our final written response, you may be eligible to refer your case to the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS).

The FOS is an independent body that arbitrates on complaints about general insurance products. You have six months from the date of our final response to refer your complaint to the FOS. This does not affect your right to take legal action.

If we cannot resolve your complaint you may refer it to the Financial Ombudsman Service at the address given below.

The Financial Ombudsman Service Exchange Tower Harbour Exchange Square London E14 9SR

Tel: 0300 123 9123

Fax: 020 7964 1001

Email:

complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

Web: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk

#### Our promise to you

We will

- Acknowledge all complaints promptly.
- Investigate quickly and thoroughly.
- Keep you informed of progress.
- Do everything possible to resolve your complaint.
- Use the information from complaints to continuously improve our service.

We may record and monitor telephone calls.

#### Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS)

AXA Insurance is covered by the FSCS. You may be entitled to compensation from the scheme in the unlikely event we cannot meet our obligations to you. This depends on the type of insurance and the circumstances of the claim. Further information about the compensation scheme arrangements is available from the FSCS (www.fscs.org.uk).

### **Your policy**

This policy is a contract between **you** and **us**.

This policy describes the insurance cover provided during the **period of cover you** have paid for, or have agreed to pay for, and for which **we** have accepted the premium.

The contract between **you** and **us** is formed of this policy, the **schedule** and any endorsements shown in the **schedule**.

You will be provided with a copy of your statement of fact or proposal form. This document lists the answers to the questions you were asked when applying for this insurance.

The insurance cover applies anywhere in the UK except when we state otherwise in this policy – see Part C – Territorial limits and foreign use. Your motorhome is also covered when it is being transported within the UK and between any UK ports.

This insurance also provides cover whilst your motorhome is being used for Caravan Club rallies or events.

#### Important

Please read the policy, the certificate of insurance and the schedule as one document to ensure that it meets with your requirements.

# The law which applies to your policy

You and we can choose the law which applies to this policy. We propose that the Law of England and Wales apply. Unless we and you agree otherwise, the Law of England and Wales will apply to this policy.

# Changes to your circumstances

It is important that **you** tell **us** as soon as reasonably possible if **your** circumstances change or if any of the information shown in **your** proposal form, statement of fact, **schedule** or **certificate of insurance** changes during the **period of cover**. Please refer to the 'General conditions applicable to all parts of this policy' section of this policy wording.

### Definitions

Where we explain what a word means that word will have the same meaning wherever it is used in the policy, endorsements and schedule. These words are highlighted by the use of **bold** print.

#### **Certificate of insurance**

The certificate of motor insurance which is evidence of **your** motor insurance.

#### **Excess/excesses**

The amount **you** are required to pay as the first part of each and every claim made.

#### **Market value**

The cost of replacing **your motorhome** in the **UK** with one of the same make, model, specification, mileage, age and condition.

#### **Period of cover**

A period of 12 months from the start date of **your** current policy.

#### **Personal belongings**

Clothes and items of a personal nature belonging to **you** and **your** passengers, including portable navigational equipment, car phones, radios, CD players, cassette players, games consoles or any other audio or visual equipment.

#### **Recommended repairer**

A repairer that **we** recommend to **you**, who **we** will authorise to repair **your motorhome** following a claim under Part A – Loss and damage.

#### Schedule

The schedule forms part of this policy. Please read the schedule carefully. It defines the cover **you** have under this policy.

#### Spouse

Your husband, wife or civil partner.

#### UK

England, Scotland, Wales, Northern Ireland, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands.

#### Vermin

Rats, mice, squirrels, owls, pigeons, foxes, bees, wasps or hornets.

#### We/us/our

AXA Insurance UK plc.

#### You/your

The policyholder named in the schedule.

#### Your motorhome

Any private motorhome insured under this policy and /or any other motorhome or car which is added by you during the period of cover each as identified by its registration mark in your current certificate of insurance or temporary cover note.

# General conditions applicable to all parts of this policy

You must comply with the following conditions to have the full protection of your policy.

If you do not comply with them we may at our option take one or more of the following actions:

- cancel the policy;
- declare your policy void (treating your policy as if it had never existed);
- change the terms of your policy;
- refuse to deal with all or part of any claim or reduce the amount of any claim payments.

## 1. Providing accurate and complete information

When taking out, renewing or making changes to this policy, you or your agent (acting on your behalf) must take reasonable care to provide accurate and complete answers to all questions.

It is a criminal offence under the Road Traffic Act 1988 to make a false statement for the purposes of obtaining a Certificate of Motor Insurance.

We may ask you to provide further information and/or documentation to ensure that the information you provided when taking out, making changes to or renewing your policy was accurate and complete.

# 2. Changes to your circumstances

You must tell us as soon as reasonably possible if your circumstances change or if any of the information shown in your statement of fact, proposal form, schedule or certificate of insurance changes during the **period of cover**. Examples of the changes **we** must be made aware of are:

- A change to the people who need to be insured under this policy.
- If any person insured under this policy receives any motoring conviction including driving licence endorsements, fixed penalties and pending prosecutions.
- If any person insured under this policy receives a criminal conviction.
- If you change your motorhome.
- If the owner of your motorhome changes.
- If the main driver of your motorhome changes.
- If you change the way in which your motorhome is used. For Example, you begin to use your motorhome for business purposes.
- If your motorhome is modified in any way including, but not limited to:
  - a Changes to the bodywork such as spoilers or body kits.
  - b Changes to the suspension or brakes.
  - c Cosmetic changes such as alloy wheels.
  - d Changes affecting performance such as changes to the engine management system or exhaust system.
  - e Changes to the audio/ entertainment system.
- If you change your address or the address where your motorhome is kept overnight.

You must ensure that you provide us with accurate and complete information when asked questions about the changes in your circumstances.

Any changes to **your** circumstances including changes to the people who need to be insured under this policy, or a change to **your motorhome** or main driver of **your motorhome**, whether a permanent or temporary change, shall be a variation of this contract which means it will continue with the relevant changes made.

#### 3. Cancellation

#### Statutory cancellation rights

You may cancel this policy within 14 days of receipt of the policy documents (new business) or the renewal date (the 'Cancellation period') by writing to us at the following address during the Cancellation period:

AXA Personal Lines Customer Service PO Box 7072 WILLENHALL WV1 9ZU

There is no refund of premium in the event of a total loss claim. However, in all other cases, we will keep an amount of premium in proportion to the time you have been on cover and refund the balance to you.

If there is a total loss and if **you** are paying by instalments directly to **us**, **you** will either have to:

- continue with the instalment payments until the premium is paid in full or,
- we may take the remaining instalments you owe from any claim payment made.

Where you have paid for your premiums using a loan and you are paying your instalments for that loan to your broker or finance provider, the amount that we may take from any claim payment made is the amount of the outstanding instalments as told to us by your broker/finance provider.

# Cancellation outside the statutory period

You may cancel this policy at any time by giving prior written notice to the above address.

As long as you have not incurred any eligible claims, apart from a claim for Windscreen Repair or Windscreen Replacement, we will keep an amount of premium in proportion to the time you have been on cover and refund the rest to you.

If you are paying by instalments directly to us, your instalment payments will end. If you have already had payment for or you are making a claim, you will either have to:

- continue with the instalment payments until the premium is paid in full or,
- we may take the outstanding instalments due from any claim payment made.

If you are paying by instalments to your broker or finance provider, your instalment payments will be set out by your loan agreement with your broker/ finance provider.

If you have already had payment for, or you are making a claim, we reserve the right to take the outstanding instalments as told to us by your broker/finance provider from any claim payment made.

#### Cancellation by us

We may cancel your policy:

- If you or anyone else covered by this policy breaks any of the General Conditions of your cover set out in pages 10-12.
- If you or anyone else covered by this policy ignore or fail to comply with the exclusions. Please see "General exclusions applicable to all parts of this policy" section set out on page 16.
- If you provide any inaccurate or incomplete information. Please see "Providing accurate and complete information" section on page 10.
- If you act in a fraudulent manner when incepting, making an amendment or renewing this policy. Please see "Fraud" section on page 14.
- If you act in a fraudulent manner when making a claim. Please see "Fraud" section on page 14.
- If we are unable to continue cover due to changes in your circumstance or to your policy information. Please see "The General conditions applicable to all parts of this policy" section set out on pages 10-13.
- If you fail to respond to written request for further information or documentation.
- If we believe you or anyone else covered by the policy seek to use the benefits of the policy for any use in which the policy is not intended for, including any commercial use.
- If you do not pay your premium, please see "Non payment of premiums "section on this page for how this

applies where **your** premium is funded by a loan and **you** are paying **your** instalments to **your** broker or finance provider.

If we cancel your policy we shall provide you with 7 days prior written notice to your last known address. Within this notice we will advise you of our reason for cancelling your policy.

#### 4. Non payment of premiums

We have the right to cancel this policy by giving you 7 days written notice in the event of non payment of the premium or default if you are paying by instalments.

Our right to cancel the policy applies even if you are paying the instalments directly to us, your broker or finance provider under a loan you have with them.

Where **you** are paying by instalments to **your** broker/finance provider, **our** right to cancel the policy by giving **you** 7 days written notice applies from the moment **you** have defaulted on **your** instalment payments with them.

If we are collecting the instalment payments and we are unable to collect a payment that is due, we will contact you and try to collect the outstanding payment(s) before we invoke our right to cancel the policy.

# 5. Taking care of your motorhome

You must do all you can to protect your motorhome and any trailer that you tow and keep both in a roadworthy condition.

If you do not do this your right to claim under your policy may be affected.

#### You must:

- ensure your motorhome is locked, windows, including sunroofs are closed, and any required security devices are activated and all keys and keyless entry system devices are removed when your motorhome is left unattended.
- when leaving your motorhome take personal belongings with you, lock them in your boot or glove compartment. Do not leave them in open view in your motorhome.
- when leaving your motorhome unattended remove if physically possible your radio and other audio equipment or activate any security features they may have.
- maintain your motorhome in roadworthy condition and ensure you have a valid MOT certificate where appropriate.
- always keep the tyres within the legal requirements at all times.

#### 6. Access to your motorhome

You must let us examine your motorhome at any reasonable time if we ask you.

# 7. Keeping to the terms and conditions

We will only provide the insurance described in this policy if anyone claiming protection has met all its terms and conditions.

### If you are abusive or aggressive towards us

If you or anyone acting for you uses threatening, aggressive, or abusive behaviour or language towards our staff or suppliers, this could affect your insurance policy. This includes in communications such as text, email, online chats, or social media.

We won't accept:

- Threats of physical violence.
- Behaviour or language that may cause someone to feel threatened or distressed.
- Abusive comments or remarks which are sexual, racial, or about religious beliefs or culture.
- Bullying or swearing.

What we may do:

- End the current call or conversation with you (we won't do this without warning you first).
- Block any further phone calls, emails or social media contact, or if made we may not answer these.
- Limit future contact with you to one method of contact e.g., by letter only.
- Limit our contact with you to one member of staff only.
- Not offer you a renewal policy for your motorhome.
- Cancel your policy giving you 7-days' notice.

#### Fraud

### If we discover you or anyone acting for you has been dishonest

When buying, making changes or renewing this policy, **you** and anyone acting for **you** must answer all questions accurately and truthfully about **you**, **your motorhome**, and any named drivers on **your policy**. You must also check and agree with any statements **we** make.

The information you give us helps us decide whether we can cover you or not, and if there are any risks where we agree to insure you and your motorhome. It also helps us to work out the right price for your policy.

If we discover information isn't correct or true, or you haven't kept us up to date with any changes, then this could affect your policy cover and any claims you make.

### What may happen with your policy cover if you have been dishonest

- We may change the terms and/or price of your policy
- We may void your policy (cancel your policy back to the start date or date the dishonest act took place, and treat your policy as if it never existed)
- We may not return any premium paid by you for the policy

### What may happen with any claims you've made

If you or anyone acting for you:

- Gives us information which you/they know isn't accurate or true
- Is dishonest about a claim
- Gives us details or makes a statement about the claim, knowing the information is untrue
- Sends false documents to support a claim or policy application knowing these have been amended, forged, or faked
- Causes loss or damage on purpose or causes loss with your agreement, knowledge, or involvement

Then:

- We won't pay any claims that have been made dishonestly
- We will take back any money we may have paid you under your policy for any dishonest claims you have made from the start date of the policy
- We may take legal action against you
- We may tell the police
- We may tell fraud prevention agencies so they can stop similar claims being made in the future

### **Claims conditions**

You must comply with the following conditions to have the full protection of your policy.

If you do not comply with them we may at our option take one or more of the following actions:

- cancel the policy;
- change the terms of your policy;
- refuse to deal with all or part of any claim or reduce the amount of any claim payments.

# What you must do in making a claim

If bodily injury, loss, theft or damage happens to you, your motorhome or anyone else you must immediately:

- call the claims telephone helpline 0345 608 0230
- do whatever you can to protect the vehicle and its accessories
- take all reasonable steps to recover missing property and to prevent a further incident
- provide us with full details of any other party involved in the incident
- send us any letters and documents you receive in connection with the incident before you reply to them
- if you know of any future prosecution, coroner's inquest or Fatal Accident Inquiry about any incident, you must tell us immediately in writing.

If we ask you must send us written details of your claim within 31 days.

Anyone making a claim under this policy must give us any information and help we need.

#### What you must not do

You, and anyone covered by this policy, must not:

- admit anything, or
- make any offer or promise about a claim, unless you have our written permission to do so.

#### What we will do

We will:

- take all the details and if appropriate, give you the telephone number and location of our nearest recommended repairer and inform you of any further action you may need to take
- have the right to take over and deal with the defence or settlement of any claim in the name of the person making a claim under this policy. We may also pursue any claim to recover any amount due from a third party in the name of anyone claiming cover under this policy
- only pay our share of the claim if you make a claim for any liability, loss or damage that is also covered by any other insurance policy
- have the right to recover any payment we make from you or from the person responsible if, under the law of any country in which you are covered by this policy, we have to pay a claim which we would not normally have to pay.

#### **Total loss**

In the event of a total loss, if your motorhome is the subject of a hire purchase or leasing agreement we will make the payment for the total loss of your motorhome directly to the owner described in the agreement.

If our estimate of the market value is more than the amount you owe the finance or leasing company, we will pay you any remaining balance of the agreed settlement. If our estimate of the market value is less than the amount you owe the finance company, you may have to pay them the rest of the agreed balance.

Any payment we make for total loss will be after we have taken off any policy excess.

#### 0345 608 0230

In the event of you needing to make a claim, call this number. We will take all the details and if appropriate, give you the telephone number and location of our nearest recommended repairer and inform you of any further action you may need to take. We are committed to dealing with each claim quickly and effectively.

Telephone calls may be monitored and recorded.

# General exclusions applicable to all parts of this policy

- 1 This policy does not apply when your motorhome:
  - is being used for purposes that are not specified in your certificate of insurance
  - is being driven by or in the charge of any person who is not covered by your certificate of insurance
  - is being driven by you or with your permission by any person who you know has not got a driving licence or who you know to be disqualified from driving or getting a licence or is prevented by law from holding one
  - is being driven by you or in the charge of a person who fails to meet the conditions of the licence they hold
  - is towing a caravan, trailer, or other vehicle for payment
  - is being used on a track or roadway designed or designated for track use or vehicle performance activities
  - is 'airside' on any airport or airfield premises ('airside' includes runways, hangars, aprons, or anywhere aircraft have access to).
- 2 This policy does not cover any liability which you have as a result of an agreement or contact, unless you would have had that liability anyway.
- 3 This policy does not provide cover for any loss of or damage to property, legal liability, injury or other loss directly or indirectly caused by, contributed to by, or arising from the following:
  - i) ionising radiations or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel

- ii) the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof.
- 4 This policy does not provide cover for any loss or damage which results from war, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities (whether or not war is declared), civil war, rebellion, revolution, military force or coup. However, this policy covers **you** so far as is necessary to meet with any law on Compulsory Insurance.
- 5 This policy does not provide cover except under Part B – Liability to others for any accident, injury, loss or damage caused by:
  - a earthquake;
  - riot or civil commotion if it occurs outside England, Scotland, Wales, the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands.
- 6 This policy does not provide cover for any liability, damage, cost or expenses, which are more than **our** legal liability under the relevant road traffic legislation for any claim, if **you** or any other person entitled to drive **your motorhome** is:
  - a found to be over the limit for alcohol to the extent which would constitute an offence under the laws of the country in which the accident occurred
  - **b** is driving whilst unfit through drink or drugs, whether prescribed or otherwise
  - c fails to provide a sample of breath, blood or urine when required to do so, without lawful reason.

7 This policy does not provide any cover or pay any claim or benefit if this puts **us** or any AXA company at risk of sanctions, prohibitions or restrictions under international sanctions.

This includes the United Nations, European Union, United Kingdom and United States of America sanctions laws.

### Part A: Loss and damage

### 1. Loss of or damage to your motorhome, or spare parts

#### ✓ What is covered

If your motorhome, accessories or spare parts are lost, stolen or damaged, we will:

- repair the damage;
- replace what is lost or damaged and is too expensive to repair; or
- pay you the cost of the loss or damage.

We can choose which of these actions we will take for any claim we agree to and the repairer can use parts that have not been produced by the vehicle manufacturer.

If your motorhome is damaged, we will use one of our recommended repairers to repair it. If you choose not to use them, we may not pay more than our recommended repairer would have charged and we may choose to settle the claim by a financial payment. Following damage to your motorhome, we may move your motorhome to a place of safe and free storage pending settlement of any claim.

We may choose to repair your motorhome with recycled parts, where appropriate. All repairs carried out by our recommended repairers are guaranteed throughout the time that you own your motorhome.

If your motorhome is an electric one, we will also cover the charging cable.

You will have to pay the policy excess if you make a claim.

If we are told that your motorhome belongs to someone else or if you are buying your motorhome under a hire purchase or leasing agreement, we will normally make the payment for the total loss of your motorhome to the legal owner. If you cannot use your motorhome because of loss or damage that is insured under this policy, we will also pay the reasonable cost of protecting your motorhome and taking it to our nearest recommended repairer. After the repair, we will pay the reasonable cost of delivering your motorhome to your address in the UK.

Where **your motorhome** is not recovered following a theft or is beyond economical repair we will pay **you** the **market value** of **your motorhome**, including accessories and spare parts at the time they are lost, stolen or damaged.

If we settle a claim as a total loss, we will then take ownership of your motorhome.

Accessories and spare parts of your motorhome, which are in your private garage at the time of their loss or damage, will also be covered.

#### **Fixtures and fittings**

This section also provides cover for loss of or damage to fixtures and fittings. Any claim for loss of or damage to fixtures and fittings must also involve the loss of or damage to your motorhome.

Awnings and toilet tents are regarded as personal belongings and therefore will be subject to the cover offered under Part E – Personal belongings.

#### New motorhome replacement

If during the period of one year after the first registration as new your motorhome is:

- stolen and not recovered; or
- damaged so that repairs will cost more than 60% of the manufacturer's price list (including taxes and the cost of accessories) at the time of the loss or damage;

and provided your motorhome is owned by you then we will replace your motorhome with a new one of the same make, model and specification.

Provided that:

- one is available
- you and anyone else we know who has a financial interest in your motorhome agree.

If your motorhome is recovered before a new replacement is ordered and the cost of repairs are less than 60% of the manufacturers' list price, we will do one of the following:

- repair the damage
- replace what is lost or damaged beyond economical repair or;
- pay you cash for the amount of the loss or damage.

#### X Exclusions to Part A – What is not covered

You are not covered for the following:

- Loss of use, loss of value, wear and tear, mechanical or electrical failure, breakdowns or breakages.<sup>†</sup>
- Loss of value after a repair.
- The cost of any repair or replacement which improves your motorhome beyond the condition it was in before the loss or damage occurred.
- Loss of or damage to your motorhome arising from or as a result of water freezing in the cooling circulation system of your motorhome.

- Damage to tyres from braking, punctures, cuts or bursts unless as a result of an accident.
- Loss of your motorhome by deception of someone who claims to be a buyer or agent.
- Loss or damage to your motorhome caused by insects or vermin.
- Loss from taking your motorhome and returning it to its legal owner.
- Loss or damage to your motorhome by theft or attempted theft if you or anyone else has left it unlocked or with keys or keyless entry system in your motorhome, or on it.
- Confiscation or requisition or destruction by, or under the order of, any government or public or land authority.
- Any loss of or damage to any charging installation or charge point installed at your home to charge an electric motorhome or car.
- Any loss or damage caused by:
  - Loss of data including restoration and duplication costs and loss of value of data
  - Reduction in performance of your motorhome.
  - Loss of use or breakdown of computer systems on your motorhome
  - Corruption or unauthorised access to data following a cyber incident or cyber act

Data means information, facts, concepts, code or any other information recorded or transmitted in a form to be used, accessed, processed, transmitted or stored by a computer system Computer system means computer hardware, software, communications system, electronic devices forming part of your motorhome. This includes smart phones, laptops, tablets, wearable devices and any data storage device networking equipment or backup facility

A cyber incident is an error, failure or unavailability which affects any computer system; this includes partial and series of errors, failures and unavailability

A cyber act is a malicious or criminal act or a series of acts involving unauthorised access to, processing of, use of or operation of any computer system. This also involves the threat or hoax of any malicious or criminal act and applies regardless of time and/or place.

- Unless we provide cover under this insurance, any other loss, damage or additional expense following on from the event for which you are claiming.\*
- Any excess that applies to this insurance.\*\*

#### **Useful information:**

† This policy does not cover mechanical breakdown, or computer failure. But, if for example your engine management system fails and causes the engine to shut down, any accident that happens as a result would be covered (although the cost to repair the fault of the engine management system would not be covered). The same applies if your vehicle catches fire - the fault yitem would not be covered, but you would be covered for the other fire damage.

\*Examples of such loss, damage or additional expense are the costs incurred in preparing a claim or loss of earnings following your bodily injury or illness.

\*\*The excess is the amount you have to pay for every claim for loss of or damage to your vehicle (for example, if your repairs cost £1,000 and you have a £100 excess, you pay £100 and the insurer pays £900). Excesses apply whoever was to blame.

There are three kinds of excess.

Compulsory – this will apply in certain circumstances, such as for high performance vehicles. Voluntary – if you have chosen to have an excess, we will give you a discount on your premimm. Young or inexperienced driver – this depends on the ages of the driver and how long they have been driving. All applicable excesses will be shown in your schedule which includes those shown against any operative endorsements that apply to this insurance policy. The young and inexperienced driver excess will apply on top of any other excesses that apply.

#### **Driver excesses**

If your motorhome or any of its accessories or spare parts are damaged while your motorhome is being driven by a driver as shown in the table below, you will have to pay this additional amount, on top of any other excess shown in your schedule, towards any claim.

An inexperienced driver is someone who holds a provisional driving licence, or has held a full driving licence for less than 12 months.

If we pay the inexperienced driver excess, you will have to repay that amount to us as soon as possible.

You will not have to pay the driver excess shown in your policy schedule if the loss or damage is caused by fire, lightning, explosion, theft or attempted theft.

If you use a non recommended repairer to fix your motorhome, you will need to pay the additional excess shown on your schedule or in endorsement NA1 on top of any other excesses that apply.

Age of Driver	Level of Experience	Excess
25 years and over	Inexperienced	£100
21 years to 24 years inclusive	Experienced	£150
21 years to 24 years inclusive	Inexperienced	£200
17 years to 20 years inclusive	All drivers	£500

#### 2. Glass damage

#### What is covered

We will pay for the repair or replacement of glass in windows or windscreens (including panoramic windscreens) in your motorhome and scratching of the bodywork caused by the glass breaking.

If this is the only damage **you** claim for, **your** no claim discount will not be affected.

**Our** windscreen supplier can use parts that have not been produced by the vehicle manufacturer.

#### X What is not covered

- The excess shown in your policy schedule or in Endorsement 29 – Windscreen breakage if it is applicable.
- The excess shown in your policy schedule or in endorsement 29R for any windscreen or glass repairs.
- To repair or replace any other glass forming part of your motorhome including sunroofs and panoramic sunroofs, where the roof glass is a separate unit to the windscreen glass. Please note, you may be entitled to make a claim for other glass under Part A – Loss and damage (Subsection 1), this will however be subject to a different excess and may impact your no claims discount.

#### **Useful information:**

\*You can save money by having the glass repaired instead of replaced. Ask the glass supplier to check the damage to see whether it can be repaired. Have your certificate of insurance ready when you have the glass repaired or replaced. The glass repairer needs this for your claim.

#### 3. Audio – visual equipment and in-car entertainment systems

#### ✓ What is covered

We will pay for loss or damage to your motorhome's permanently fitted in-car navigational equipment, car phones, radios, CD players, cassette players, games consoles or any other audio or visual equipment. Removable equipment is covered if it can only be used whilst it is attached to your motorhome and is designed to be totally or partially removed.

- If the equipment was fitted by the manufacturer of your motorhome and was part of the standard specification of your motorhome when it was first registered then we will provide unlimited cover for the loss or damage of the equipment.
- If the equipment was not fitted by the manufacturer of your motorhome or the equipment was not part of the standard specification of your motorhome when it was first registered then the maximum we will pay for the loss or damage of the equipment is £500.

#### X What is not covered

Any removable or portable equipment that is able to be used whilst not attached to **your motorhome**. This equipment will be covered under Part E – Personal belongings.

The excess shown in your schedule applies.

#### 4. Replacement locks

#### What is covered

If the keys, lock transmitter or entry card for the keyless entry system of **your motorhome** are lost or stolen, we will pay up to £1000 towards the cost of replacing:

- The door and boot locks
- The ignition and steering locks
- The lock transmitter; and
- The entry card
- Any other device designed and made by the manufacturer to access and start your motorhome

provided that we are satisfied that the identity or location of your motorhome is known to any person who may have the keys, transmitter or entry card and reasonable care is taken to safeguard the keys, transmitter or entry card from loss.

#### X What is not covered

- the theft excess shown in your schedule
- any amount in excess of £1000.

#### 5. Medical expenses

#### What is covered

If you, your driver or any of your passengers are injured in an accident involving your motorhome, we will pay medical expenses, which can include physiotherapy if you ask us to and we agree to provide the treatment, of up to £250 for each injured person.

#### 6. Hotel expenses and alternative transport

#### ✓ What is covered

In the event that your motorhome is not road worthy following an accident and you have reported a claim under Part A – Loss and Damage (subsection 1), we will pay up to a maximum of £250 in the event that you can not complete your planned journey to cover:

- overnight accommodation, including the cost of meals and drinks, for the driver and passengers of your motorhome; or
- public transport for the driver and the passengers of your motorhome to return to your home or your original planned destination.

#### 7. Child car seat

If your motorhome is fitted with any child car seats, we will pay up to £300 for their replacement with the same or similar model following an accident covered by this policy. We will pay for the replacement whether or not visible damage has been caused to the child car seat.

You should purchase the replacement seat and we will reimburse you on presentation of the receipt.

#### 8. Misfuelling

#### ✓ What is covered

If you or any named driver accidentally fill your motorhome with the wrong fuel please do not start the engine. Please call us on our claims line as soon as possible.

If your motorhome is subject to misfuelling during the period of insurance we will pay up to a maximum of £250 per claim for:

- drainage and flushing of the fuel tank on site using a specialist roadside vehicle. Or
- recovery of your motorhome, the driver and up to 6 passengers to the nearest repairer to drain and flush the fuel tank.
- replenishing the fuel tank with 10 litres of the correct fuel.

#### X What is not covered

- Any claim resulting from foreign matter entering the fuel system except for diesel or petroleum.
- Claims for misfuelling outside the UK.
- Fuel, other than the 10 litres of correct fuel to replenish the fuel tank after draining and flushing out incorrect fuel.
- For damage to the engine, the excess shown in your schedule under accidental damage will apply.
- A £75 excess applies in respect of claims for draining and flushing the fuel tank.

### Part B: Liability to others

#### ✓ What is covered

#### 1 Cover provided for you

This policy covers **you** for the amounts shown below:

- a Death of or injury to any person UNLIMITED.
- b Damage to any other person's property up to £20,000,000, plus all legal costs and expenses provided the total does not exceed £25,000,000.

which you become legally responsible for paying due to the death of or injury to any person and damage to any person's property in respect of any claim or series of claims arising out of one event involving your motorhome, or caused by a trailer or other vehicle that is attached to your motorhome.

This policy also covers **you** while charging **your motorhome** on a road or other public place if it is an electric vehicle, provided **you** have taken reasonable care to prevent any accidents or injuries

The same cover will apply for any claim arising from an accident in connection with a caravan hired to or owned by **you**, which is attached to **your motorhome** or whilst it is not attached to any vehicle.

The same cover will also apply if you are driving any other vehicle which your certificate of insurance allows you to drive. This cover ceases if you dispose of your motorhome shown in the certificate of insurance or it becomes a total loss.\*

#### 2 Cover provided for other people

If **you** ask **us** to, we will give the following people the same level of cover as provided above:

- Anyone you allow to drive your motorhome and who is allowed to drive it in the certificate of insurance.
- Any person using (but not driving) your motorhome with your permission for social, domestic and pleasure purposes.
- Any person travelling in or getting into or out of your motorhome.
- Your employer or business partner, as long as your motorhome is not owned by or hired to either your employer or business partner and your motorhome is being used for a purpose that is allowed in your certificate of insurance.

#### 3 Your legally-appointed representatives

After the death of anyone insured under this policy, we will protect that person's estate against any liability the deceased person had if that liability is insured under this policy.

#### 4 Legal fees and expenses

If we give our written permission, we will pay for solicitors fees to:

- represent anyone insured under this policy at any Coroner's Inquest or Fatal Accident Inquiry; or
- defend anyone insured under this policy in a court of summary jurisdiction;

for any incident which might give rise to a claim under Part B – Liability to others of this policy.

#### 5 Proceedings for manslaughter or causing death by dangerous driving

We will pay fees for legal services to defend anyone insured under this policy

if legal proceedings are taken against that person for manslaughter or causing death by reckless driving. The following conditions will apply to this cover:

- You must ask us to provide it.
- The death or deaths giving rise to the proceedings must have been caused by an incident covered by this policy.

#### **6 Emergency medical treatment**

We will pay for any emergency medical treatment that must be provided under the Road Traffic Act. If this is the only payment we make, it will not affect your no claim discount.

#### X What is not covered

You are not covered for the following:

- 1 Anyone driving your motorhome who is disqualified from driving or has never held a driving licence, or is prevented by law from holding one.
- 2 Liability for loss of or damage to property which belongs to, or is with, any person who is insured under this policy and who is driving your motorhome.

3 Any loss of or damage to property, legal liability, injury or other loss directly or indirectly caused by contributed to by or arising from terrorism or any action taken in controlling preventing suppressing or in any way relating to terrorism. However this policy covers you so far as is necessary to meet any law on compulsory insurance.

For the purpose of this exclusion terrorism means any act or acts that the government of the United Kingdom considers to be an act of terrorism or any act which could be defined as terrorism under the Terrorism Act 2000 and/or subsequent acts pertaining to terrorism. This involves but is not limited to the use of or threat of action, force or violence by any person or group of people acting alone or on behalf of any organisation or government. This could be for political, religious, ideological or similar reasons. This includes trying to influence any government or intimidate the public.

#### \*Useful information:

\* If an accident causes damage to another motor vehicle, an animal or property, or if anyone is injured, the law says you must stop. You must give your name, address and car registration number to anyone reasonably asking.

### Part C: Territorial limits and foreign use

#### What is covered

This policy provides the cover described in the **schedule** within the **UK**.

Your policy also provides the minimum cover you need by law to use your motorhome in:

- 1 any country which is a member of the European Community; or
- 2 any other country which has agreed to follow Article 8 of the EU Directive 2009/103/EC relating to insurance against civil liability in respect of the use of motor vehicles and is approved by the commission of the European Communities. We will also provide this cover while your motorhome is being transported between any of those countries and the UK.

Where the level of cover in any European Community Member State is less than that provided by the legal minimum requirements of UK, the level of cover that applies in UK will apply in that Member State.

Your policy automatically extends the cover shown in the schedule to the countries described in item 1 and 2 above for up to 270 days in any one period of cover.

It is no longer necessary to have an International Motor Insurance Certificate (Green card) when travelling to countries covered by item 1. or 2. above. In the absence of a Green card you must carry your current certificate of insurance when travelling.

If you plan to travel to any other country, please notify us at least three weeks before you leave as you may require a Green card, which may be supplied if we agree to extend cover. An additional premium may be charged for this additional cover.

When contacting **us** please supply the following information:

- your policy number
- the period for which cover is required
- the registration number, make and model of your motorhome
- details of any trailer or caravan being towed
- countries to be visited.

#### X What is not covered

You are not covered for any legal action taken against you outside the UK, unless it is a result of using your motorhome in a country for which we have agreed to extend this insurance cover.

### Part D: Injury benefits

#### ✓ What is covered

If:

- you or your spouse are injured solely as a result of an accident involving your motorhome; or while travelling in or getting into or out of your motorhome; or
- any other person is injured while travelling in or getting into or out of your motorhome;

we will pay you or your legal representatives or if you ask us to, the person injured or their legal representative the compensation specified below:

Provided that death or loss occurs within three calendar months and solely and directly as a result of the accident.

	You and members of your household normally living with you (subject to age exclusion below)	Other passengers (subject to age exclusion below)
Death	£15,000	£15,000
Total and irrecoverable loss of sight in one or both eye	£10,000	Nil
Total and irrecoverable loss of one or more limbs	£10,000	Nil

#### X What is not covered

You are not covered for the following:

- any person who, at the time of the injury, has not reached their sixteenth birthday.
- in respect of death or injury as a result of suicide, attempted suicide or any intentional self-injury.

### Part E: Personal belongings

#### ✓ What is covered

We will pay up to a maximum of £3500 for loss or damage in respect of your motorhome for any one claim caused by fire, theft or an accident involving:

- personal belongings, equipment or baggage in your motorhome or towing caravan
- an awning or toilet attached to or in the vicinity of your motorhome or towing caravan.

If you tell us to, we will pay the owner of the property lost or damaged rather than you. We will require a receipt from the owner of the property and upon payment our liability will end.

#### X What is not covered

You are not covered for the following:

- the first £25 of each claim for loss or damage;
- electrically or mechanically propelled or assisted vehicles, including motor cycles, childrens motor cycles, quad bikes and children's quad bikes;
- money, cheques, stamps, tickets, documents or securities;
- any amount over £500 for any single item other than an awning, tent or toilet tent;
- any amount over a total combined sum of £500 for electrical items including portable televisions, MP3/MP4 players and any other portable electronic entertainment device (for example, e-readers, tablets, docking stations, netbooks, notebooks, games consoles and mobile phones);
- goods or samples carried in connection with any trade or business;
- property insured under any other policy; and
- theft or attempted theft unless your motorhome is locked while unattended;
- loss or damage to personal belongings caused by insects or vermin.

### Part F: Additional covers and benefits

#### 1. No claims discount

As long as a claim has not been made on your policy during the current period of cover, we will include a discount in your renewal premium. We will give you a discount for each claim-free year up to the maximum entitlement.

Please note this is no guarantee **your** premium will not rise.

The table below shows what would happen to your NCD if you were to make one or more claims.

No claims discount at next renewal date without NCD protection						
Number of years No Claims Discount	period	2 claims during the <b>period</b> of cover		4 or more claims during the <b>period</b> of cover		
1	0	0	0	0		
2	0	0	0	0		
3	1	0	0	0		
4	2	0	0	0		
5 or more	3	1	0	0		

Your no claim discount will not be affected by payments for emergency treatment which the Road Traffic Act says we must pay or payments made under Part A (2) – Windscreen damage for windscreen replacement/repair.

# 2. Protected no claims discount

Once you have four years no claim discount and a claim has not been made on your policy for at least three years, if you are aged at least 25 years and all drivers are aged at least 21 years, then you can protect the discount if you pay an extra premium at each renewal.

If you have chosen protected no claim discount your no claim discount won't change at next renewal, unless you have more than 2 claims in a consecutive 3 year period. If you've made 2 claims within a 3 year period, your protection will end.

If you then have further claims your no claim discount will be reduced for each claim in line with the scale shown in this section. If we become aware of a claim or accident after we issue you with a renewal invitation, we will revise the renewal quote.

If you have protected no claim discount and you already have 2 claims within a 3 year period, we won't give you the option to protect your no claim discount at renewal. This is because if you have a third claim within a 3 year period, your protection can't be used, and your no claim discount will be reduced.

Please note that protected no claim discount is one of many parts that make up your insurance price, and doesn't guarantee that your price won't increase at renewal after a claim.

The above only applies when we aren't able to reclaim our costs back from another party. Windscreen claims won't impact your no claim discount.

#### 3. Vehicle sharing

#### ✓ What is covered

Your policy also covers your motorhome when you are being paid for carrying passengers for social or similar purposes as long as:

- your motorhome cannot carry more than eight people including the driver;
- you are not carrying the passengers as part of a business of carrying passengers; and
- the total payment you receive for the journey does not provide a profit for you.

#### 4. Vehicle service cover

#### What is covered

#### Vehicle servicing and parking

Subject to the terms and conditions of this policy other than limitations to use and driving we will provide an indemnity to you whilst your motorhome is in the custody or control of:

 A motor garage or other similar business, which you do not own, which has your motorhome for the purpose of:

maintenance;

repair;

testing; or

servicing

 A hotel, restaurant or similar business, which you do not own, where your motorhome has been parked for you.

# 5. Driving other vehicles extension

#### ✓ What is covered

Please refer to your certificate of insurance to see if you are covered to drive other cars which are not owned by, under a hire purchase agreement, rental/ short term hire agreement or annual leasing agreement to you. If your cover is extended to drive other cars, subject to the criteria listed on your certificate of insurance, the cover when driving that vehicle will be limited to Third Party Cover. This means that the car that you are driving will not be covered itself. Please note that if your certificate of insurance lists this cover then cover is restricted to you, the policyholder only, and not any other drivers named on this policy. This extension does not provide cover to drive vans, other commercial vehicles or motorbikes of any description. You are not covered under this section whilst driving outside of the UK

#### X What is not covered

You are not covered under this section whilst driving outside of the UK.

#### 6. Uninsured driver promise

If you have comprehensive cover and you make a claim where the driver of the other car involved in the accident is found to be uninsured, you will not have to pay your excess or lose any part of your no claims discount (NCD) as long as:

 you are able to provide the make, model and registration number of the other car involved, and • we can establish that you were not at fault in any way.

It will also help if **you** are able to provide the details of the other driver involved and details of any independent witnesses if possible.

When you first claim you may have to pay your excess and your NCD may be affected. However, once we have established that you were not at fault in any way and the driver of the other car was uninsured, your excess will be refunded to you and your NCD restored.

### **Endorsements**

Your insurance under this policy may be extended or restricted by endorsements. Endorsements only apply if their numbers appear in the schedule.

All the terms, conditions and exceptions of the policy continue to apply along with the endorsements.

# Endorsement 9 – Exclusion of personal belongings

You are not covered under Part E – Personal belongings of this policy.

# Endorsement 11 – Exclusion of injury benefits

You are not covered under Part D – Injury benefits of this policy.

# Endorsement 12 – Own loss or damage (voluntary)

You will pay the amount shown next to this endorsement number in the schedule towards each claim for loss or damage to your motorhome. This endorsement will not apply if damage to the car:

- is caused by fire, lightning, explosion, theft or attempted theft; or
- is limited to broken glass in the windscreen or windows or bodywork damaged by the broken glass.

This endorsement applies on top of any other amount which **you** may have to pay towards each claim. If **we** pay the whole amount of the claim at first, **you** must immediately pay **us** the amount **you** have to pay under this endorsement.

# Endorsement 13 – Own loss or damage (compulsory)

You will pay the amount shown next to this endorsement number in the schedule towards each claim for loss or damage to your motorhome.

This endorsement will not apply if damage to the car:

- is caused by fire, lightning, explosion, theft or attempted theft; or
- is limited to broken glass in the windscreen or windows or bodywork damaged by the broken glass.

This endorsement applies on top of any other amount which **you** may have to pay towards each claim. If we pay the whole amount of the claim at first, **you** must immediately pay us the amount **you** have to pay under this endorsement.

# Endorsement 15 – Company deletions

You are not covered under Parts D – Injury benefits and E – Personal belongings of this policy.

## Endorsement 16 – Fire and theft excess (compulsory)

You will pay the amount shown next to this endorsement number in the schedule towards each claim for loss or damage to your motorhome caused by fire, lightning, explosion, theft or attempted theft.

If we pay the whole amount of the claim at first, you must immediately pay us the amount you have to pay under this endorsement.

# Endorsement 29 – Windscreen breakage

You will pay the amount shown next to this endorsement number in the schedule towards each claim made under Part A – Loss and damage (2) – Windscreen damage.

#### Endorsement 29R – Windscreen repair

You may need to pay the amount shown next to this endorsement number in the schedule towards each claim for windscreen repair made under Part A – Loss and damage (2) – Windscreen damage.

## Endorsement 30 – Protected no claim discount

If **you** pay an extra premium, **your** no claim discount is protected.

This protection will apply unless more than two claims are made on your policy in three consecutive periods of cover, then protection will end and your no claim discount will be reduced to nil at your next renewal.

If we agree to transfer someone's interest under this policy, this endorsement will be cancelled unless the person the policy is transferred to can meet our conditions for having a protected no claim discount.

#### Endorsement 39 – Car security

You are not covered under Part A – Loss or damage of this policy for any loss or damage caused by theft and attempted theft unless:

- your motorhome is fitted with a security device conforming to Thatcham Category 1 or 2 standards; and
- the security device is operational at the time of any loss or damage to your motorhome.

#### Endorsement NA1 – Non recommended repairer

You will pay the amount shown next to this endorsement number in the schedule towards each claim made under Part A – Loss and damage if you use a repairer that is not an AXA Recommended repairer.

### **Important notes**

#### **Motor Insurance law**

DVLA will compare its records with details of vehicles on the MID (Motor Insurance Database) – the UK's central record of vehicle insurance.

If a vehicle does not have insurance and a Statutory Off Road Notification (SORN) has not been made, the registered keeper could face;

- a fixed penalty fine of £100
- their vehicle being clamped, seized and disposed of, and
- a court prosecution with a maximum fine of £1000.

These measures are in addition to the powers the police already have to seize an uninsured vehicle and fine the driver.

If you want to check your vehicle is recorded as 'insured' on the MID record, visit the free service at www.askMID.com

Do not contact DVLA as only your insurance provider can update your insurance details on the MID. If your vehicle registration number is not on the MID, contact your insurance provider immediately to get the MID updated.

#### What this means for you

If you are keeping your vehicle for use on the road and it is not insured, insure it now. If you are keeping your vehicle off the road and it is not insured you must make a Statutory Off Road Notification (SORN). If it is taxed you need to return the disc (including nil discs) on a V14 form to DVLA.

For more information and to get a V14 form, visit www.direct.gov.uk/ stayinsured.

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