

Auto
Business
Agricultural
Good to know

# Special Coverages

Policy booklet



www.sgicanada.ca



# **Table of Contents**

Special Coverage for Seasonal Dwelling – Outbuildings and Belongings, Rental Dwelling – Outbuildings and Belongings and Special Belongings	1
Definitions	3
Part 1 – Your Seasonal or Rental Dwelling, Outbuildings and Belongings	5
Your Premises	5
Your Seasonal or Rental Dwelling	5
Your Outbuildings	5
Your Belongings	5
Seasonal Home Pak	6
Part 2 – Perils Insured	7
Perils Insured – Cover Code A	7
Perils Insured – Cover Code B	8
Perils Insured – Cover Code C	8
Perils Insured – Cover Code AE	10
Part 3 – Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage  Additional Living Expenses  Arson Conviction Reward	11
Belongings of Guests and Residence Employees	11
Bylaw CoverageCollapse	
Debris Removal  Declaration of Emergency Endorsement	
Emergency Entry Property Damage	13
Emergency Mobile Home Removal	
Inflation Protection Factor	13
Outdoor Trees, Shrubs, Plants and Lawns Property Protection Coverage	13
Tear Out	14
Temperature Change Theft and Theft-Related Damage	
Optional Coverages	
Guaranteed Replacement Cost – Seasonal Dwelling Home Systems Protection	14
Optional Landlord's Coverage – Rental Dwellings	18
Service Line CoverageSewer Back Up	18
Voluntary Fire Fighting Coverage	21
Part 4 – Special Belongings Coverage	22
Conditions for Certain Special Belongings	22
Watercraft, their Equipment, Accessories, Outboard Motors and Jet Propulsion Personal Watercraft, including Unlicensed Boat Trailers	
Home Computers	22
Automotic Acquicitions	22

Part 5 – Other Property	24
All-Terrain Vehicles	24
Claims We Do Not Cover	
Basis of Settlement	
Conditions	
Dwelling Under Construction (Comprehensive Coverage)	25
Property Covered	
Perils Insured Cover Code H	25
Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover	25
Deductible Clause	26
Special Conditions and Limitations	26
Conditions	
Part 6 – Policy Conditions	28
A. Settling a Claim	28
Deductible	
Single Highest Deductible	
Replacement Cost and Actual Cash Value	
Obsolescence – Dwellings, Outbuildings and Belongings	
Dwelling and Outbuildings	
Specific Causes of Loss Subject to Limited Replacement Cost	
Dent Exclusion for Metal Roofs over 10 Years Old	
Special Belongings	
Belongings and Special Belongings	
Property Subject to Actual Cash Value Settlements	
Pairs and Sets	30
Dent Exclusion Clause for Mobile Homes	31
B. Property with Special Limits of Insurance –	
B. Property with Special Limits of Insurance –  Belongings	31
C. Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover	31
D. General Conditions	34
Part 7 – Statutory Conditions	0.5
rait <i>i —</i> Statutory Conditions	35

# Special Coverage for Seasonal Dwelling – Outbuildings and Belongings, Rental Dwelling – Outbuildings and Belongings and Special Belongings

Your policy is made up of a Cover Page and this booklet. Your policy is a legal contract between you and us. This booklet explains your coverages and is written in a language to make it easier for you to understand your insurance product. Your Cover Page shows the coverages you have chosen, what we agree to insure, the coverage we provide, and the amount of protection. It also shows the premium you have agreed to pay. All amounts of protection are shown and all losses are payable in Canadian dollars.

This policy booklet is in seven parts:

#### Part 1 - Dwelling, Outbuildings and Belongings

 explains the type of property you own or use that you can protect, such as a seasonal dwelling, outbuildings, belongings, or a dwelling you rent to others.

#### Part 2 - Perils Insured

explains the perils you can protect your property against.
 There are three coverage options you can choose from. They are: Cover Code A, Cover Code B, or Cover Code C. It also explains Cover Code AE. Your Cover Page shows which cover code you have.

#### Part 3 - Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage

explains the added features you have with your dwelling coverage

#### Part 4 - Special Belongings

 explains the coverage you can have to cover other items you own and use such as furs, jewelry, watercraft, and other property you need to insure on a separate basis.

#### Part 5 - Other Property

- A) All-Terrain Vehicles
  - explains the coverage you can have to cover all-terrain vehicles.
- B) Dwelling Under Construction
  - explains the coverage you can have to cover dwellings under construction.

#### Part 6 - Policy Conditions

 explains how we settle a claim, property and causes of loss we do not cover, and general conditions that apply to Parts 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

#### Part 7 - Statutory Conditions

these are conditions we must tell you about by law.

All claims will be settled directly with the person(s) named on **your**Cover Page. Only the person(s) named on **your** Cover Page may make
a claim against this policy and may take legal action against **us**.

Claims presented for loss or damage by any person(s) covered under this policy, shall be considered to be made by all named or unnamed insured person(s) jointly. Action(s) of any person either individually or jointly shall be considered action(s) by all for the purpose of investigation and settlement of losses.

Every action or proceeding against an insurer for the recovery of insurance money payable under the contract is absolutely barred unless commenced within the time set out in the *Limitations Act*.

The key to **your** policy is its Cover Page. It shows the type and amount of **your** coverage. It gives the location of property **you** are insuring and it describes certain types of property **you** are insuring. **Your** coverage starts at 12:01 A.M. standard time on the **Effective Date**. It ends at 12:01 A.M. standard time on the **Expiry Date**. **Your** Cover Page shows both of these dates. This is **your policy term**.

This policy contains various exclusions and limitations that eliminate or restrict coverage. Please read it carefully.

Insurance cannot be a source of profit. It is only designed to indemnify you against actual losses or expenses incurred by you or for which you are legally liable.

#### Definitions

In addition to other terms defined elsewhere in the Policy, as used herein and in any further amendment, the following terms and expressions have the following meanings:

Actual Cash Value means the cost to replace or repair your property considering depreciation which includes such things as its age, condition, resale value, obsolescence, and normal life expectancy at the time of loss. The value of property usually falls as it ages. Thus, Actual Cash Value is normally lower than the cost to replace your property at today's prices.

**Amount of Protection** means the maximum amount **we** will pay for an insured loss in any one **occurrence** or incident. Different amounts apply to different coverages and these amounts are shown on **your** Cover Page.

**Business** means any continuous or regular pursuit undertaken for financial gain including a trade, profession, or occupation.

**Business Premises** means **premises** on which a **business** is conducted.

**Business Property** means property pertaining to a **business**, trade, profession or occupation.

**Collapse** means the complete failure or breaking down of a foundation, wall, floor or roof of **your dwelling** or outbuilding.

**Data** means representations of information or concepts, in any form, including programs, recorded on electronic media usable in **data** processing operations.

#### Data Problem means:

- erasure, destruction, corruption, misappropriation, misinterpretation of data: or
- error in creating, amending, entering, deleting or using data; or
- inability to receive, transmit or use data.

**Dwelling** means the building at the location described on **your** Cover Page, occupied by **you** as a private residence.

Fungi means, but is not limited to, any form or type of mould, yeast, mushroom or mildew whether or not allergenic, pathogenic or toxigenic, and any substance, vapour or gas produced by, emitted from or arising out of any fungi or spore(s) or resultant mycotoxins, allergens, or pathogens.

**Ground Water** means water in the soil beneath the surface of the ground, including but not limited to water in wells, underground streams and percolating water.

**Insured** means the person(s) named on **your** Cover Page and the following unnamed person(s) living in the same household:

- the spouse of the person(s) named on your Cover Page. Spouse also means either of two persons of the same or opposite sex who have been continuously living together in a conjugal relationship and have so lived together for a period of two years or, if they are the natural or adoptive parents of a child, for a period of one year.
- the relatives of any of the above.
- anyone in the care of any of the above.

**Insured Peril** means a cause of loss or damage insured under the type of coverage shown on **your** Cover Page for that specific property.

Jet Propulsion Personal Watercraft means any motorized sea vehicle, jet ski or other motorized water device designed as a self-propelled unit used on water. They can be designed to carry the operator only or to carry the operator and one or more passengers. Where we use the term personal watercraft unit it means a jet propulsion personal watercraft as defined herein.

**Limited Replacement Cost** means the cost, including labour, material and other related costs, to replace or repair **your** property based on the age, condition and the remaining life expectancy of **your** property at the time of loss.

**Occurrence** means a loss to insured property caused by one or more of the insured perils.

Pollutant(s) means any solid, liquid, gaseous or thermal irritant or contaminants, including smoke, odour, vapour, soot, fumes, acids, alkalis, chemicals and waste. Waste includes materials to be recycled, reconditioned or reclaimed.

Replacement Cost means the cost to repair or replace property with material of similar kind and quality at today's prices without deduction for depreciation.

Rupture means damage to a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler or air conditioning system within **your dwelling** caused by sudden and accidental bursting, tearing apart, cracking, burning, or bulging of the system, due to the pressure of or lack of water or steam.

**Sewer Back Up** means back up, accidental discharge or escape or overflow of water or sewage from a sewer, sump, or septic tank.

**Spore(s)** means, but is not limited to, any reproductive particle or microscopic fragment produced by, emitted from or arising out of any **fungi**.

**Surface Water** means water on the surface of the ground where water does not usually accumulate in ordinary circumstances.

**Terrorism** means an ideologically motivated unlawful act or acts, including but not limited to the use of violence or force or threat of violence or force, committed by or on behalf of any group(s), organization(s), or government(s) for the purpose of influencing any government and/or instilling fear in the public or a section of the public.

Vacant means the dwelling is not occupied and, regardless of the presence of furnishings:

- all occupants have moved out with no intention of returning and no new occupant has taken up residence; or
- no occupant has yet taken up residence, however, a newly acquired dwelling which is to be your principal residence, will not be deemed vacant for the first 30 days from the date of title registration to you; or
- the dwelling will not be deemed to be vacant or subject to vacancy restrictions or exclusions up to the first 90 consecutive days following the death of the Insured or until the expiry date of the policy, whichever comes first.

By occupant we mean only those persons defined under Insured.

Water Escape means accidental discharge or overflow of water or steam from a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler or air conditioning system, household appliance, aquarium, waterbed, a swimming pool or hot tub or their equipment, or a public watermain.

**Watermain** means a pipe forming a part of a water distribution system that conveys consumable water but not waste water.

We, us or our means Saskatchewan Government Insurance.

You or your refers to Insured - see definition.

# Part 1 – Your Seasonal or Rental Dwelling, Outbuildings and Belongings

#### **Your Premises**

Means **your dwelling** and the grounds and outbuildings associated with it that **you** own and use on a seasonal basis or that **you** rent to others, at the location shown on **your** Cover Page. **We** cover the following property for the **amount of protection** shown on **your** Cover Page.

## Your Seasonal or Rental Dwelling

Means your dwelling or mobile home dwelling and attached additions including equipment and structures that are permanently in place as part of your dwelling and its grounds except those used in whole or in part for any business or farming purpose. This includes such things as fences, storm windows, satellite antennae, swimming pools and their attached equipment. These things are covered even while away from your premises for a short time due to repair or seasonal storage.

We cover building materials you are going to use as part of your dwelling:

- a) located on your premises.
- b) which **you** acquire and transport to **your premises**.

Permission is granted to make alterations, additions and repairs to **your dwelling**.

# **Your Outbuildings**

(This does not apply to buildings located on an insured farm premises with the exception of garden sheds and gazebos as limited under Property with Special Limits of Insurance.)

Means any building located on the grounds and separated from the dwelling. They are separate buildings even if they are attached to the dwelling by a fence, utility line or similar connection. This includes such things as garages, garden sheds, gazebos, and swimming pool enclosures.

We cover building materials you are going to use as part of your outbuildings:

- a) located on your premises.
- b) which you acquire and transport to your premises.

We will also cover boathouses, docks and boatlifts, which are located at the same resort area as **your** seasonal dwelling, if **your** seasonal dwelling is covered by this policy.

We will not cover outbuildings when designed, used, or intended for use, in whole or in part for any **business**, residential occupancy or farming purpose. You may rent them to someone else, as long as they are not used in whole or in part for any **business**, residential occupancy or farming purpose.

We will not cover greenhouses, garden frames, or the like.

Permission is granted to make alterations, additions and repairs to  ${\bf your}$  outbuilding.

# Your Belongings

Means personal property that **you** own or use, kept at **your premises**. Coverage is extended to include the following:

- belongings that are away from your premises temporarily, other than belongings in storage. Belongings in storage shall mean belongings not in current use and kept at a location away from your premises.
- belongings kept in a safety deposit box.
- belongings in storage in an occupied private dwelling.

- belongings stored in a commercial storage facility designed for that purpose.
- belongings in storage away from your premises for up to 30 consecutive days, if stored elsewhere than in an occupied private dwelling or commercial storage facility designed for that purpose. We will extend this 30 day coverage if you tell us of placing your belongings into storage and this is shown on your Cover Page. This will involve an extra premium charge.
- furs, watercraft, their equipment, accessories, outboard motors, and jet propulsion personal watercraft, including unlicensed boat trailers during seasonal storage away from your premises.
- golf carts kept year round at a golf course.
- belongings in transit.

There are some limits on the kinds of belongings we will cover and the amounts blanket coverage will pay. They are shown in the sections entitled Property with Special Limits of Insurance and Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover contained within this wording booklet.

Any belongings we cover as Special Belongings or which are specifically insured elsewhere are not covered here. The basic limitation within the policy no longer applies to that item.

#### Seasonal Home Pak

All SGI CANADA Seasonal Home Paks cover **Dwellings**, Outbuildings, Belongings, Increased Living Expenses and Lost Rental Income and Personal Liability.

There are four options available:

- Pak I provides Cover Code B perils on dwellings, outbuildings and belongings.
- Pak B provides Cover Code C perils on dwellings and outbuildings and Cover Code B perils on belongings.
- Pak II provides Cover Code B perils on dwellings and outbuildings and Cover Code C perils on belongings.
- Pak III provides Cover Code C perils on **dwellings**, outbuildings and belongings.

Your Cover Page shows which Pak you have.

# Part 2 – Perils Insured

#### Perils Insured - Cover Code A

When Cover Code A is shown on **your** Cover Page, **we** cover for direct physical loss or damage caused by the following 10 perils:

- Fire or Lightning.
- 2) Explosion or Implosion.
- 3) Smoke. By this we mean damage due to sudden and unusual failure of a heating or cooking unit in or on the premises. This could include things such as a furnace, stove or fireplace.
- Falling Objects that hit the outside of an insured building or structure.
- 5) Impact by Aircraft, Spacecraft or Land Vehicles.
- Riot.
- 7) Vandalism or Malicious Acts. We do not cover loss or damage:
  - directly or indirectly caused by theft or attempted theft.
  - while your dwelling is under construction or vacant, regardless if permission for construction or vacancy was given elsewhere.
  - caused by you or anyone living in your household.
  - to property from that part of your premises rented by you
    to others, caused by any tenant, tenant's guests, tenant's
    employees, or members of their households, unless fire ensues
    and then we only cover the loss or damage caused by the
    ensuing fire.
- 8) Water Escape and Rupture. If you, or your tenant with your knowledge, are away from your premises for more than 10 consecutive days during the normal heating season, you or your tenant must do one of three things. You or your tenant must shut off the water supply and drain all pipes, attached fixtures, and appliances, or arrange to have a reliable person come in daily to check the heating, or have your premises electronically monitored 24 hours per day by a company that monitors and responds to a low temperature signal. If you or your tenant does not, we will not cover loss or damage caused by freezing, or resulting water damage.

We do not cover loss or damage to **your dwelling** or belongings if **your dwelling** has been **vacant** for more than 30 consecutive days or while **your dwelling** is under construction.

**We** do not cover loss or damage caused by freezing to any part of a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler or air conditioning system or household appliance that is not in a heated building, or any resulting water damage.

We do not cover loss or damage caused:

- by rust, corrosion or deterioration.
- by seepage, or continuous or repeated leakage.
- by sewer back up.
- 9) Windstorm or Hail. The interior of a building and belongings inside are also covered, but only if the damage happens immediately after wind or hail first makes an opening in the building. This peril does not cover loss or damage caused by waves, flood, high water, ice, rain, snow or sleet, whether driven by wind or not.
- Electricity. Means sudden and accidental loss or damage caused by artificially generated electrical current.

There are other causes of loss we will not cover under this policy. These are shown under Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover.

### Perils Insured - Cover Code B

When Cover Code B is shown on **your** Cover Page, **we** cover for direct physical loss or damage caused by the perils as defined shown in Cover Code A plus peril 11 on seasonal and rental dwellings and outbuildings or perils 1 to 13 on belongings:

- 11) Glass Breakage. We cover any cause of loss to glass or safety glazing material. These things must be part of a building, storm door, or window. We do not cover these things while your dwelling or outbuilding is under construction or vacant, even if we have given permission for construction or vacancy.
- 12) Theft, including damage caused by Attempted Theft. We do not cover the following:
  - buildings, building materials you are going to use as part of your dwelling, permanently installed equipment, and structures, except as shown under Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage.
  - property on your premises while your dwelling is under construction or vacant, even if we have given permission for construction or vacancy.
  - property from that part of your premises rented by you to others caused by any tenant, tenant's guests, tenant's employees, or members of their household.
  - loss or damage caused by you or anyone living in your households.
- 13) Transportation. We cover loss or damage to belongings and building fixtures and fittings while they are being transported if caused by an accident to the transporting vehicle.

There are other causes of loss we will not cover under this policy. These are shown under Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover.

## Perils Insured - Cover Code C

When Cover Code C is shown on **your** Cover Page, **we** cover direct physical loss or damage caused by comprehensive perils.

Comprehensive Perils. Shown below are some perils or causes of loss that we exclude. If these are the cause of loss or damage, we will not cover such loss or damage. If the peril that causes loss or damage is not one of the perils shown below, then you are covered.

We do not cover loss or damage:

- caused by water below ground level including that which exerts pressure on or flows, seeps or leaks through any opening in a sidewalk, driveway, foundation, wall, window, door or floor. We will, however, cover if it was due to a sudden and unexpected escape of water from a swimming pool or its attached equipment, fire fighting activities, or a public watermain.
- b) caused by flood, surface water, waves, tidal waves, overflow of streams or other bodies of water, spray, ice, waterborne ice, shoreline ice build-up, or waterborne objects, whether any of the former are driven by wind or not. But we will, however, cover loss or damage if it is due to a sudden and unexpected escape of water from a swimming pool or its attached equipment, fire fighting activities, or a public watermain. We will cover loss or damage to watercraft due to sudden and unexpected flood, surface water and waves.
- c) caused by wear and tear, rust, corrosion, or deterioration.
- d) caused by freezing or resulting water escape from a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler or air conditioning system, or household appliance during the normal heating season and you, or your tenant with your knowledge, are away from your premises for more than 10 consecutive days. In order to have this coverage, you or your tenant must do one of three things. You or your tenant must shut off the water supply and drain all pipes, attached fixtures, and appliances, or arrange to have a reliable person come in daily to check the heating, or have your dwelling electronically monitored 24 hours per day by

a company that monitors and responds to a low temperature signal. But, **we** will not cover loss or damage if **your dwelling** has been **vacant** for more than 30 consecutive days or while **your dwelling** is under construction, even if **we** have given permission for construction or vacancy.

- caused by dampness of atmosphere, extremes of temperature, condensation (includes ice and/or frost from condensation), wet or dry rot, mould, acid rain, contamination, inherent vice, unknown flaw and defect.
- f) caused by mechanical breakdown, except as covered under Optional Coverages – Home Systems Protection.
- g) caused by seepage or continuous or repeated leakage of water or steam from a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler, or air conditioning system, household appliance, a swimming pool or hot tub or attached equipment, or a public watermain.
- caused by rupture, or freezing to an outdoor swimming pool or hot tub and the attached equipment of either, any part of a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler, or air conditioning system, or household appliance not in a heated building or a public watermain.
- i) due to theft or attempted theft, vandalism or malicious acts:
  - (i) to property from that part of your premises rented by you to others caused by any tenant, tenant's guests, tenant's employees, or members of their household, unless fire ensues and then we only cover the loss or damage caused by the ensuing fire.
  - (ii) caused by you or anyone living in your household.
  - (iii) while your dwelling is under construction or vacant, even if we have given permission for construction or vacancy.
- j) caused by escape of water or steam from a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler, or air conditioning system, household appliance, swimming pool or hot tub or their attached equipment, or public watermain occurring after your dwelling has been vacant for more than 30 consecutive days or while your dwelling is under construction, even if we have given permission for construction or vacancy.
- k) caused by vermin (such as skunks and raccoons), rodents (such as squirrels and mice), insects (such as moths and termites), moles, zebra mussels, bats, birds, or domesticated animal. We will cover resulting damage to building glass caused by birds if the peril of Glass Breakage is insured under your policy.
- caused by sudden and accidental bursting, tearing apart, cracking, burning, or bulging due to the pressure of or lack of water or steam in a plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler, or air conditioning system, or an appliance for heating water occurring after your dwelling has been vacant for more than 30 consecutive days or while your dwelling is under construction, even if we have given permission for construction or vacancy.
- m) due to marring or scratching of any property or breakage of any fragile or brittle article unless caused by a **Listed Peril**, theft or attempted theft.
- n) to glass while your dwelling or outbuilding is under construction or vacant, even if we have given permission for construction or vacancy.
- to retaining walls not constituting part of an insured building, unless caused by a Listed Peril.
- p) caused by **sewer back up**. **We** do not cover loss or damage caused by **sewer back up** from public sewers or drains outside **your** dwelling.
- q) caused by smoke from agricultural or industrial operations.
- r) to sporting equipment due to the use of it.
- to contact lenses unless the loss or damage is caused by a Listed Peril, theft or attempted theft.

**We** do not cover the following three things if they happen at the same time as an excluded peril or cause of loss above or elsewhere in this policy or contribute with an excluded peril or cause of loss to produce a loss:

- weather conditions.
- acts or decisions of any person, civic authorities, or government authorities.
- faulty, inadequate, or defective planning, design, material, construction, or maintenance of public utilities or public structures.

Listed Perils referred to previously are fire, lightning, explosion or implosion, smoke, falling objects, impact by aircraft, spacecraft or land vehicles, riot, vandalism or malicious acts, water escape, rupture, windstorm or hail, electricity and transportation, all as defined under Perils Insured.

There are other causes of loss we will not cover under this policy. These are shown under Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover.

#### Perils Insured - Cover Code AE

When Cover Code AE is shown on **your** Cover Page, **we** cover **your vacant** seasonal dwelling or **your vacant** rental dwelling for direct physical loss or damage caused by the listed perils as described under Cover Code A.

If your dwelling is vacant for more than 90 consecutive days, the most we will pay for loss or damage caused by fire or lightning is 2/3 of the actual amount of such loss or damage. This does not apply unless shown on your Cover Page.

Cover Code AE requires that the following conditions must be met:

- a) you must arrange to have a reliable person take care of your dwelling.
- b) all windows and doors must be closed and locked.
- c) all rubbish must be removed.

# Part 3 – Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage

We provide added features along with your regular coverage at no extra cost. These may be special types of coverage available to you, or they may be special uses of your regular coverage. We have noted those features that add to your total amount of protection. Otherwise, the coverages described are part of the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page.

#### **Additional Living Expenses**

You may use up to the 10% of the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page for your dwelling to pay for an increase for each of the following. The length of time we will continue to make payments is not restricted by the expiry of your policy.

#### 1. Increased Living Expenses

If the loss or damage makes your premises unfit for occupancy, we will pay for your moving costs. The loss or damage must be due to a peril for which your premises are insured. We will pay for the reasonable increase in your cost of living required to maintain your normal standard of living. We will not pay expenses for things that are not needed to support you during the period your premises remain unfit for occupancy. We will continue to pay only until you repair or replace your premises, or you permanently relocate. We will not pay for any increased costs due to unnecessary delays on your part, to repair or replace your premises, relocate, or to settle your household.

#### 2. Lost Rental Income

We will pay for your actual loss of rental income for those parts of your premises that you were renting out when the loss took place. The loss or damage must be due to a peril for which your premises are insured. We will pay for the fair rental value of this property even if it was not rented out when the loss took place. You must show us that you were trying and able to rent it out at the time of loss. We will pay until you have had a reasonable length of time to repair or replace the part of your premises that you were renting out. We will deduct any savings in expenses, such as electric and water bills, which stop because of the loss.

#### 3. Prohibited Access

When a public authority denies you access to your premises:

We will pay the costs for Increased Living Expenses and Lost Rental Income for up to two weeks. The denial must be due to damage to your or neighbouring premises from a peril for which your premises are insured. If you have Cover Code C – Comprehensive Perils, it must be due to a Listed Peril.

#### **Arson Conviction Reward**

We will pay \$1,000 for information which leads to a conviction for arson in connection with a fire loss to property insured by this policy. The amount we pay adds to **your** total **amount of protection**. The \$1,000 limit will not be increased regardless of the number of persons providing information.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

### Belongings of Guests and Residence Employees

You may use up to 10% of your belongings protection for belongings of your residence employees or non-paying guests. These belongings must be at your seasonal premises or in the care of residence employees carrying out duties of their employment away from your premises. The loss must be due to a peril for which your own belongings are insured. Your guests or residence employees must not have any other coverage on their belongings. All claims will be settled directly with you.

#### **Bylaw Coverage**

If your seasonal dwelling or outbuildings must be rebuilt to meet current building codes and bylaws, this may involve extra expenses not covered by ordinary insurance. If your Cover Page shows that you have this coverage, we will pay up to the amount of protection shown for these extra expenses, only if the original construction, subsequent renovations or additions were compliant with building codes and bylaws at the time of construction or alteration. These expenses must be due to a peril for which your seasonal dwelling is insured and involve only that portion of the property directly damaged by an insured loss. Extra expenses due to a law preventing you from rebuilding on the same site are not covered.

#### Collapse

We cover direct physical loss or damage due to the **collapse** of a foundation, wall, floor, or roof of **your dwelling** or outbuildings caused by any of these three things:

- a peril insured by this policy.
- the weight of contents, equipment, or people.
- the weight of rain, ice, snow, or sleet on the roof.

We do not cover loss or damage caused by **collapse** while **your dwelling** or outbuilding is under construction or **vacant**, even if **we** have given permission for construction or vacancy.

#### **Debris Removal**

You may have us pay to remove debris of insured property from your premises, if your insured property has been damaged or destroyed by an insured peril.

We will also pay for removal of property of others, excluding trees, shrubs and plants, blown on to your premises by windstorm, if your insured property is damaged or destroyed by an insured peril.

Debris removal expenses shall not be considered for the purpose of applying any co-insurance.

# Declaration of Emergency Endorsement (Extension of Termination or Expiry Date)

The effective date of termination of this policy by the Insurer or the expiry date of this policy is extended, subject to the conditions and definitions set out below, as follows when an **Emergency** is declared by a Canadian public authority designated by statute for the purpose of issuing such an order.

- 1. The Emergency must have a direct effect or impact on:
  - a) the **Insured**, the insured site or insured property located in the declared emergency area; or
  - the operations of the Insurer or its agent/broker located in the declared emergency area.
- a) Any time limitation described in the Termination condition of this
  policy, with respect to termination of this policy by the Insurer, will
  not continue to run until the Emergency is terminated plus the
  lesser of:
  - (i) 30 days; or
  - (ii) the number of days equal to the total time the Emergency order was in effect.
  - b) If this policy is due to expire during an Emergency, it will continue in force until the Emergency is terminated plus the lesser of:
    - (i) 30 days; or
    - (ii) the number of days equal to the total time the Emergency order was in effect.
- In no event shall the total term of the extension exceed 120 consecutive days.

The **Insured** agrees to pay the *pro rata* premium earned for the additional time the Insurer remains on risk as a result of the above.

#### Definitions:

**Emergency** is defined as the first statutory declaration of an emergency:

- with respect to a situation or an impending situation that constitutes a danger of major proportions that could result in serious harm to persons or substantial damage to property and that is caused by the forces of nature, a disease or other health risk, an accident or an act whether intentional or otherwise; or
- as provided for by the relevant governing legislation if different from a) but does not include any subsequent statutory declaration(s) that may be issued relating to the same event.

All other terms and conditions of the Policy to which this endorsement applies remain unchanged.

#### **Emergency Entry Property Damage**

Coverage is automatically provided to repair damage to **your dwelling** (permanent or temporary residence) if damaged as a result of forcible entry by police, ambulance, fire department, or other persons to save and preserve life. This coverage adds to **your** total **amount of protection**.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

#### **Emergency Mobile Home Removal**

If your dwelling is a mobile home and must be moved to protect it from loss, we will pay to have it moved and returned. The loss or threat of loss must be due to a peril for which your dwelling is insured. We do not consider your mobile home to be in transit when it is moved for this emergency.

#### Fraud Conviction Reward

We will pay up to \$1,000 for information which leads to a conviction of fraud in connection with an insured loss to property insured by this policy. The amount we pay adds to your total amount of protection. The \$1,000 limit will not be increased regardless of the number of persons providing information.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

#### Inflation Protection Factor

To help protect **you** in the event **you** have a loss, **we** will increase the total **amount of protection** on **your dwelling**, outbuildings, and belongings by a portion of the Inflation Protection Factor (IPF) percentage (as shown on **your** Cover Page) as follows:

- 2 months after inception 25% of the IPF
- 5 months after inception 50% of the IPF
- 8 months after inception 75% of the IPF
- 11 months after inception 100% of the IPF

**Inception** means the effective date of the policy, or, if the policy has been in force for more than one year, its last anniversary date. If **you** request a change in the amount of insurance during the policy term, the effective date of that change will be considered the **inception**, until the next policy anniversary date.

Vacant buildings do not have this added feature.

#### Outdoor Trees, Shrubs, Plants and Lawns

I

You may use up to 5% of the amount of protection shown on your dwelling to pay for loss or damage to outdoor trees, shrubs, plants, and lawns. Loss must be due to 1 of these 8 causes: 1) Fire. 2) Lightning. 3) Explosion or Implosion. 4) Riot. 5) Impact by Aircraft, Spacecraft or Land Vehicles. 6) Vandalism. 7) Malicious Acts. 8) Theft including damage caused by attempted theft.

We will pay up to \$1,000 for your lawn, single tree, plant or shrub including debris removal. This extension of coverage does not increase the amount of coverage available under Property with Special Limits of Insurance for cannabis plants. We do not insure any items grown for commercial purposes or sale.

#### **Property Protection Coverage**

We will pay for property that is damaged or used trying to protect your dwelling, outbuildings, or belongings from a loss. For example, we will pay to recharge a neighbour's fire extinguisher if it was used to fight your fire. We will not pay for property owned by a fire department. The amount we pay adds to your total amount of protection.

#### Tear Out

We will pay to remove and replace or repair parts of your dwelling or premises if that is necessary to repair rupture damage to plumbing, heating, fire sprinkler, or air conditioning systems.

We will not pay the cost of tearing out and replacing or repairing property for damage related to swimming pools, hot tubs, or similar installations, public watermains, or sewers.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

#### Temperature Change

If there is a failure of any system in **your dwelling** or outbuildings that maintains an artificial temperature, such as **your** furnace or freezer, including mechanical breakdown, accidental unplugging or off premises power interruption, **we** will pay for the loss or damage to **your** belongings that is caused by the resulting change in temperature. The belongings must be in a building.

#### Theft and Theft-Related Damage

If not covered elsewhere in this policy, **you** may use up to \$1,000 to pay for theft related damage to **your dwelling** or outbuildings, but **your** belongings must be insured for the peril of theft. The damage must be caused by theft or attempted theft of **your** belongings.

#### **Optional Coverages**

Your Cover Page will show which of the following optional coverages apply to your policy.

#### Guaranteed Replacement Cost - Seasonal Dwelling

If your Cover Page shows that you have this coverage, we will pay to repair or replace your seasonal dwelling at today's prices with material of similar kind and quality. We will do this even if the cost is more than the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page. But, we will not pay for increased costs due to any law or bylaw dealing with building or repair, except as mentioned under Part 3 – Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage – Bylaw Coverage.

Guaranteed Replacement Cost does not apply:

- if your seasonal dwelling is vacant when a loss happens.
- when the loss or damage is caused by the sudden and accidental bursting or overflowing of your domestic fixed fuel oil tank, apparatus or pipes.

After a loss, you must do three things to get this coverage:

- you must rebuild your seasonal dwelling on a permanent foundation at the same site.
- you must rebuild your seasonal dwelling within a reasonable time.
- you must re-occupy that location as a seasonal dwelling.

**We** will not pay for any increased costs due to unnecessary delays on **your** part.

You must tell us if you are making changes to your seasonal dwelling that will increase its total Replacement Cost by \$25,000 or more and you must tell us within 90 days of the date when work started. For example, when you add an addition to or renovate your seasonal dwelling. You must pay an additional premium for this increase in value. If you do not tell us of such changes in replacement values as required, we will not pay more than the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page. The basis of settlement will be on a Replacement Cost

basis as defined previously in this booklet. Guaranteed Replacement Cost will not apply. We will increase the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page only by the amount allowed under the Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage – Inflation Protection Factor.

#### **Home Systems Protection**

If your Cover Page shows you have this coverage, we will pay up to the amount of protection shown for Home Systems Protection, except as specified for Spoilage below, for loss, damage or expense arising from any one home systems breakdown. Coverage applies only at the location shown on your Cover Page but coverage does not apply while your premises is under construction or vacant.

Payment under this coverage does not increase any limit of liability for any other coverage provided under Part 1 of this policy.

#### 1. Definitions

**Covered home equipment** means property covered under **dwellings**, outbuildings or belongings:

- a) that generates, transmits or utilizes energy;
- which, during normal usage, operates under vacuum or pressure, other than the weight of its contents.

Covered home equipment may utilize conventional design and technology or new or newly commercialized design and technology.

None of the following is covered home equipment:

- a) supporting structure, cabinet or compartment;
- b) insulating material associated with covered home equipment;
- water piping other than boiler feedwater piping, boiler condensate return piping or water piping connected to a heating or air conditioning system;
- wastewater piping or piping forming a part of a fire protective sprinkler or irrigation system;
- buried or encased piping or buried vessels, however, interior buried or encased piping connected to a heating or air conditioning system is covered home equipment;
- f) software or electronic data: or
- g) riding lawn mowers or tractors.

**Electronic circuitry** means microelectric components, including but not limited to circuit boards, integrated circuits, computer chips and disk drives.

Electronic circuitry impairment means an accidental event involving electronic circuitry within covered home equipment that causes covered home equipment to suddenly lose its ability to function as it had been functioning immediately before such event. An electronic circuitry impairment must also meet each of the following conditions:

- a) We shall determine that the reasonable and appropriate remedy to restore such covered home equipment's ability to function is the replacement of one or more electronic circuitry components of the covered home equipment.
- The covered home equipment must be owned or used by you, or members of your household residing with you.
- c) None of the following is an **electronic circuitry impairment**:
  - (i) Any condition that can reasonably be remedied by:
    - a) normal maintenance, including but not limited to replacing expendable parts, recharging batteries or cleaning;
    - b) rebooting, reloading or updating software or firmware;
    - c) providing necessary power or supply.
  - (ii) Any condition caused or relating to:

- a) incompatibility of covered home equipment with any software or equipment installed, introduced or networked within the prior 30 days; or
- b) insufficient size, capability or capacity of the **covered** home equipment.
- (iii) Exposure to adverse environmental conditions, including but not limited to change in temperature or humidity, unless such conditions result in an observable loss of functionality. Loss of warranty shall not be considered an observable loss of functionality.

#### Equipment breakdown means a sudden and accidental:

- a) Mechanical breakdown; or
- b) Electrical breakdown; or
- c) Bursting, cracking or splitting

of **covered home equipment** that results in direct physical damage and requires repair or replacement of all or part of the damaged **covered home equipment**.

#### None of the following is an equipment breakdown:

- Rust, corrosion, erosion, deterioration or gradual loss of efficiency or functionality of covered home equipment;
- b) Leakage or seepage from any connection, valve, fitting, shaft or seal;
- Any programming error, programming limitation, computer virus, malicious code, loss of data, loss of access, loss of use, loss of functionality or other condition within or involving data or media of any kind;
- d) Complete or partial interruption of electrical power, fuel or water supply, whether deliberate or accidental;
- e) Any condition which can be corrected by resetting, recalibrating or by the performance of maintenance; or
- f) Cosmetic or other damage that does not impair functionality.

Home systems breakdown means an equipment breakdown or electronic circuitry impairment.

One home systems breakdown means if an initial home systems breakdown causes other home systems breakdowns, all will be considered one home systems breakdown. All home systems breakdowns that are the result of the same event will be considered one home systems breakdown.

#### Coverages

We will cover the following:

a) Damage to Covered Home Equipment

We will pay for direct physical damage to **covered home equipment** that is the result of a **home systems breakdown** that occurs on or off the **premises**. We will consider **electronic circuitry impairment** to be physical damage to **covered home equipment**.

### b) Spoilage

With respect to your refrigerated property we will pay:

- for physical damage due to spoilage that is the result of a home systems breakdown;
- (ii) any necessary expenses you incur to reduce the amount of loss under this coverage to the extent that they do not exceed the amount of loss that otherwise would have been payable under this coverage.

We will pay up to \$5,000 under this Spoilage coverage.

#### c) Increased Living Expenses and Lost Rental Income

Coverage for Increased Living Expenses and Lost Rental Income is extended to this Home Systems Protection coverage.

#### d) Expediting Expenses

With respect to **your covered home equipment** that is damaged as the result of a **home systems breakdown**, **we** will pay the reasonable cost to:

- (i) make temporary repairs; and
- (ii) expedite permanent repairs or permanent replacement.

#### e) Environmental, Safety and Efficiency Improvements

If covered home equipment requires replacement due to a home systems breakdown, we will pay your additional cost to replace with equipment that is better for the environment, safer for people, or more energy or water efficient than the equipment being replaced. However, we will not pay to increase the size or capacity of the equipment and we will not pay more than 150% of what the cost would have been to replace with like kind and quality. This condition does not apply to the replacement of component parts or to any property to which Actual Cash Value applies and does not increase any of the applicable limits.

#### 3. Exclusions

We will not pay under this coverage for:

- a) Loss, damage or expense caused by or resulting from electrical power surge or brown out, whether or not caused by lightning, however, with respect to your belongings, we will pay for loss, damage or expense to tubes, transistors, electronic components or circuitry that are part of appliances, fixtures, computers, home entertainment units or other types of electronic apparatus, caused by or resulting from artificially generated electrical current.
- Loss, damage or expense caused by or resulting from any of the following, whether the excluded cause of loss occurs on or off the premises:
  - (i) fire (including fire resulting from a home systems breakdown); or water or other means used to extinguish a fire:
  - (ii) explosion;
  - (iii) lightning; windstorm or hail; smoke; impact by aircraft, spacecraft or land vehicles; riot; glass breakage; falling objects; weight of snow, ice or sleet; freezing (caused by cold weather); collapse;
  - (iv) vandalism or malicious acts or theft;
  - (v) flood, surface water, waves, tides, tidal waves, overflow of streams or other bodies of water, spray, ice, waterborne ice, shoreline ice build-up, or waterborne objects whether any of the former are driven by wind or not; mudslide or mudflow; or water or sewage that backs up or overflows from a sewer, drain, septic tank or sump, and any other water damage including water damage resulting from a home systems breakdown:
  - (vi) any earth movement, including but not limited to earthquake, subsidence, sinkhole collapse, landslide, earth sinking, tsunami or volcanic action.
- Loss, damage or expense to any property that is not covered home equipment except for refrigerated property to the extent it is covered under Spoilage.

#### 4. Deductible

We will pay only that part of the loss that exceeds the deductible shown on your Cover Page for this coverage. No other deductible applies to this coverage.

#### Loss Settlement

Losses under this coverage will be settled as follows:

- a) Our payment for damaged covered property will be the smallest of:
  - (i) the applicable limit of liability; or
  - (ii) the cost to repair the damaged property; or
  - (iii) the cost to replace the damaged property with like kind, quality and capacity on the same **premises**; or
  - (iv) the necessary amount actually spent to repair or replace the damaged property.
- b) Except as described in Environmental, Safety and Efficiency Improvements above, you are responsible for the extra cost of replacing damaged property with property of a better kind or quality or of a different size or capacity.
- c) If you do not repair or replace the damaged property within 24 months after the date of the home systems breakdown, then we will pay only the smaller of:
  - the cost it would have taken to repair at the time of the home systems breakdown; or
  - the Actual Cash Value at the time of the home systems breakdown.

#### Optional Landlord's Coverage - Rental Dwellings

If **your** Cover Page shows that **you** have this coverage, **we** will pay up to \$1,500 for damage to the insured **dwelling** caused by theft or attempted theft. **You** must pay the deductible shown on **your** Cover Page.

#### Service Line Coverage

If your Cover Page shows you have this coverage, we will pay up to the amount of protection shown for Service Line Coverage for loss, damage or expense arising from any one service line failure. Coverage applies only at the location shown on your Cover Page but coverage does not apply while your premises is under construction or vacant.

Payment under this coverage does not increase any limit of liability for any other coverage provided under Part 1 of this policy.

#### 1. Definitions

The following definitions are added:

**Covered service line** means exterior underground piping and wiring, including permanent connections, valves or attached devices providing one of the following services to **your premises**:

- a) communications, including cable transmission, data transmission, internet access and telecommunications;
- b) compressed air;
- c) drainage;
- d) electrical power;
- e) heating, including geothermal, natural gas, propane or steam;
- maste disposal through sewer piping that connects from your dwelling to a public sewer system or private septic system; or
- g) water

A covered service line must be owned by you or you must be responsible for its repair or replacement as required by law, regulation or service agreement. Should repair or replacement be your responsibility, a covered service line ends at the precise location where your responsibility for such repair or replacement ends. However, in no event will a covered service line extend beyond the point of connection to the main service or utility line.

#### Covered service line does not include:

 that part of piping or wiring that runs through or under a body of water, including but not limited to a swimming pool, pond or lake;

- that part of piping or wiring that runs through or under the dwelling or other structure;
- c) piping or wiring that is not connected and ready for use.

#### Earth movement means:

- a) earthquake, including land shock waves or tremors before, during or after a volcanic eruption;
- b) landslide, mudslide or mudflow;
- c) subsidence or sinkhole collapse;
- d) tsunami or volcanic action;
- any other naturally occurring earth movement including earth sinking, rising or shifting.

One service line failure means if an initial service line failure causes other service line failures, all will be considered one service line failure. All service line failures that are the result of the same event will be considered one service line failure.

Service line failure means a leak, break, tear, rupture, collapse or arcing of a covered service line not otherwise excluded by this coverage. A service line failure may be caused by, but is not limited to the following perils:

- a) wear and tear, marring, deterioration or hidden decay;
- b) rust or other corrosion;
- c) mechanical breakdown, latent defect or inherent vice;
- d) weight of vehicles, equipment, animals or people;
- e) vermin, insect, rodents or other animals;
- f) artificially generated electrical current;
- g) freezing or frost heave;
- h) external force from a shovel, backhoe or other form of excavation:
- tree or other root invasion.

Service line failure does not include a blockage or low pressure of a covered service line when there is no physical damage to the covered service line.

#### 2. Coverages

The following coverages are added, subject to the **amount of protection** shown on **your** Cover Page for Service Line Coverage:

#### a) Damages to Covered Service Line

We will pay for physical loss or damage to your covered service line that is the direct result of a service line failure.

#### b) Excavation Costs

With respect to **your covered service line** that is damaged as the result of a **service line failure**, **we** will pay the necessary and reasonable excavation costs that are required to repair or replace the damaged **covered service line**.

#### c) Expediting Expenses

With respect to **your covered service line** that is damaged as the result of a **service line failure**, **we** will pay the reasonable extra cost to:

- (i) Make temporary repairs; and
- (ii) Expedite permanent repairs or permanent replacement.

## d) Additional Living Expenses and Lost Rental Income

Coverage for Additional Living Expenses and Lost Rental Income is extended to Service Line Coverage.

#### e) Outdoor Property

We will pay for outdoor trees, shrubs, plants, lawns, walkways and driveways, that are damaged as a result of a service line failure or that are damaged during the excavation of your covered service line following a service line failure.

#### f) Environmental, Safety and Efficiency Improvements

If a covered service line requires replacement due to a service line failure, we will pay your additional cost to replace with materials that are better for the environment, safer for people or more energy or water efficient than the materials being replaced.

However, we will not pay to increase the size or capacity of the materials and we will not pay more than 150% of what the cost would have been to replace with like kind and quality. This condition does not increase the limit that applies to this coverage.

#### 3. Exclusions

We will not pay under this coverage for loss or damage to:

- a) (i) septic systems, including leach fields, septic tanks, pumps, motors or piping that runs from the septic tank to the leach fields, other than loss or damage to covered waste disposal piping running from your dwelling or other structure to a septic tank;
  - (ii) water wells, including well pumps or motors;
  - (iii) heating and cooling systems, including heat pumps;
  - (iv) sprinkler system pumps, motors or heads.
- b) We will not pay for loss or damage to a covered service line that is damaged while it is being installed, dismantled or repaired. However, this exclusion shall not apply if a covered service line failure necessitated such installation, dismantling or repair.
- We will not pay to clean up or remove pollutants, hazardous waste or sewage.
- d) We will not pay under this coverage for loss or damage caused by or resulting from any of the following causes of loss:
  - fire and resultant loss or damage caused by water or other means to extinguish a fire;
  - (ii) explosion or implosion;
  - (iii) lightning;
  - (iv) windstorm or hail;
  - (v) smoke;
  - (vi) impact by aircraft, spacecraft or land vehicles;
  - (vii) riot or Civil Commotion;
  - (viii) theft including damage by attempted theft;
  - (ix) glass breakage;
  - (x) flood, surface water, waves, tidal waves, overflow of streams or other bodies of water, spray, ice, waterborne ice, shoreline ice build-up, or waterborne objects whether any of the former are driven by wind or not;
  - (xi) accidental discharge or seepage or continuous or repeated leakage of sewage or water from a sewer, sump, septic tank or eavestrough or downspout connected to a sewer;
  - (xii) earth movement, except for earth movement that results from the ground thawing after a freeze.
- We will not pay additional costs incurred by you for loss or increased usage of water, natural gas, propane or any other service caused by or resulting from a service line failure.

#### 4. Deductible

**We** will pay only that part of the loss that exceeds the deductible shown on **your** Cover Page for this coverage. No other deductible applies to this coverage.

#### 5. Loss Settlement

Losses under this coverage will be settled as follows:

Our payment for damaged covered property will be the smallest of:

- (i) the limit of liability that applies to this coverage; or
- (ii) the cost to repair the damaged property; or
- (iii) the cost to replace the damaged property on the same **premises**;
- (iv) the necessary amount actually spent to repair or replace the damaged property.

Except as described in Environmental, Safety and Efficiency Improvements above, **you** are responsible for the extra cost of replacing damaged property with property of a better kind or quality or of a different size or capacity.

You are responsible for the extra cost to alter or relocate **covered service lines**, unless such alteration or relocation is required by law or ordinance.

#### Sewer Back Up

If this coverage is shown on **your** Cover Page, **we** will pay up to the policy limit for loss or damage caused by **sewer back up**. If a sub-limit for this coverage is displayed on **your** Cover Page, the most **we** will pay for this coverage is the **amount of protection** that is shown. This does not add to the total **amount of protection** stated on **your** Cover Page for **your dwelling**, outbuildings or belongings.

We will not cover loss or damage caused by:

- back up, discharge or escape or overflow of water or sewage from public sewers or drains outside your dwelling.
- b) seepage, or continuous or repeated leakage.

We do not cover sewer back up to your dwelling or belongings while your dwelling is vacant, even if we have given permission for vacancy.

## Voluntary Fire Fighting Coverage

If your Cover Page shows that you have this coverage, we will pay up to the amount of protection shown to a fire department for its services. They must deal with a fire loss for which your dwelling, outbuildings, or belongings are covered or they must be needed to protect your property, or property of others adjacent to your premises, from such a loss.

This coverage will apply to all property and locations shown on **your** Cover Page.

**We** will not pay for loss or damage to property owned or used by a fire department.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

# Part 4 - Special Belongings Coverage

Your Cover Page will show if you have special belongings coverage and the specific type and description of special belongings that are covered. It will indicate the perils insured by showing the Cover Code that applies. Special belongings are subject to the perils insured in Part 2 and all the exclusions and conditions of Part 6. Special belongings are covered only while at your premises or while temporarily away from your premises.

# Conditions for Certain Special Belongings

Watercraft, their Equipment, Accessories, Outboard Motors and Jet Propulsion Personal Watercraft, including Unlicensed Boat Trailers

Coverage is limited to Canada and the continental U.S.A.

We will not pay for loss or damage when:

- they are rented to others or used to carry passengers for a fee.
- they collide with ice while in the water.
- they are used in any race or speed test.
- they are not being operated in accordance with the Canada Shipping Act regulations governing age and horsepower restrictions and operator competency requirements.

We will not pay for loss or damage caused by freezing.

**We** will not pay for damage to a propeller or impeller, if that is the only part that is damaged. But if other parts of **your** unit are damaged at the same time, then **we** will pay.

#### Added Features

Automatic Aquisitions: If you insure a boat, motor or a jet propulsion personal watercraft, we will pay up to \$2,500 for damage to a new unit acquired by you as owner, if it does not replace insured property. Should the new unit replace an item we already insure, then we will pay up to the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page for the replaced property, if it is more than \$2,500.

We will not pay for loss or damage to new or replacement property when you have not told us of your ownership within 30 days after its delivery.

Loss of Use: If you insure a boat, motor or a jet propulsion personal watercraft we will pay up to 15% of the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page for that unit up to a maximum of \$1,000 for rental of a similar replacement if the boat, motor or jet propulsion personal watercraft is damaged or destroyed by an insured peril and becomes inoperable.

The loss or damage must be due to a cause of loss for which **your** boat, motor, or **jet propulsion personal watercraft** are covered.

Payment starts after **you** tell **us** about the loss or damage and **we** confirm coverage. It ends when one of these three things takes place:

- your watercraft is repaired.
- 2) your watercraft is replaced.
- 3) we offer to pay for the loss or damage.

#### **Home Computers**

You have coverage for your computer equipment, component parts, and active data processing media which are owned, leased, or rented by you. We do not cover those things if they are used professionally or for any business, including farming, unless this use is shown on your Cover Page.

Active data processing media means all forms of converted data, program vehicles, and instruction vehicles that you use.

We will not cover loss or damage:

- to accounts, bills, evidence of debt, valuable papers, records, abstracts, deeds, manuscripts, or other documents, except as they may be converted to a data processing media form and then only in that form.
- to any active data processing media which cannot be replaced with other of similar kind and quality.
- to data processing media caused by failure, breakdown or malfunction of the system on which it is being run unless loss or damage is caused by ensuing fire or explosion and then only for such ensuing loss or damage.
- caused by dryness or dampness of atmosphere, extremes of temperature, corrosion, or rust, unless directly resulting from physical damage to the data processing system's air conditioning facilities, caused by an insured peril.
- caused by electronic or magnetic injury, disturbance, or erasure of electronic recordings, except that caused by lightning or electricity.

Special Limit of Liability. Our liability for loss or damage to active data processing media shall not exceed the actual reproduction costs of the property or, if it is not replaced or reproduced, the value of the blank media.

#### **Automatic Acquisitions**

(Not applicable to watercraft, their equipment, accessories, outboard motors, and jet propulsion personal watercraft, including unlicensed boat trailers and all-terrain vehicles)

Automatic Acquisition: Where an amount of protection is shown on your Cover Page for special belongings, additional articles of the same type and nature acquired by you as owner during the policy period will be covered automatically provided you report and insure such new article(s) within 30 days of the date of acquisition.

Under this clause **we** will pay up to 25% of the **amount of protection** shown on **your** Cover Page for the same type and nature of special belongings or \$5,000, whichever is the lesser amount.

# Part 5 - Other Property

#### All-Terrain Vehicles

Available for Saskatchewan residents only – subject to the *All Terrain Vehicles Act*.

**We** cover direct physical loss or damage to all-terrain vehicle(s) that are owned, leased or rented by **you**, including attached equipment, accessories and any unlicensed trailers that are designed for their use.

Your Cover Page must show which all-terrain vehicle(s) you have chosen to cover, its Cover Code and amount of protection.

Added Feature: If you insure an all-terrain vehicle, we will pay up to \$2,000 for damage to a new unit acquired by you as owner, if it does not replace insured property. Should the new unit replace an item we already insure, then we will use the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page for the replaced property, if it is more than \$2,000.

**We** will not pay for damage to new or replacement property when **you** have not told **us** of **your** ownership within 30 days after its delivery.

#### Claims We Do Not Cover

- 1) We do not cover loss or damage when:
  - (a) operated by any person under the influence of intoxicating liquor or drugs.
  - (b) not being operated in accordance with The All Terrain Vehicles Act.
  - (c) used in any race or speed test.
  - (d) used for any illicit or prohibited trade or transportation.
  - (e) used for carrying passengers for a fee.
  - (f) while rented or leased to others.
- 2) We do not cover loss or damage:
  - (a) to tires unless the loss or damage is coincident with other loss or damage covered by this policy or is caused by fire, theft, or vandalism.
  - (b) conversion kits, equipment, or accessories that alter the design and or usage of the all-terrain vehicle as defined in *The All Terrain Vehicles Act*.

#### **Basis of Settlement**

The amount that  $\mathbf{we}$  pay  $\mathbf{you}$  for a loss will not be more than any of the following:

- the amount of protection shown on your Cover Page; or
- 2) your financial interest in the property at the time of the loss; or
- the Actual Cash Value of the property at the time of the loss. See the Definitions section for an explanation of Actual Cash Value.

#### Conditions

Parts 1 and 4 of this booklet do not apply to all-terrain vehicle coverage.

# Dwelling Under Construction (Comprehensive Coverage)

If you have this coverage your Cover Page shows what property you have chosen to cover, the location and the amount of protection.

#### **Property Covered**

The property covered as shown on **your** Cover Page shall have the following meaning:

Dwelling shall mean a newly constructed private dwelling and its outbuilding(s) including additions in contact therewith, dwelling fixtures, and fittings, appliances, frescoes, glass, materials and supplies intended for use in construction of such dwelling(s) located on the premises shown on your Cover Page or while in your possession. Building materials and supplies acquired by you and intended for use in construction of such dwelling(s) are covered during transport to your premises, as shown on your Cover Page.

#### Perils Insured Cover Code H

When the **dwelling** under construction is covered, as shown on **your** Cover Page, **we** insure it against direct physical loss or damage caused by comprehensive perils. Comprehensive perils means that if the cause of loss or damage or the peril that causes loss or damage is not shown below, then **you** are covered.

#### Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover

- a) Loss or damage caused by water below ground level including that which exerts pressure on or flows, seeps or leaks through any opening in a sidewalk, driveway, foundation, wall, window, door or floor. We will cover the loss or damage if it was due to a sudden and unexpected escape of water from a swimming pool or its attached equipment, fire fighting activities, or a public watermain.
- b) Loss or damage caused by flood, surface water, waves, tidal waves, overflow of streams or other bodies of water, spray, ice or waterborne ice, shoreline ice build-up, or waterborne objects, whether any of the former are driven by wind or not. We will cover the loss or damage if it was due to a sudden and unexpected escape of water from a swimming pool or its attached equipment, fire fighting activities, or a public watermain.
- c) Loss or damage caused by sewer back up. We do not cover loss or damage caused by sewer back up from public sewers or drains outside your dwelling.
- d) Loss or damage not due to a sudden, unexpected event.
- Loss or damage caused by dampness of atmosphere, extremes
  of temperature, condensation, wet or dry rot, mould, acid rain,
  contamination, inherent vice, unknown flaw and defect or mechanical
  breakdown.
- f) Loss or damage caused by vermin (such as skunks and raccoons), rodents (such as squirrels and mice), insects (such as moths and termites), moles, zebra mussels, bats, birds, or domesticated animals. We will cover resulting damage to building glass caused by birds if the peril of Glass Breakage is insured under your policy.
- Loss or damage caused by wear and tear, rust or corrosion, deterioration, frost or freezing, or contamination unless caused directly by a peril not otherwise excluded.
- Loss or damage caused by snowslide, earthquake, landslide or any earth movement. If any of those results in fire or explosion, we will pay for the resulting loss or damage.
- Loss or damage to temporary coverings of polyethylene or other plastic materials, tarpaulins and fabrics.
- j) The cost of excavations, brick, stone or concrete foundations, piers or other supports which are below the under surface of the lowest basement floor, or where there is no basement, which are below the surface of the ground.
- k) Any loss of use of occupancy under any circumstance.

- Loss or damage directly or indirectly caused by any dishonest or criminal act on the part of:
  - you, your employees, your agents, or any person whose property is insured under this policy.
  - anyone to whom you have entrusted your property, except a hired transportation carrier.
- Penalties for delay in completion or non-completion of contract and non-compliance with contract provisions or conditions.
- Loss or damage directly or indirectly caused by fault, defect, error or omission in design, plan or specifications.
- Loss or damage caused by you resulting from any additions, renovations or alterations on any existing dwellings, or from any materials used.
- Loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by faulty design, material, workmanship or construction, but we will pay for resultant damage.
- a) Property otherwise specifically insured.
- Books of account, evidence of debt or title, and documents or other evidence to establish ownership or the right or claim to a benefit or thing.
- Wind turbine systems including all related equipment and structures manufactured for a rated power generation exceeding 1kW.
- Loss or damage caused by war, invasion, act of foreign enemy, declared or undeclared hostilities, civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, or military power.
- Loss or damage caused by a nuclear incident as defined in the *Nuclear Liability Act*. Nor do we cover nuclear explosion or contamination by radioactive material.

#### **Deductible Clause**

The deductible is shown on the Cover Page.

A deductible means that **you** will have to bear the first part of **your** loss yourself. **We** will subtract this amount from the total of **your** loss, then **we** will pay for the rest of **your** loss. **We** will pay up to **your** total **amount of protection**. **We** will use a separate deductible amount for each **dwelling** insured, even if more than one **dwelling** is damaged at the same time, as a result of the same cause of loss. **We** will not pay if **your** loss is less than the deductible.

# **Special Conditions and Limitations**

#### a) Basis of Settlement Clause:

Any loss under this policy shall be adjusted with the named Insured or his/her authorized representative and any settlement shall be based on the cost of repairing, replacing or reinstating (whichever is lesser) with material of similar kind and quality, and for like occupancy, without deduction for depreciation. The repair, replacement or reinstatement must take place on the same site and shall be subject to the following provisions:

- Our payment shall in no event exceed the actual cost for repair, replacement or reinstatement.
- If repairs, replacement or reinstatement with materials of similar kind and quality is restricted or prohibited by any bylaw, regulation, ordinance or law, any increase in costs shall not be covered by this policy.
- 3. The maximum amount that **we** will pay shall in no event exceed the **amount of protection** shown on **your** Cover Page.
- 4. Our liability shall be limited to that proportion of the cost of repair, replacement or reinstatement which the amount of protection, applicable to such dwelling(s) at the time of loss or damage, bears to 80% of the actual Replacement Cost of the completed value of the entire dwelling(s). The term completed value shall mean the total value of the dwelling(s) after all construction has been completed. The value of the dwelling(s) shall include the cost of all material and labor.

- 5. To determine if the amount of protection applicable to such dwelling(s) is 80% or more of the actual Replacement Cost of such dwelling(s), we shall disregard the cost of excavations, underground flues and pipes, underground wiring and drains, brick, stone and concrete foundations, piers and other supports that are below the surface of the lowest basement floor. In the event that there is no basement, then those items that are below the surface of the ground inside the foundation walls shall be disregarded.
- If the policy covers two or more dwellings, the Basis of Settlement Clause shall apply separately to each dwelling.

#### b) Occupancy Clause:

It is a condition of this insurance that the **dwelling(s)** shall not be occupied unless **you** tell **us** and **we** show this on **your** Cover Page.

#### c) Arson Conviction Reward:

We will pay \$1,000 for information which leads to a conviction for arson in connection with a fire loss to property insured by this policy. The amount we pay adds to your total amount of protection. The \$1,000 limit will not be increased regardless of the number of persons providing information.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

#### d) Fraud Conviction Reward:

We will pay \$1,000 for information which leads to a conviction of fraud in connection with an insured loss to property insured by this policy. The amount we pay adds to your total amount of protection. The \$1,000 limit will not be increased regardless of the number of persons providing information.

This coverage is not subject to a deductible.

#### e) Property Protection Coverage:

We will pay for property that is damaged or used trying to protect your dwelling, outbuildings, or belongings from a loss. For example, we will pay to recharge a neighbour's fire extinguisher if it was used to fight your fire. We will not pay for property owned by a fire department. The amount we pay adds to your total amount of protection.

#### f) Debris Removal Clause:

You may have us pay to remove debris of insured property from your premises, if your insured property has been damaged or destroyed by an insured peril.

We will also pay for removal of property of others, excluding trees, shrubs and plants blown on to **your premises** by windstorm, if **your** insured property is damaged or destroyed by an **insured peril**.

Debris removal expenses shall not be considered for the purpose of applying any co-insurance.

#### Conditions

Parts 2, 3 – Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage, 4 and 6 (A), (B) and (C) of this booklet do not apply to **dwellings** under construction.

# Part 6 - Policy Conditions

## A. Settling a Claim

Your Cover Page will show the amount of protection on property insured in Part 1, 4 and 5. These amounts, along with the features we have said add to your amount of protection, are the most we will pay for your loss.

We will pay for insured loss or damage up to the amount of your financial interest in the insured property, but not exceeding the applicable amount(s) of protection for any loss or damage arising out of one occurrence.

Any payments for loss or damage shall not reduce the amounts of insurance provided by this policy.

We will not pay for any increased costs due to unnecessary delays on your part.

Our payment will also depend on your share of the loss and other rules used to settle claims. These are explained below.

#### Deductible

A deductible is used for losses to property covered in Parts 1, 4 and 5.

A deductible means that **you** will have to bear the first part of **your** loss yourself. **We** will subtract this amount from the total of **your** loss, then **we** will pay for the rest of **your** loss. **We** will pay up to **your** total **amount of protection**. **We** will not pay if **your** loss is less than the deductible. The deductible is shown on **your** Cover Page.

#### Single Highest Deductible

You may have different deductibles, depending on the type of property and the type of loss that we cover. In the event of a loss where more than one of your SGI CANADA policies are involved or where multiple deductibles apply under one loss, only the single highest deductible will be applied.

## Replacement Cost and Actual Cash Value

- as defined in the Definitions section.

We will use one of these methods to find the amount of vour loss.

If the **dwelling** is a mobile home, the basis of settlement will be **Actual Cash Value** unless otherwise shown on **your** Cover Page.

#### Obsolescence – Dwellings, Outbuildings and Belongings

We will not pay for increased costs that result when you cannot repair or replace your property because materials or parts are unavailable, obsolete, or outmoded. We will only pay the cost that would have been needed if materials or parts were available. We will pay the last known cost of materials or parts.

# **Dwelling and Outbuildings**

If you repair or replace the damaged or destroyed building on the same site with materials of similar kind and quality within a reasonable time after the damage, you may choose as the basis of loss settlement either (A) Replacement Cost or (B) Actual Cash Value. We will only pay up to the total amount of protection shown on your Cover Page.

(A) The actual cost of repairs or replacement (whichever is less) without deduction for depreciation. In this case, if the loss is over \$10,000 we will pay in the proportion that the applicable amount of protection bears to 80% of the Replacement Cost of the damaged building at the date of loss. This means that if the amount of protection you have chosen is less than 80% of the Replacement Cost of your building you have to pay part of the loss. Settlement will be as in (B) **Actual Cash Value**, if any of the following applies:

- you do not repair or replace your dwelling or outbuilding on a permanent foundation at the same site.
- you do not repair or replace your dwelling or outbuilding within reasonable time.
- at the time of loss or damage your dwelling was vacant.
- you do not re-occupy your dwelling on the same basis as the time of loss.
- loss or damage to a seasonal mobile home or its outbuildings over 10 years of age according to the manufacturer's date of construction.
- (B) The Actual Cash Value of the property at the date of loss.

**We** will not pay for increased costs due to any law or bylaw dealing with building or repair. **We** will not pay for any increased costs due to unnecessary delays on **your** part.

#### Specific Causes of Loss Subject to Limited Replacement Cost

In the event that the roof of your dwelling or outbuilding is damaged in whole or in part by windstorm or hail, payment will be settled on a Limited Replacement Cost basis. We will pay only for the insured loss to the area of your roof directly damaged. Limited Replacement Cost will apply even if you have Guaranteed Replacement Cost.

Roof includes, but is not limited to roof material, roof covering, roof accessories and venting, soffit, fascia, eavestroughs and downspouts connected to eavestroughs.

The Limited Replacement Cost is based on the following schedule:

Roofing Material	Depreciation during the first 15 years	Annual Depreciation % after year 15	Maximum Depreciation
Asphalt/Fibreglass Composition Shingles (Class 1-3)	0%	10%	80%
Asphalt/Fibreglass Composition Shingles (Class 4)	0%	7%	80%
Architectural Shingles	0%	7%	80%
Membrane Roofing	0%	5%	80%
Metal/Rubber/ Synthetic/ Polymer/ Tiles/Slate/ Concrete	0%	2%	80%
Wood Shakes or Shingles	0%	4%	80%
Built-Up (Tar and gravel)	0%	30%	80%
Other	0%	9%	80%
Sofft/Fascia/ Eavestroughs/ Downspouts Connected to Eavestroughs	0%	5%	80%

Where the age of the roof is not reasonably determinable, the age and depreciation will be calculated by a Certified Residential Roof Inspector appointed by **us**. The Maximum Depreciation applied to these losses will continue to be according to the schedule shown above

#### Dent Exclusion for Metal Roofs over 10 Years Old

When the cause of loss is windstorm or hail, we will not pay for dent damage to metal roofs for dwelling(s) or outbuilding(s) covered under this policy where the age of the roof is greater than 10 years unless the metal is actually punctured.

#### **Special Belongings**

Watercraft, their equipment, accessories, outboard motors and jet propulsion personal watercraft, including unlicensed boat trailers are covered for Replacement Cost coverage if they are not more than 10 years of age from the date they were originally purchased as new.

The amount of protection for each scheduled item of special belongings must be maintained to 80% of its value. If you fail to do so you shall become a co-insurer and bear that proportion of the loss to bring the total amount of protection up to 80% of its value. We will pay in the proportion that the applicable amount of protection bears to 80% of the value of the lost or damaged property. When we say value we mean, Replacement Cost or Actual Cash Value, whichever applies, as explained above.

#### Belongings and Special Belongings

We will pay the cost of repair or the cost of new belongings or special belongings (whichever is less) of similar kind, quality, and usefulness up to the total amount of protection for your belongings or to the amount of protection shown for special belongings. If you replace a belonging or special belonging with one of lesser quality, we will only pay the amount you paid for the replacement. You must give us written proof of replacement or repair in order to get Replacement Cost coverage. You may choose payment on an Actual Cash Value basis initially. You may make a subsequent claim on a Replacement Cost basis but not later than 180 days after payment of an Actual Cash Value settlement to you. We will not pay for increased costs due to unnecessary delays on your part. We will keep any salvage or proceeds from salvage.

#### Property Subject to Actual Cash Value Settlements

We will only pay the Actual Cash Value for loss or damage to these nine types of property or special belongings:

- 1) a belonging that is not in good, useable condition at the time of loss.
- a belonging not in current use by you at the time of loss that you stored away and for which you had no specific future use.
- a belonging of an age or condition that makes it out of date or no longer usable for its original purpose.
- art works, antiques, rare objects, and other items that cannot be replaced.
- 5) a belonging that has not been repaired or replaced after a loss.
- spare automobile, all terrain vehicle and dirt bike parts and accessories.
- watercraft, their equipment, accessories, outboard motors and jet propulsion personal watercraft, including unlicensed boat trailers that are more than 10 years of age from the date they were originally purchased as new.
- belongings in a mobile home, unless otherwise shown on your Cover Page.
- buildings and structures where the wall or roof construction consists of tensioned fabric, poly, canvas or similar covering.

# Pairs and Sets (Applies to Belongings and Special Belongings)

**Pair:** If there is a loss to half of a pair, **we** will pay for the complete pair. The undamaged piece becomes **our** property.

Set: For items that are part of a set of two or more pieces, we will only pay for those parts that had the loss. For example, if your chair is destroyed, we would pay for that damage. We would not pay for the matching sofa, unless it was damaged as well.

#### **Dent Exclusion Clause for Mobile Homes**

When the cause of loss is windstorm or hail, **we** will not pay for dent damage to metal roofs or siding of mobile homes covered by this policy unless the metal is actually punctured.

# B. Property with Special Limits of Insurance – Belongings

#### (Not Applicable to Special Belongings)

For certain types of property the amount **we** will pay is explained below. If that item is scheduled as a Special Belonging or specifically insured elsewhere, the basic limitation within the policy no longer applies to that item. The deductible on **your** Cover Page applies.

#### (1) Unless otherwise specified, for losses due to any insured peril we will pay up to these amounts:

- a) \$5,000 in all for books, tools, instruments and computer hardware pertaining to a **business**, profession, trade or occupation. They are only covered at **your premises**. We do not cover other **business** or farm property, such as samples, supplies, or goods held for sale.
- b) \$2.500 in all for securities.
- \$1,000 for money and \$1,000 for bullion. Money also includes gift cards, cash cards and gift certificates.
- d) \$3,000 in all for watercraft, their equipment, accessories, outboard motors, and jet propulsion personal watercraft, including unlicensed boat trailers that are not required to be licensed. Coverage for fire or lightning applies anywhere in Canada or the continental U.S.A. Other perils you are insured for apply only at your premises. We do not cover loss or damage caused by freezing.
- \$2,500 in all for household animals, birds or fish after their death or necessary destruction that occurred within 30 days of injury caused by fire, lightning, explosion or smoke.
- \$5,000 for each lawnmower, garden tractor or snowblower and their attachments and accessories.
- \$5,000 in all for collectibles, such as sports cards, memorabilia and comic books.
- h) \$5,000 in all for cemetery property anywhere in Canada.
- \$2,000 in all for spare automobile, all terrain vehicle and dirt bike parts and accessories.
- \$2,500 in all for garden sheds and gazebos while located on a farm premises.
- k) \$1,000 in all for cannabis in all consumable forms and cannabis plants, whether for recreational or medicinal use.

#### (2) For losses due to Theft, including damage caused by Attempted Theft and Comprehensive Perils (limits not applicable to the Listed Perils previously defined) we will pay up to these amounts:

- a) \$10,000 in all for iewelry, watches and gems.
- \$10,000 in all for furs, fur garments, and garments trimmed with fur.
- \$2,500 in all for manuscripts, stamps, and philatelic property (such as stamp collections).
- d) \$2,000 in all for numismatic property (such as coin collections).
- \$3,000 for each bicycle, tricycle, unicycle or electric assisted bicycle (up to 500 watts and not exceeding 32 km/h) including accessories and attached equipment.

# C. Property and Causes of Loss We Do Not Cover

## We do not cover the following:

a) loss or damage not due to a sudden, unexpected event.

- b) loss or damage caused by settling, expansion, contraction, moving, shifting, bulging, buckling, or cracking unless fire or explosion follows, then we will pay for the resulting damage. We will cover damage to building glass for Cover Code B or Cover Code C.
- c) loss or damage caused by snowslide, earthquake, landslide, or any earth movement. However, if any of those results in fire or explosion, we will pay for the resulting loss or damage.
- d) the cost of making good any faulty design, material, or workmanship.
- e) buildings, outbuildings, structures, belongings and any other property when designed, used, or intended for use, in whole or in part for:
  - business or farming purposes; but in the case of personal computers and related office equipment we will cover them if used for farming purposes; or
  - (ii) storage, housing, or upkeep of agricultural products or supplies, livestock, poultry or animals other than household pets;

except as provided under Property with Special Limits of Insurance.

Incidental office use is permitted.

- f) livestock, poultry or animals other than household pets.
- g) (i) loss or damage caused directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by any fungi or spore(s).
  - the cost or expense for any testing, monitoring, evaluating or assessing of fungi or spore(s).
- h) motorized vehicles, trailers and aircraft. This includes such things as cars, trucks, skidsteers, motorcycles, motorized snow vehicles, all-terrain vehicles, dirt bikes, go-carts, dune buggies, hang gliders, ultralights or other similar aircraft of any name. Nor do we cover any parts, furnishings or equipment of those things. For example, media transmission (such as portable video screens), stereo equipment, tires or antennae. However, we will cover motorized wheel chairs, lawnmowers, snowblowers, garden equipment, golf carts and electric assisted bicycles (up to 500 watts and not exceeding 32 km/h). Coverage for skidsteers and tractors (over 31 HP) applies only at your premises for personal use only (if shown on your Cover Page).

An unlicensed boat trailer kept at your premises and spare automobile parts and accessories are special cases. These are shown under Part 4 – Conditions for Certain Special Belongings and under Part 6 – Property with Special Limits of Insurance.

- i) property illegally acquired, used, kept, or imported.
- j) losses or increased costs of repair due to any bylaw, ordinance, law, act or regulation regulating the zoning, demolition, repair, or construction of buildings and their related services, except as mentioned under Part 3 – Added Features of Your Part 1 Coverage – Bylaw Coverage.
- k) loss or damage to property on exhibit or display, or any time your property is being held for sale by others.
- loss or damage resulting from criminal or wilful acts done by you or by any person whose property is insured under this policy, including such acts done for you by someone else.
- m) loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by any illegal or unauthorized activity related to and including the growing, harvesting, manufacturing, processing, storing, sale or distribution of any drug or narcotic or the possession of any substances or items of any kind which constitutes a criminal offence, to any dwellings, outbuildings or belongings contained therein, whether or not you have any knowledge of or are able or unable to control such illegal activity. This includes any alteration of the premises to facilitate such illegal activity.
- belongings undergoing any process, including cleaning or being worked on, where the damage results from such process. Resulting damage to other property caused by an insured peril is covered.
- property lawfully seized or confiscated. But we will cover such property if it is destroyed to prevent the spread of fire.

- p) loss or damage caused by acts you deliberately did or acts you failed to do.
- theft of tools that are left unattended, unless the loss is the direct result of forcible entry into a vehicle, trailer, locked tool box, compartment, closet, or building.
- r) loss or damage to dwellings or outbuildings while being moved, or while being raised off or lowered onto its foundation, or to belongings contained therein.
- s) loss resulting from a change in ownership of property that is agreed to, even if that change was brought about by trickery or fraud.
- t) loss or damage resulting from contamination or pollution, or the release, discharge or dispersal of contaminants or pollutants, unless the loss or damage to insured property is caused by the sudden and accidental bursting or overflowing of your domestic fixed fuel oil tank apparatus or pipes.
- u) (i) loss or damage to data; or
  - (ii) loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by a data problem. However, if loss or damage caused by a data problem results in the occurrence of further loss of or damage to property insured that is directly caused by fire, explosion or implosion, smoke or water escape and rupture all as described under Perils Insured, this exclusion shall not apply to such resulting loss or damage.
- loss or damage to any removed heating systems on the premises, including the structure or enclosure housing the unit(s), and all contents of the same structure if caused by or resulting from the use of the heating unit.
- w) dwellings or outbuildings that have been placarded or condemned by any authority or belongings contained therein.
- books of account, evidence of debt or title, and documents or other evidence to establish ownership or the right or claim to a benefit or thing.
- wind turbine systems including all related equipment and structures manufactured for a rated power generation exceeding 1kW.
- z) loss or damage caused directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by terrorism or by any activity or decision of a government agency or other entity to prevent, respond to or terminate terrorism regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to the loss or damage, but you are still insured for ensuing loss or damage which results directly from fire or explosion.
- aa) loss or damage caused by a nuclear incident as defined in the Nuclear Liability Act. Nor do we cover nuclear explosion or contamination by radioactive material.
- bb) loss or damage caused by war, invasion, act of a foreign enemy, declared or undeclared hostilities, civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, or military power.
- cc) loss or damage caused by cracking of ceiling or walls.
- dd) loss or damage caused by dirt blown onto the premises.

#### D. General Conditions

The following general conditions apply to this policy:

- We will not cover people who were holding, storing, or transporting your property for a fee at the time of loss.
- 2) After we pay for your claim, we may find that someone else is legally responsible for your loss. We have the right to recover our payment from that person. If we ask, you must co-operate with us in any legal action we take at our expense and through our lawyers. You may release another person from their legal responsibility to you for loss or damage to your property, but you must tell us if you do. The agreement must be in writing, and you must make the agreement before any loss or damage takes place.

You must not release another person from their legal responsibility for loss or damage after a loss has occurred. You will need our consent in writing to do so.

- 3) Any payment for a loss will not lower the total **amount of protection** for the rest of the policy term.
- 4) The Statutory Conditions apply to all parts of this policy.
- 5) When you have other insurance on property covered by Part 1, 4, and 5 of this policy, we will only pay our share of the loss. We will do this even if your other insurance covers different perils than this policy. Our share will be in the same proportion that the amount of our protection bears to the total of all your fire protection.
- You must tell us when your dwelling becomes vacant as defined by this policy.

You must tell us when no one has been living in your dwelling for a full year, even if you intend to return to it. We feel these dwellings are vacant too – even if belongings are still in place.

If you do not tell us within 30 days of your dwelling becoming vacant, we will not cover any loss or damage that happens after 30 consecutive days of vacancy. You will be covered after 30 days, only if you tell us your dwelling is vacant and Vacant Dwelling coverage — Cover Code AE is shown on your Cover Page.

A secondary dwelling insured under an Agro Pak policy is considered **vacant** when it is occupied overnight less than 90 nights per year. A secondary dwelling is defined as a **dwelling you** own and occupy overnight for a period less than six months, but not less than 90 nights per year.

Any permission for vacancy that **we** allow in this condition does not change or invalidate any coverage restriction due to vacancy, stated in other parts of this policy.

- If your loss is due to a crime, you must report the loss to the police or other policing authorities at once. This includes such crimes as theft, burglary, and vandalism or malicious acts.
- 8) You must take all reasonable steps to protect your property.
- 9) If Cover Code C applies to a loss and it is more restrictive than Cover Code A or Cover Code B shown in this booklet, we will adjust your claim using the Cover Code most beneficial to you.
- 10) If we adopt any revision that would broaden coverage under your policy during the policy term, and we do not charge additional premium, the broadened coverage will immediately apply to your policy.

#### 11) The Insured agrees:

- a) that repair or replacement must be executed with due diligence and dispatch and as soon as practicable and in any event completed before the two year anniversary of the date when damage to the insured property occurred.
- any loss or damage directly or indirectly, proximately or remotely, resulting from or contributed to by any delay to repair or delay to replace is not covered by this policy. This includes but is not limited to the increased cost of repair or reconstruction by reason of any ordinance or law regulating construction or repair.

# Part 7 – Statutory Conditions

The Statutory Conditions apply with respect to all perils insured by this policy. In the following **you**, the name shown on **your** Cover Page, are called the **Insured**. **We** are called the **Insurer**.

#### 1. Misrepresentation

If any person applying for insurance falsely describes the property to the prejudice of the Insurer, or misrepresents or fraudulently omits to communicate any circumstance which is material to be made known to the Insurer in order to enable it to judge of the risk to be undertaken, the contract shall be void as to any property in relation to which the misrepresentation or omission is material.

#### 2. Property of Others

Unless otherwise specifically stated in the contract, the Insurer is not liable for loss or damage to property owned by any person other than the **Insured**, unless the interest of the **Insured** therein is stated in the contract.

#### 3. Change of Interest

The Insurer shall be liable for loss or damage occurring after an authorized assignment pursuant to the *Bankruptcy and Insolvency Act (Canada)* or change of title by succession, by operation of law, or by death.

#### 4. Material Change

Any change material to the risk and within the control and knowledge of the Insured shall void the contract as to the part affected thereby, unless the change is promptly notified in writing to the Insurer or its local agent; and the Insurer when so notified may return the unearned portion, if any, of the premium paid and cancel the contract, or may notify the Insured in writing that, if he desires the contract to continue in force, he must, within 15 days of the receipt of the notice pay to the Insurer an additional premium; and in default of such payment the contract shall no longer be in force and the Insurer shall return the unearned portion, if any, of the premium paid.

#### 5. Termination of Contract

- (1) This contract may be terminated:
  - (a) by the Insurer giving to the Insured 15 days notice of termination by registered mail, or 5 days written notice of termination personally delivered; or
  - (b) by the Insured at any time on request.
- (2) Where this contract is terminated by the Insurer:
  - (a) the Insurer shall refund the excess premium actually paid by the Insured over the pro rata premium for the expired time, but in no event, shall the pro rata premium for the expired time, be deemed to be less than any minimum retained premium specified; and
  - (b) the refund shall accompany the notice unless the premium is subject to adjustment or termination as to amount, in which case the refund shall be made as soon as practicable.
- (3) Where this contract is terminated by the Insured, the Insurer shall refund as soon as practicable the excess of premium actually paid by the Insured over the short rate premium for the expired time, but in no event shall the short rate premium for the expired time be deemed to be less than any minimum retained premium specified.

- (4) The refund may be made by money, postal or express company money order, or by cheque payable at par.
- (5) The 15 days mentioned in clause (a) of subcondition (1) of this condition commences to run on the day following the receipt of the registered letter at the post office to which it is addressed.

## 6. Requirements After Loss

- Upon the occurrence of any loss of or damage to the insured property, the Insured shall, if such loss or damage is covered by the contract, in addition to observing the requirements of conditions 9, 10 and 11:
  - (a) forthwith give notice thereof in writing to the Insurer;
  - (b) deliver as soon as practicable to the Insurer a proof of loss verified by a statutory declaration:
    - giving a complete inventory of the destroyed and damaged property and showing in detail quantities, cost, Actual Cash Value and particulars of amount of loss claimed:
    - stating when and how the loss occurred, and if caused by fire or explosion due to ignition, how the fire or explosion originated, so far as the Insured knows or believes:
    - (iii) stating that the loss did not occur through any wilful act or neglect or the procurement, means or connivance of the Insured;
    - (iv) showing the amount of other insurances and the names of other Insurers;
    - (v) showing the interest of the **Insured** and of all others in the property with particulars of all liens, encumbrances and other charges upon the property;
    - (vi) showing any changes in title, use, occupation, location, possession or exposures of the property since the issue of the contract;
    - (vii) showing the place where the property insured was at the time of loss;
  - (c) if required give a complete inventory of undamaged property and showing in detail quantities, cost, Actual Cash Value;
  - (d) if required and if practicable, produce books of account, warehouse receipts and stock lists, and furnish invoices and other vouchers verified by statutory declaration, and furnish a copy of the written portion of any other contract.
- (2) The evidence furnished under clauses (c) and (d) of subparagraph (1) of this condition shall not be considered proofs of loss within the meaning of conditions 12 and 13.

#### 7. Fraud

Any fraud or wilfully false statement in a statutory declaration in relation to any of the above particulars, shall vitiate the claim of the person making the declaration.

#### 8. Who May Give Notice and Proof

Notice of loss may be given, and proof of loss may be made, by the agent of the **Insured** named in the contract in case of absence or inability of the **Insured** to give the notice or make the proof, and absence or inability being satisfactorily accounted for, or in the like case, or if the **Insured** refuses to do so, by a person to whom any part of the insurance money is payable.

#### 9. Salvage

(1) The Insured, in the event of any loss or damage to any property insured under the contract, shall take all reasonable steps to prevent further damage to any such property so damaged and to prevent damage to other property insured hereunder including, if necessary, its removal to prevent damage or further damage thereto. (2) The Insurer shall contribute pro rata towards any reasonable and proper expenses in connection with steps taken by the Insured and required under subparagraph 1 of this condition according to the respective interests of the parties.

#### 10. Entry, Control, Abandonment

After any loss or damage to insured property, the Insurer shall have an immediate right of access and entry by accredited agents sufficient to enable them to survey and examine the property, and to make an estimate of the loss or damage and, after the Insured has secured the property, a further right of access and entry sufficient to enable them to make appraisement or particular estimate of the loss or damage, but the Insurer shall not be entitled to the control or possession of the insured property, and without the consent of the Insurer there can be no abandonment to it of insured property.

## 11. Appraisal

In the event of disagreement as to the value of the property insured, the property saved or the amount of the loss, those questions shall be determined by appraisal as provided under *The Saskatchewan Insurance Act* before there can be any recovery under this contract whether the right to recover on the contract is disputed or not, and independently of all other questions. There shall be no right to an appraisal until a specific demand therefor is made in writing and until after proof of loss has been delivered.

#### 12. When Loss Payable

The loss shall be payable within 60 days after completion of the proof of loss, unless the contract provides for a shorter period.

#### 13. Replacement

- The Insurer, instead of making payment, may repair, rebuild, or replace the property damaged or lost, giving written notice of its intention so to do within 30 days after receipt of the proofs of loss.
- (2) In that event the Insurer shall commence to so repair, rebuild, or replace the property within 45 days after receipt of the proofs of loss, and shall thereafter proceed with all due diligence to the completion thereof.

# 14. Action

Repealed

#### 15. Notice

Any written notice to the Insurer may be delivered at, or sent by registered mail to, the chief agency or head office of the Insurer in the province; and written notice may be given to the Insured named in the contract by letter personally delivered to him or by registered mail addressed to him at his latest post office address as notified to the Insurer; and in this condition, the expression registered means registered in or outside Canada.

# **Privacy: Our Commitment**

Thank you for choosing SGI CANADA.

At SGI CANADA we value our customers and take your privacy seriously. During the course of business with you, our brokers or we may ask for personal information so we can serve you better. You can rest assured that we'll protect and respect your personal information and privacy – from the time we first collect the information until it is disposed of. After all, SGI CANADA's business is built on your trust.

**Our** commitment to **you** is to collect only the information **we** need to conduct **your business** and to adhere to industry best practices in handling and protecting **your** personal information.

Protecting your privacy is important to us at SGI CANADA.

#### If you want to:

- access your personal information or have your information corrected.
- change your consent with respect to how we collect, use or disclose your personal information.
- file a complaint about our privacy policies or the manner in which we've handled your personal information.
- inquire about any other privacy questions or concerns.

#### Please contact:

SGI CANADA Chief Privacy Officer

2260 – 11th Ave. Regina, Sask. S4P 0J9

Regina, Sask. S4P 0J9 Phone: 1-800-667-8015

E-mail: privacyofficer@sgi.sk.ca

If you're not satisfied with the outcome of an inquiry or complaint handled by SGI CANADA's Chief Privacy Officer, you may address your concerns to:

Office of the Saskatchewan Information and Privacy Commissioner 503 – 1801 Hamilton St.

Regina, Saskatchewan, S4P 4B4

Phone: 306-787-8350

Toll free within Saskatchewan: 1-877-748-2298

Fax: 306-798-1603 www.oipc.sk.ca

#### **Privacy Statement**

Please visit our web site at www.sgicanada.ca

# Ask your broker.



SGI offers competitive property and casualty insurance products under the trade name SGI CANADA in Saskatchewan, Alberta, Manitoba and British Columbia, and under SGI CANADA and Coachman Insurance Company in Ontario. Operations outside Saskatchewan are held by the subsidiary company, SGI CANADA Insurance Services Ltd. Visit www.sgicanada.ca for more information.

2270 OC-27 02/2019 Saskatchewan www.sgicanada.ca

