

## **WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION POLICY**

Whereas the Insured carrying on the Business described in the Schedule and no other for the purpose of this insurance by a proposal and declaration which shall be the basis of this contract and is deemed to be incorporated herein has applied to the Company for the insurance hereinafter contained and has paid or agreed to pay the Premium as consideration for such insurance.

How This Policy Witnesseth that if at any time during the Period of Insurance any employee in the Insured's immediate service shall sustain personal injury by accident or disease arising out of and in the course of his employment by the Insured in the Business and if the Insured shall be liable to pay compensation for such injury either under

the Law (s) set out in the Schedule

or at

Common Law

then subject to the terms exceptions and conditions contained herein or endorsed hereon the Company will indemnify the Insured against all sums for which the Insured shall be so liable and will in addition be responsible for all costs and expenses incurred with its consent in defending any claim for such compensation.

PROVIDED ALWAYS that in the event of any change in the Law(s) or the substitution of other legislation therefore this Policy shall remain in force but the liability of the Company shall be limited to such sum as the Company would have been liable to pay if the Law(s) had remained unaltered.

## **EXCEPTIONS**

The Company shall not be liable under this Policy in respect of

- (a) any injury by accident or disease directly attributable to war invasion act of foreign enemy hostilities (whether war be declared or not) civil war mutiny insurrection rebellion revolution or military or usurped power
- (b) the Insured's liability to employees of contractors to the Insured
- (c) any employee who is not a "Workman" within the meaning of the Law(s)
- (d) any liability of the Insured which attaches by virtue of an agreement but which would not have attached in the absence of such agreement
- (e) for an agreement between the Insured and such party.



## **CONDITIONS**

- 1. This policy and the schedule shall be read together as one contract and any word or expression to which a specific meaning has been attached in any part of this Policy or of the Schedule shall bear such specific meaning wherever it may appear.
- 2. Every notice or communication to be given or made under this policy shall be delivered in writing to the Company.
- 3. The Insured shall take reasonable precautions to prevent accident and disease shall comply with all statutory obligations.
- 4. In the event of any occurrence which may give rise to a claim under this Policy the Insured shall as soon as possible give notice thereof to the Company with full particulars. Every letter claim write summons and process shall be notified or forwarded to the Company immediately on receipt. Notice shall also be given to the Company immediately the Insured shall have knowledge of any impending prosecution inquest or fatal enquiry in connection with any such occurrence as aforesaid.
- 5. No admission offer promise or payment shall be made by or on behalf of the Insured without the consent of the Company which shall be entitled if it so desires to take over and conduct in his name the defence or settlement of any claim or to prosecute in his name for its own benefit any claim for indemnity or damages or otherwise and shall have full discretion in the conduct of any proceedings and in the settlement of any claim and the Insured shall give all such information and assistance as the Company may require.
- 6. The first premium and all renewal premiums that may be accepted are to be regulated by the amount of wages salaries and other earnings paid by the Insured to employees during each period of Insurance. The name of every employee together with the amount of wages salaries and other earnings shall be properly recorded and the Insured shall at all times allow the Company to inspect such records and shall supply the Company with a correct account of all such wages salaries and other earnings paid during any Period of Insurance within one month from the expiry date of such Period of Insurance. If the amount so paid shall differ from the amount on which premium has been paid the difference in premium shall be met by a further proportionate payment to the Company or by a refund by the Company as the case may be.
- 7. The Company may cancel this Policy by sending seven days notice by registered letter to the Insured at his last known address and in such event the premium shall be adjusted in accordance with Condition 6.
- 8. All differences arising out of this Policy shall be referred to the decision of an Arbitrator to be appointed in writing by the parties in difference or if they cannot agree upon a single Arbitrator to the decision of two Arbitrators one to be appointed in writing by each of the parties within one calendar month after having been required in writing so to do by either of the parties or in case the Arbitrators do not agree of an Umpire appointed in writing by the Arbitrators before entering upon the reference. The Umpire shall sit with the Arbitrators and preside at their meetings and the making of an Award shall be a condition precedent to any right of action against the company. If the Company shall disclaim liability to the Insured for any claim hereunder and such claim shall not within twelve calendar months from the date of such disclaimer have been referred to arbitration under the provisions herein contained then the claim shall for all purposes be deemed too have been abandoned and shall not thereafter be recoverable hereunder.
- 9. The due observances and fulfillments of the terms conditions and endorsements of the Policy so far as they relate to anything to be done or not to be done by the Insured and the truth of the statements and answers in the Proposal shall be conditions precedent to any liability of the company to make any payment under this Policy.