

Notice to Policyholders Policy Wording Changes Accountants (ICAEW / ICAS / CAI)

This document is issued for your assistance. It summarises the updates we have made to our Professional Indemnity Insurance Policy for Accountants (ICAEW / ICAS / CAI).

Please ensure that you read in full any documentation provided to understand the full terms, conditions, limitations, and exclusions of the policy cover. If you have any questions about any aspect of the policy, please contact your insurance agent.

The updates will be effective from your renewal date. This document outlines the main changes to your cover. It does not contain a record of every amendment, and it does not form part of your policy documents.

Section and/or sub-	Summary of Changes to the Policy
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Introduction	 A new section that provides the following information: 1. steps to be taken if you cannot comply with the policy or the Policy doesn't meet your needs; 2. what to do when there is a change and how to cancel your policy; 3. the contractual nature of the policy.
Contact Details for Claims	An updated section about how to report a claim or circumstance.
Failure to Make a Fair Presentation	An updated section about making a fair presentation of the risk.
Interpretation	A new section about how to interpret the contents of the policy.
Definitions	 The following Definitions have been added to the policy: Defence Costs; Policy; Schedule. The following Definitions have been amended in the policy: Insurer is now We, Us, Our; Insured is now You, Your, Insured. The following Definition has been removed from the policy: Fair Presentation.
Insuring Clauses	 The following Insuring Clause has been amended in the policy: Loss of Documents.
Excess Clause	This has been updated.
Exclusions	 The following Exclusion has been amended in the policy: <i>Terrorism</i> and <i>War</i> are now two separate Exclusions and have been updated. The following Exclusion has been removed from the policy:
	Asbestos and Mould.

Amendments to cover



Conditions	The Conditions are now set out in four sections: Special Conditions, Series
	Conditions, Claims Conditions and General Conditions.
	 The following Conditions have been added to the policy: Claims Control;
	 Defence and Settlement of Claims; VAT.
	• Arbitration Clause is now called Disputes and Jurisdiction, and has been updated;
	 Parts of the Admission of Liability Condition have been moved to form part of other more relevant Conditions;
	Co-operation;
	 Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999;
	Compliance With Ombudsman;
	Sanctions.
	How to Complain
Privacy Notice	This has been updated.

Your insurance agent will be able to help you with any queries you may have regarding your cover.