



**PARAGON**  
SENSIBLE RISK MANAGEMENT

**KEY PROTECTION  
POLICY BOOKLET  
SECURING YOUR ACCESS,  
PROTECTING YOUR PEACE**



## KEY PROTECTION INSURANCE

### INTRODUCTION

Thank **you** for choosing Key Protection Insurance.

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

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

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

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

### CONSUMER INSURANCE ACT

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

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

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

### COOLING OFF PERIOD

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

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

### JURISDICTION AND LAW

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

### DEFINITIONS

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

<b>Annual Claim Limit</b>	The most <b>we</b> will pay in the <b>period of insurance</b> as shown in <b>your policy schedule</b> .
<b>Claims Administrators</b>	Davies Group.
<b>Duplicate Key</b>	A spare key for <b>your</b> home or vehicle.
<b>Emergency Situation</b>	A dependent is left alone and unsupervised, or if there is serious or immediate danger to <b>you</b> or <b>your</b> vehicle, home or belongings.
<b>Immediate Family Member</b>	Husband, wife, civil partner, live-in partner and their parents, children, stepchildren, adult children, or adult stepchildren.

<b>Insured Event</b>	The loss, theft or accidental damage of an <b>insured key</b> , or an <b>insured key</b> locked inside <b>your</b> home or vehicle during the <b>period of insurance</b> .
<b>Insured Key</b>	House keys, vehicle keys and personal <b>property</b> keys that belong to <b>you</b> , apart from those given to <b>you</b> by others, such as a friend, neighbour or relative.
<b>Locksmith Charges</b>	Charges relating to work carried out by a locksmith.
<b>New Locks</b>	<b>New locks</b> fitted or changes to the existing locks to enable a new key to replace an <b>insured key</b> .
<b>Onward Transport Costs</b>	Transport costs for getting <b>you</b> and <b>your</b> vehicle to <b>your</b> original destination or <b>your</b> home, up to a maximum of £75.
<b>Period of Insurance</b>	The period stated in <b>your policy schedule</b> that this policy is in force for.
<b>Policyholder</b>	The person named in <b>your policy schedule</b> .
<b>Policy Schedule</b>	The separate document <b>we</b> send <b>you</b> that includes details about <b>you</b> and what <b>you</b> are covered for.
<b>Property</b>	Any <b>property</b> or item that belongs to the <b>policyholder</b> and that <b>your insured key</b> unlocks.
<b>Replacement Key</b>	A key to replace an <b>insured key</b> and includes any reprogramming of infrared handsets, immobilisers, and alarms that is required following the replacement of the <b>insured key</b> .
<b>Territorial Limits</b>	United Kingdom, Channel Islands, Isle of Man, and the European Union.
<b>We/Us/Our/Insurer</b>	Collinson Insurance.
<b>You/Your</b>	The <b>policyholder</b> and any <b>immediate family member</b> permanently living at the same address as the <b>policyholder</b> .

## WHAT IS COVERED

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

What Is Covered	We Will Not Pay
<b>1. Locksmith Charges:</b> <b>We</b> will pay up to the <b>annual claim limit</b> for locksmith charges if an <b>insured key</b> is lost, stolen, accidentally damaged, or locked in <b>your</b> home or vehicle and <b>you</b> are unable to access <b>your</b> home, vehicle, or property.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Any charges or costs incurred for the attendance of a locksmith or other tradesman at a particular location, and <b>you</b> are not there.</li> <li>Any charges to gain entry to <b>your</b> home or vehicle where <b>you</b> have access to a <b>duplicate key</b> unless you are in an <b>emergency situation</b>.</li> </ul>
<b>2. New Locks</b> (including reprogramming of immobilisers, infrared handsets, and alarms): <b>We</b> will pay up to the <b>annual claim limit</b> for <b>new locks</b> if there is a <b>security risk</b> to <b>your</b> home, vehicle, or <b>property</b> due to the loss/theft of an <b>insured key</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For replacement locks of a higher standard or specification than those needing to be replaced.</li> <li>For locks which are damaged before the loss, theft, or accidental damage of an <b>insured key</b>.</li> </ul>
<b>3. Replacement Keys:</b> <b>We</b> will pay up to the <b>annual claim limit</b> for <b>replacement keys</b> (including any immobiliser, infrared handset and/or alarm which is integral to any <b>insured key</b> ) if an <b>insured key</b> is lost by, stolen from, or accidentally damaged by <b>you</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>For more than two keys per lock, per claim.</li> <li>For <b>replacement keys</b> of a higher standard or specification than those needing to be replaced.</li> </ul>
<b>4. Onward Transport Costs:</b> <b>We</b> will pay up to £75 per claim for <b>onward transport costs</b> if <b>you</b> have no access to <b>your</b> vehicle and you are away from <b>your</b> home due to lost, stolen, or broken <b>insured keys</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More than £75 per claim for <b>onward transport costs</b>.</li> </ul>
<b>5. Vehicle Hire:</b> <b>We</b> will pay up to £40 per day, for up to three days, if <b>you</b> are unable to use <b>your</b> vehicle due to the loss or theft of an <b>insured key</b> .	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More than £40 per day for a hire vehicle.</li> <li>Vehicle hire charges after the third day of hire.</li> </ul>
<b>6. Accommodation Costs:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>More than £120 per claim for accommodation costs.</li> </ul>

We will pay hotel or accommodation costs if <b>you</b> have no access to <b>your</b> home up to a maximum of £120 per claim due to the loss or theft of an <b>insured key</b> .	
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## WHAT IS NOT COVERED (EXCLUSIONS)

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

## CONDITIONS APPLICABLE

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

## HOW TO MAKE A CLAIM

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

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

<https://keyclaims.davies-group.com>

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

### Supporting documents

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

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

### Theft

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

### Maximum number of claims

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

## CLAIMS SETTLEMENT

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

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

## CANCELLATION BY US

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

Valid reasons may include but are not limited to:

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

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

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

## FRAUD

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

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

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

## COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE

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

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

- Email: [customer.care@davies-group.com](mailto:customer.care@davies-group.com)
- Tel: 0344 856 2015

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

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

The Financial Ombudsman Service

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

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

Email: [complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk](mailto:complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk)

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

## COMPENSATION SCHEME

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

## DATA PROTECTION

### How We Use the Information About You

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

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

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

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

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

### Processing your data

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

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

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

### How we store and protect your information

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

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

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

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

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

Email address: [data.protection@collinsongroup.com](mailto:data.protection@collinsongroup.com)

Postal Address: 3 More London Riverside, London, SE1 2AQ

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

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

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