Thank you for choosing Allianz Insurance plc. We are one of the largest general insurers in the UK and part of the Allianz Group, one of the world’s foremost financial services providers.

With Allianz Insurance plc, you can be confident that you’re insured by a company which is relentless in its commitment to protecting and serving you. You can trust us to insure your needs, as we’ve been providing leading insurance solutions in the UK for over 100 years.

We work in partnership with your insurance advisor to ensure you receive the highest levels of product and service excellence. If you need to make a claim, you can rest assured that you will be in safe hands. Our professionally trained staff aim to treat you, as you would expect, both promptly and fairly.

Should you need further details or have any questions your insurance advisor will be delighted to help.
Introduction

Your Commercial Vehicle policy is made up of several parts which must be read together as they form your contract. You have given us information so that we can arrange your insurance cover. This information is shown in the Statement of Facts. Please take time to read all parts of the policy to make sure they meet your needs and that you understand the cover provided, general exclusions and general conditions. If you wish to change anything or if there is anything you do not understand, or any statement is incorrect, please contact your insurance advisor.

The parts of the policy are:

- this Introduction; the General Definitions; the Cover Provided; the General Exclusions and General Conditions, all of which apply to all Sections of the policy
- the Sections of cover selected by you
- the schedule, which includes all endorsements applied to the policy while the policy is in force.
- the Certificate of Motor Insurance
- the Statement of Facts (only applicable where an application form was not required).

Any word or expression in the policy which has a specific meaning has the same meaning wherever it appears in the policy.

Allianz will insure you in accordance with and subject to the terms of this policy, in consideration of the payment to Allianz of the premium for the period of insurance.

Signed on behalf of Allianz

Jonathan Dye
Chief Executive

Financial Services Compensation Scheme:

If Allianz is unable to meet its liabilities you may be entitled to compensation under the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). Further information about compensation scheme arrangements is available at www.fscs.org.uk, by emailing enquiries@fscs.org.uk or by phoning the FSCS on 0800 678 1100 or 0207 741 4100.
General Definitions

The Meaning of words
The terms below have their meaning shown next to them and appear in bold throughout your policy.

Certificate of Motor Insurance
The document issued by us showing that this policy provides the cover you need by law to comply with the relevant United Kingdom and European Traffic laws. It shows who is entitled to drive your vehicle and the purposes for which your vehicle can be used.

Endorsement
Changes to the terms of your policy which will be shown in your schedule.

Excess/Excesses
The amount you will have to pay if you make a claim regardless of who was to blame. The excess amounts are shown in this policy but other additional excesses may be shown in your schedule.

Insurance Advisor
This is the person you arranged your insurance with.

Hazardous Goods
Hazardous goods means any goods requiring the display of hazard warning (Hazchem or ADR) panels and/or Trem cards whilst the goods are being carried.

Spouse/Civil Partner
The person you are legally married to or have entered into a legal Civil Partnership with.

Market Value
The cost of replacing your vehicle at the time of the loss or damage, taking into account its make, model, specification, age, mileage and condition.
This will not exceed the estimate of value that you last gave to us.

Period of Insurance
The period you are covered for as shown on your Certificate of Motor Insurance and Schedule.

Prejudicial Claim
Any claim made against your policy that has either resulted in us making a payment and we are not able to recover the full amount of this payment, or a claim that is outstanding and responsibility for the claim has not been decided.

Schedule
A document which includes your details and specifies the cover provided by your policy and any endorsements applying to your policy.

Statement of Facts
A record of the information you have provided us with.

Territorial limits
Great Britain, Northern Ireland, The Channel Islands, The Isle of Man, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Gibraltar, Greece, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Ireland, Romania, San Marino, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland and the Vatican City. It also includes travelling between these countries by air, rail or sea, including loading and unloading.

Terrorism
Any act, including but not limited to the use of force or violence and/or the threat thereof, of any person or group(s) of persons whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organisation(s) or government(s), committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes including the intention to influence any government and/or to put the public or any section of the public in fear.
Any act deemed by the government to be an act of terrorism.

We, us, our, Allianz
Allianz Insurance plc.

You, your, yourself the insured
The insured named on the schedule.

Your vehicle
Any vehicle and accessories on or attached to it, as described in paragraph 1 of your current Certificate of Motor Insurance or your Policy Schedule.
Claims Information

claims START - 0345 6000 676

claims START is a service from Allianz to help you through the early stage of making a claim. An immediate call to claims START on 0345 6000 676 will ensure that your claim is handled quickly and smoothly. This number is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

claims START provides the following services:

- The first point of call to notify a motor accident, damage to your windscreen, vandalism or theft of your vehicle - regardless of fault.
- Experienced claims handlers at the end of the telephone 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.
- No need to complete a claim form.
- Priority service and speedy repair of your vehicle at one of our national approved repairers.
- If your vehicle is below 3.5 tonnes it can be repaired by one of our national approved repairers; they will provide you with use of a small van whilst your vehicle is being repaired following a claim that has been accepted under this policy.
- All repairs are guaranteed for 5 years.

International Claims Department

If your vehicle is involved in an accident whilst being driven outside the United Kingdom, you will need to call 01483 218200 if calling from the United Kingdom or 00 44 1483 218200 if calling from abroad.

The lines are open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year.

Legal advice helpline

Your policy includes access to Lawphone to give advice, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, on any personal legal matter. We may record the calls for your and our mutual protection and our training purposes.

The advice you get from Lawphone will always be according to the laws of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Lawphone: 0370 241 4140

When you call Lawphone please state that you are an Allianz policyholder and quote master policy reference number 28614. You will then be asked for a brief summary of the problem and these details will be passed on to an advisor who will return your call.

The Cover Provided

All sections of your policy apply unless cover is described as follows on the Policy schedule.

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<td>Sections A, C, D, G, H &amp; I – Section B operates only in respect of loss or damage caused directly by fire, lightning, self-ignition or explosion or by theft, attempted theft or taking away without lawful authority.</td>
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Changes to your circumstances

Please tell your insurance advisor if there are any changes to your circumstances which could affect your insurance. There are some changes that you should tell us about before they happen, for example, if you intend to change your vehicle or if you wish to include other drivers.

Please refer to General Condition 13 of this policy.

If your circumstances change and you do not tell us, you may find that you are not covered if you need to make a claim.
## Section A – Your Liability to Others

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<td><strong>1 Cover we provide for you</strong>&lt;br&gt;We will pay all the amounts you may become legally responsible for if you:  &lt;br&gt;- cause the accidental death of or bodily injury to any person; or  &lt;br&gt;- cause accidental damage to anyone’s property. The indemnity is limited to £5,000,000 including all costs (or any higher limits provided for by local legislation in territories outside the United Kingdom but within the territorial limits) for any one occurrence or series of occurrences arising from one cause. Whilst the <strong>insured vehicle</strong> is carrying any <strong>hazardous goods</strong>, the indemnity is limited to £1,000,000 for any one occurrence or series of occurrences arising from one cause.  &lt;br&gt;- costs recovered by any claimant and/or costs incurred in the defence of any claim where a claim is contested by us, or with our written consent.  &lt;br&gt;Caused by or arising out of:  &lt;br&gt;i the use of  &lt;br&gt;ii goods falling from  &lt;br&gt;iii and during the operations of loading and unloading your vehicle</td>
<td><strong>We will not cover:</strong>&lt;br&gt;Liability for causing the death of, or bodily injury to, any employee in the course of their employment by anyone insured by this policy, unless cover is compulsory under motor insurance legislation within the territorial limits of this policy.  &lt;br&gt;Liability for loss of or damage to property which belongs to, or is held in trust by, or is in the care, custody or control of, any person insured by this policy.  &lt;br&gt;Loss of or damage to your vehicle or any trailer or caravan being towed.  &lt;br&gt;Liability of anyone who is covered under any other policy.  &lt;br&gt;Any contractual liability.  &lt;br&gt;Damage to any bridge, viaduct, weigh-bridge, road or anything beneath by vibration or by the weight of your vehicle and its load if your vehicle and/or trailer exceeds the maximum gross vehicle, plated or train weighted permitted by the relevant law.  &lt;br&gt;Death or bodily injury to any person or damage to property directly or indirectly caused by pollution or contamination unless the pollution or contamination is directly caused by a sudden identified, individual, unintentional and unexpected incident which entirely takes place at a specific time and location during the Period of Insurance.  &lt;br&gt;All pollution or contamination which results out of one incident shall be considered to have occurred at the time the incident took place. This exclusion to the policy shall not apply in circumstances where it is necessary to meet the requirements of any compulsory motor insurance legislation in force within the territorial limits of this policy.  &lt;br&gt;Liability for loss, damage, injury, death or any other cost or expense directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any act of terrorism regardless of any other cause or event contributing concurrently or in any other sequence to the loss or any action taken in controlling, preventing, suppressing or in any way relating to any act of terrorism except as is necessary to meet the requirements of any compulsory motor insurance legislation in force within the territorial limits of this policy.  &lt;br&gt;Any liability to anyone covered by this policy where the terms, conditions and exclusions have been breached.  &lt;br&gt;Liability for claims for death, bodily injury, damage to property or aircraft arising from your vehicle being driven or used on that part of an aerodrome, airport, airfield or military base provided for the take-off or landing of aircraft or for the movement of aircraft on the surface or aircraft parking aprons including the associated service roads, refuelling areas and ground equipment parking areas.</td>
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<td><strong>2 Cover we provide for other people</strong>&lt;br&gt;We will cover the following people for legal liabilities to others:  &lt;br&gt;- Anyone you allow to drive or use your vehicle as long as they are entitled to drive by your current certificate of motor insurance and your schedule and are using your vehicle within the limitations of use specified in your Certificate of Motor Insurance.  &lt;br&gt;- Anyone travelling in, getting into or out of your vehicle.  &lt;br&gt;- All companies forming the insured as though separate policies had been issued in their individual names.  &lt;br&gt;- Any principal of the insured provided that the insured would have been entitled to cover if the claim had been made against the insured.</td>
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<td><strong>3 Your legally appointed representatives</strong>&lt;br&gt;After the death of anyone who is insured under this policy, we will protect that person’s estate against any liability they had if that liability is insured under this policy.</td>
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<td><strong>4 Legal fees and expenses</strong>&lt;br&gt;If there is an accident insured under this policy we will, subject to our written agreement, arrange and pay for:  &lt;br&gt;- a solicitor or barrister to represent anyone insured under this policy at a coroner’s inquest or criminal court;  &lt;br&gt;- defending anyone covered under this policy if they are charged with manslaughter or causing death by careless, reckless or dangerous driving.</td>
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## Section B – Loss of or Damage to Your Vehicle

### What is covered

We will, at your request, pay for:

- loss of or damage to your vehicle up to the market value of your vehicle; and
- the cost of protecting and removing your vehicle to the nearest repairer and the cost of delivering your vehicle back to you after it has been repaired.
- the cost of changing locks on your vehicle
  
  If the keys, transmitter or immobiliser key have been lost or stolen provided you report the loss to the Police within 24 hours of discovering it.
  
  The maximum we will pay for any one claim is £1,000.

#### Obsolete and Spare Parts

If any part or accessory is not available, the most we will pay for that part will be the cost shown in the manufacturers last UK price list, plus a fitting cost.

#### Replacing your vehicle

If your vehicle is under 3.5 tonnes gross vehicle weight and has been owned by you (or hired to you under a hire purchase agreement) since new and during the period of one year from the date of its first registration it is:

- Lost by theft and not recovered within 28 days of the date on which the theft is first reported to us; or
- Damaged to the extent that the cost of repair is more than 50% of the price of an identical new vehicle at the time of loss or damage (based on the manufacturer’s last United Kingdom list price).

- We will, subject to the consent of you and of other interested parties known to us and you having comprehensive cover, replace the vehicle with a new one of the same manufacture and model subject to availability.

#### Salvage

If we are going to settle your claim by replacing your vehicle or by paying you the market value, your vehicle will become our property.

If your vehicle has a personalised registration you may retain this, subject to DVLA (Driver and Vehicle Licensing Agency) rules and regulations.

### What is not covered

We will not cover:

If your vehicle is lost, stolen or damaged, you will have to pay the excess shown in your policy schedule.

More than the amount shown below for loss of or damage to audio, communication, navigational, or in-car entertainment equipment unless it is standard equipment, or a manufacturer fitted optional extra for your vehicle when built. Such equipment must be permanently fitted to your vehicle and operated exclusively by your vehicle’s electrical system.

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Loss of or damage to your vehicle following theft or attempted theft if it was unoccupied at the time of the loss or damage, unless your vehicle was locked and the ignition key or other removable ignition device was not in or on your car.

Depreciation, wear and tear, mechanical, electrical, electronic or computer failures, breakdowns or breakages.

Damage to tyres caused by braking, punctures, cuts or bursts.

Any damage or destruction due to pressure waves caused by aircraft or other flying objects.

Loss of or damage caused directly or indirectly by fire if your vehicle is equipped for the cooking and/or heating of food and/or drink.

Loss or damage arising from confiscation, requisition or destruction of your vehicle by or under order of any Government, Public or Local Authority.

Loss of market value following repairs to your vehicle.

Loss of or damage to, your vehicle resulting from fraud or deception or by using any counterfeit form of payment which a bank or building society will not authorise.

Loss of use of your vehicle or other indirect loss.

Any damage caused deliberately by you or anyone else insured under this policy.
Section C – Emergency Treatment

If there is an accident insured by this policy, we will pay for emergency medical treatment which must be provided under any compulsory motor insurance legislation.

Section D – Medical Expenses

We will pay medical, surgical and dental fees up to £100 for each person being carried in your vehicle if they are injured in an accident involving your vehicle.

Section E – Personal Belongings

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<td>We will pay, at your request, up to £100 for personal belongings while in or on your vehicle if they are lost or damaged by an accident, fire, theft or attempted theft.</td>
<td>We will not pay for loss of or damage to: money; securities (financial certificates such as shares and bonds); jewellery; mobile phones; or goods, samples or equipment which you or any person insured by this policy carry in connection with any trade or business.</td>
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## Section F – If You or Your Spouse or Civil Partner are involved in an Accident

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<td>If you or your spouse or civil partner are in an accident while travelling in your vehicle or getting into or out of any vehicle and this is the only cause of death or bodily injury to you or your spouse or civil partner, we will pay £5,000 per person if: • you or your spouse or civil partner die; • you or your spouse or civil partner suffer the total and permanent loss of sight in one or both eyes; or • you or your spouse or civil partner lose any limbs.</td>
<td>We will not cover; Death or loss of sight or limb if this happens more than three months after the accident. Any loss under this section if you are a firm, company or more than one person. Any person aged 75 or over. Any loss due to: deliberately injuring yourself or spouse or civil partner; suicide or attempted suicide; any injury caused by a natural disease or weakness; or any injury caused by being under the influence of drugs or alcohol to a level which would be a driving offence in the country where the accident happens.</td>
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We will only pay for one benefit for death or injury to each person for any one injury in any one period of insurance.

## Section G – Trailers

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<td>We will provide indemnity in the terms of Section A and C in respect of: i any disabled mechanically propelled vehicle which is being towed by your vehicle ii any trailer or caravan owned by you or for which you are responsible whilst it is: a attached to your vehicle b detached from any vehicle Provided that you are not entitled to indemnity under any other policy we will also indemnify you (and no other person) in the terms of Section A and C in respect of any trailer or caravan described above whilst it is attached to a vehicle which is neither owned by you nor in your custody or control.</td>
<td>We shall not be liable for any liability arising out of the operation as a tool of any plant forming part of the trailer (other than a lifting device for self loading) except so far as is necessary to meet the requirements of any compulsory motor insurance legislation. Loss of or damage to the towed vehicle or trailer or to property being conveyed by it.</td>
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Section H – Foreign Travel

The policy provides the minimum cover you need by law to use your vehicle in the following countries:

- Any member country of the European Union, Andorra, Iceland, Liechtenstein, Norway, Serbia and Switzerland.

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

Provided that:

- your vehicle is otherwise permanently kept in Great Britain, Northern Ireland, The Isle of Man or Channel Islands.
- your main permanent address is in Great Britain, Northern Ireland, The Isle of Man or Channel Islands.
- your visits are temporary.

If you wish to increase the level of cover up to the cover shown on your schedule, you must tell your insurance advisor or contact Allianz. If we agree to extend cover we may charge an additional premium or apply terms or both.

Section I – No Claim Discount

If you do not make a claim under your policy, we will reduce your renewal premium in line with our current No Claim Discount Scale which will be printed on your policy schedule.

If you do make a claim under this policy, your No Claim Discount may be affected as stated in our No Claim Discount Stepback Scale which will be printed on your policy schedule.

No Claim Discount can only be earned by you if your policy has been in force for a period of 12 months.

We will not reduce your no claim discount if the only payment we make is for a broken windscreen or windows or for repairing scratched paintwork directly caused by broken glass.
**General Exclusions applying to all parts of this policy**

This **policy** does not cover the following:

1. **We** will not cover loss or damage or legal liability directly or indirectly caused by:
   - ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the burning of nuclear fuel; or
   - the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other dangerous properties of any explosive nuclear machinery or any part of it.

2. **We** will not cover loss, damage, injury or liability as a result of:
   - earthquake;
   - underground fire; or
   - war, invasion, revolution or any similar event.

   However, **we** will provide the cover **you** need by any compulsory motor insurance legislation in force within the territorial limits of this policy.

3. **We** will not cover any claim or damage arising while **your vehicle** is being:
   - driven by anyone who is not mentioned in the Person or classes of persons entitled to drive section noted in the current **Certificate of Motor Insurance**; or
   - used for a purpose which is not permitted by the **Certificate of Motor Insurance**.

   However, this exclusion does not apply to:
   - Claims under Section B (Loss of or Damage to **your vehicle**)
   - and
   - the cover given to **you** (and no other person) under Section A (**Your** liability to others)

   while **your vehicle** is being used without **your** authority or by a motor trader for servicing or repair.

4. **We** will not cover any loss, damage or liability caused by riot or civil commotion outside England, Scotland, Wales, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man unless **we** have to meet any compulsory motor insurance legislation.

5. Any loss, damage or liability arising from an accident outside Great Britain, Northern Ireland, the Republic of Ireland, the Isle of Man or the Channel Islands other than as provided under Section H.

6. Legal liability arising out of any judgement in any court outside the **territorial limits** to which the policy applies.

7. Loss damage or liability arising out of or as a result of any agreement or contract **you** have entered into.
General Conditions applying to this policy

1 You shall pay the premium or any premium instalment on demand. If you pay your premium by the Allianz Premium Instalment Plan, in the event that you fail to pay one or more instalments whether in full or in part, we will cancel the policy in line with General Condition 7 of this policy.

2 You must tell us at your first opportunity about any claim or incident that may lead to a claim and give us any information relevant to the claim that we may ask for.

3 How we deal with claims

If your vehicle is lost, stolen or damaged, we may decide to either:

- pay for any repairs to your vehicle; if we pay for any repairs to your vehicle, we may decide to use alternative replacement parts that are not supplied by the original manufacturer.
- replace your vehicle; or
- pay you an amount up to the value of any loss or damage to your vehicle but not exceeding the market value.

If your vehicle is on lease hire or hire purchase, we may be required to pay the owner for damage to your vehicle. In that event our payment will be in full and final settlement or our liability under Section B (loss of or damage to your vehicle).

You must not pay or offer or agree to pay any money or admit responsibility or settle any claim without our permission.

We can, in your name:

- take over and defend or settle a claim;
- take proceedings at our own expense and benefit to recover any payment we have made under this policy.

You must co-operate with us at all times.

4 Keeping to the terms of the policy

We will only give you the cover described in the policy if:

- any person claiming has met all the conditions as far as they apply; and
- the declaration and information given in the application or Statement of Facts on which this policy is based is complete and correct as far as you know.

5 Compulsory insurance

If the law of any country in which this policy covers you says we must pay a claim which we would not otherwise have paid, then we are entitled to recover such payments from you.

6 Reflection period (applicable to new policies and renewals)

You may cancel this policy within 14 days of the date you receive it. If you wish to do this please contact your insurance advisor. If you choose to do this, and provided your request is received on or before the 14th day, you are entitled to a refund of the premium you have paid for this insurance. We will charge a pro-rate premium plus £15 plus Insurance Premium Tax to cover our operational costs which is subject to a minimum amount payable of £25 plus Insurance Premium Tax except where an incident has occurred which may give rise to a prejudicial claim, in which case the full annual premium will be payable to us.

7 Cancelling your policy (outside of the Reflection Period)

We may cancel this policy by giving you seven days notice in writing to your last known address. If this happens we will refund the part of the premium that you have not yet used.

We may cancel your policy where there are serious grounds to do so, this includes:

- failure to meet the terms and conditions of this policy;
- Where you are required in accordance with the terms of your policy to co-operate with us, or send us information or documentation and you fail to do so in a way that materially affects our ability to process a claim, or our ability to defend our interests;
- failure when requested to supply us with other relevant documentation or information that we need;
- where we reasonably suspect fraud or misrepresentation. Please see General Condition 10 – Fraud;
- changes to your policy details or circumstances that we do not cover under our policy; or
- use of threatening or abusive behaviour or language, or intimidation or harassment of our staff or suppliers.
If you wish to cancel this policy please contact your insurance advisor. Your policy will be cancelled from the date you request, or the date your request is received, whichever is the later.

If you cancel the policy before the first renewal date, we will refund the part of the premium you have not yet used less a charge of £50 plus Insurance Premium Tax except where an incident has occurred that may give rise to a prejudicial claim. If such an incident has occurred the full annual premium will be due to us.

If you cancel the policy after the first renewal date, we will refund the part of the premium you have not yet used less a charge of £25 plus Insurance Premium Tax except where an incident has occurred that may give rise to a prejudicial claim. If such an incident has occurred the full annual premium will be due to us.

8 Arbitration

If we accept your claim but you do not agree with the amount we will pay you, we will refer the matter to an arbitrator chosen by you and us. You cannot take any action against us until you and we have received the arbitrator’s final decision.

9 Taking care of your vehicle

You must do all you reasonably can to protect your vehicle from damage or theft and keep it in a good and roadworthy condition. Where required by law, your vehicle must have a current Department Of Transport test certificate (MOT). If we ask, you must allow us, or our representative, to inspect your vehicle at any reasonable time.

10 Fraud

If you or anyone acting on your behalf make any false or fraudulent claim or supports a claim by false or fraudulent document, device or statement, this policy shall be void and you will forfeit all rights under the policy. In such circumstances, we retain the right to keep the premium and to recover any sums paid by way of benefit under the policy.

11 Choice of law

Unless we agree otherwise:

a) the language of the policy and all communications relating to it will be English; and

b) all aspects of this policy including negotiation and performance are subject to English law and the decisions of English courts.

12 Vehicle sharing

Your policy also covers your vehicle when you are paid for carrying passengers for social reasons, as long as:

- the vehicle is not built or adapted to carry more than eight passengers (including the driver);
- the passengers are not being carried as part of a business of carrying passengers; and
- you do not profit from the total amount of money you are paid for the journey.

If you have any doubts as to whether or not any vehicle sharing you have arranged is covered by this policy, please contact us or your insurance advisor.

13 Changing your details

You must tell us at about any changes that may affect your policy cover. If we are not informed of any changes this may affect your ability to claim under your policy. Changes you must tell us about before continuing to use your vehicle:

If you want to:

- change your vehicle
- make any changes to your vehicle that make it different from the manufacturer’s standard UK specification;
- use your vehicle for a purpose not permitted in your Certificate of Motor Insurance;
- add a new driver.

Changes you must tell us about at your first opportunity:

If you:

- change your address, or where you normally keep your vehicle;
- or any other driver covered by your policy, are convicted of a criminal or motoring offence including fixed penalty notices;
- or any other driver covered by your policy, have a prosecution pending for any motoring offence;
- or any driver covered under your policy become unemployed or change occupation, including any part-time work;
- or any other driver have had changes made to the status of your or their driving licence;
become aware of any physical or medical condition of any driver which may affect your or their ability to drive;
• exceed your stated annual mileage;
• or any driver covered under your policy have a change of name due to marriage or via Deed Poll. When you tell us of a change of details we will reassess the premium and terms of your policy. You will be informed of any revised premium (which will include a charge of £10 plus Insurance Premium Tax to cover operational costs) or terms and asked to agree before any change is made.

To reduce costs we will not refund or charge amounts less than £25 plus Insurance Premium Tax. In some circumstances we may not be able to continue your policy following the changes, where this happens you will be told and the policy will be cancelled in line with the provisions of General Condition 7.

14 Rights of Parties
A person or company who was not a party to this policy has no right under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 to enforce any term of this policy but this does not affect any right or remedy of a third party which exists or is available apart from that Act.

15 Paying by instalments
If you pay your premium by the Allianz Premium Instalment Plan, when your policy is due for renewal it will be renewed automatically which saves you the worry of remembering to contact us prior to the renewal date.

We will write to you 14 days before your policy expires with full details of next year’s premium and policy terms. We will also issue you with a new certificate of motor insurance.

If you do not want to renew this policy, contact your insurance advisor, prior to the renewal date so that we do not take payment, with clear instructions that you do not wish to renew.

If your request to cancel your policy is received within 14 days of the renewal date, your policy will be cancelled in line with the provisions of General Condition 6, if your request is received after this 14 day period your policy will be cancelled in line with the provisions of General Condition 7.

If we decide not to renew your policy we will notify you in writing 14 days prior to the renewal date.

16 Proof of No Claims
If you have declared to us that you are entitled to a No Claim Discount in respect of the vehicle covered under this policy we will require proof of this No Claim Discount in writing, unless we otherwise agree. If you do not provide this proof your policy may be invalid or we may change the terms or premium. Your period of no claims must have been earned on a private car or commercial vehicle policy in the United Kingdom which expired no more than two years before the start of this policy.

17 Tax and registration
Your vehicle must be taxed where applicable and registered in Great Britain, Northern Ireland, the Channel Islands or the Isle of Man.
Complaints Procedure

Our aim is to get it right, first time, every time. If we make a mistake we will try to put it right promptly. We will always confirm to you the receipt of your complaint within five working days and do our best to resolve the problem within four weeks. If we cannot, we will let you know when an answer may be expected.

If we have not resolved the situation within eight weeks we will issue you with information about the Financial Ombudsman Service (FOS) which offers a free, independent complaint resolution service.

If you have a complaint please contact our Customer Satisfaction Manager at:

Allianz Insurance plc
2530 The Quadrant
Aztec West
Bristol
BS3 2AW
Telephone: 0330 102 1781
Fax: 01483 529717
Email: allianzretailcomplaints@allianz.co.uk

You have the right to refer your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman, free of charge – but you must do so within six months of the date of the final response letter.

If you do not refer your complaint in time, the Ombudsman will not have our permission to consider your complaint and so will only be able to do so in very limited circumstances. For example, if the Ombudsman believes that the delay was as a result of exceptional circumstances.

The Financial Ombudsman Service
Exchange Tower
London
E14 9SR
Website: www.financial-ombudsman.org.uk
Telephone: 0800 0234567 or 0300 1239123
Email: complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

The European Commission has an online dispute resolution service for consumers who have a complaint about a product or service bought online. If you choose to submit your complaint this way it will be forwarded to the Financial Ombudsman Service.

Visit ec.europa.eu/odr to access the Online Dispute Resolution Service. Please quote our e-mail address: allianzretailcomplaints@allianz.co.uk

Alternatively, you can contact the Financial Ombudsman Service directly.

Using our complaints procedure or contacting the Financial Ombudsman Service does not affect your legal rights.
Protecting Your Vehicle and Belongings

The following information is for guidance only; it does not form part of your policy

Remove the ignition key or other removable ignition device when you get out of the vehicle, even when parking in your own drive or at a petrol station. Your policy may not cover you if your vehicle is unoccupied with the keys inside it or on it.

Never leave a door unlocked or a window or sunroof open, even when just going into a shop for a moment or two. If you use the key fob check the vehicle has actually locked before you leave it. Your policy may not cover you if you do not protect your vehicle against damage or theft.

Don’t leave any belongings in your vehicle. A thief won’t know that a bag or coat doesn’t contain something valuable and might break a window to get at it. If you can’t take them with you, lock them out of sight. If you have a removable sat nav remove the cradle as well as the device and any suction marks that could show that it is in your vehicle.

Don’t leave money, credit cards or cheque books in the glove compartment.

Never leave your vehicle documents in the vehicle; they could help a thief to sell it.

If you can, leave the vehicle in a locked garage and lock your vehicle and the garage. If you do not have a garage, try to park in a well-lit, open space.

At home, ensure your vehicle keys are kept in a safe place, out of sight and away from windows and doors.

When parking in a public car park, look for one that is well supervised, with restricted entry and exit points, good lighting and security cameras. Wherever possible use Park Mark® car parks – details of approved Park Mark® car parks can be found on www.parkmark.co.uk.

Etch the vehicle’s registration number on all glass surfaces – windows, sunroofs etc. Thieves don’t want the expense of replacement.

If your vehicle is not fitted with an alarm or immobiliser, consider fitting one which is Thatcham approved. Also think about fitting a tracking device especially if you have a high-performance or an expensive vehicle.

Remember!

Your policy may not cover loss of your vehicle, accessories or spare parts if your ignition key or other removable ignition device is in, or on, an unoccupied vehicle.
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