

Information for Existing and Prospective Policyholders

Which Law is Applicable to your Contract?

Your insurance policies with Atlas Insurance PCC Limited are Maltese contracts and will be governed by Maltese Law.

What Protection & Compensation is there for Policyholders?

A special fund has been established under the Protection and Compensation Fund Regulations of 2003. The fund is made up of contributions by locally licensed insurers and provides limited compensation to policyholders if one of these insurers becomes insolvent. Payments out of the funds are made in respect of protected risks only and to qualified persons as defined in these Regulations. If you wish, our Compliance Officer can provide you with a detailed explanation of the provisions of the Protection and Compensation Fund Regulations and how they affect you.

What can you do if you are not satisfied with Atlas Insurance PCC Limited?

With the best will in the world, concerns about some aspects of our service may arise. Please help us to resolve your concerns as quickly as possible by following this process.

Please remember to quote your policy and/or claim number on all correspondence.

How we deal with your concerns

You can communicate with us about your concerns in writing by any reasonable means and this will always be free of charge. We assure you that feedback is always welcome as it enables us to identify ways to improve our service, and rest assured that we will always treat you fairly, equally and promptly. We will keep your records in accordance with the Data Protection Act and you have the right to request information about the progress of your concerns.

What you should do

Atlas staff have the training and authority to settle problems and will do everything they can to help. They should be your first point of contact.

In the unlikely event that your complaint is unresolved, please write to **The Customer Care Manager** (at Atlas Insurance PCC Limited, 419 Ta' Xbiex Seafront, Ta' Xbiex XBX 1021 or email on complaints@atlas.com.mt) who will investigate the matter independently. The Customer Care Manager will:

- acknowledge your concern within 3 working days
- explain how Atlas will handle your complaint and who your contact person will be
- explain what, if anything, you need to do
- send you a copy of the Atlas Complaints Procedure if you do not already have a copy of it

- give you a final reply to your concern within 15 working days from the date of receipt of your complaint. In the unlikely event that we are unable to conclude within this time period, we will write to you explaining why.

If you are still not satisfied

If you are still not satisfied with our final reply or we have failed to give you a reply within 15 working days without giving you an explanation, you (individuals and micro enterprises) may refer your issues to the Financial Services Arbiter (Office of the Arbiter for Financial Services, N/S in Regional Road, Msida MSD1920 Malta, telephone 8007 2366 or 2124 9245 or complaint.info@financialarbiter.org.mt).

Issues related to online purchases

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 an Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) entity which will handle the case entirely online and will reach an outcome in 90 days. Please visit <https://ec.europa.eu/consumers/odr/> to access the Online Dispute Resolution Service. Please quote our email address complaints@atlas.com.mt.

Remuneration of intermediaries and employees

Commission payments to insurance intermediaries (if applicable) are based on a percentage of the premium that may differ depending on the product cover. Commissions could be given to Atlas employees for customers personally introduced by them. Intermediaries and Atlas sales employees may additionally be given variable bonuses linked to levels of sales or profitability.

Are there any charges applicable apart from the insurance premium in the amounts charged by Atlas Insurance PCC Limited?

Yes, the charges applicable are as follows:

All Commercial Insurance policies	€2.50
Boat Insurance – comprehensive cover	€7.50
All other Personal Insurance policies	€5.00
All changes to policies (admin. charge)	€5.00

This does not apply if a change in a policy not made at renewal generates an additional or return premium of less than €15.00.

Informazzjoni lill-Klijenti Tagħna u Dawk Prospettivi

Liema li ġi tapplika għall-kuntratt tiegħek?

Il-poloz tiegħek ma' Atlas Insurance PCC Limited huma kuntratti Maltin u jaqgħu taħt il-Liġi Maltija.

X'protezzjoni u kumpens hemm għall-Assigurati?

Hemm fond speċjali li twaqqaq skond ir-regolamenti tal-Fond ta' Protezzjoni u Kumpens taħt l-Att dwar il-Kummerċ ta' l-Assigurazzjoni. Dan il-fond huwa magħmul minn kontribuzzjonijiet minn kumpaniji ta' l-assigurazzjoni Maltin u jipprovd kumpens limitat lill-assigurati jekk waħda minn dawn il-kumpaniji tfalli. Hlas minn dan il-fond isir fuq riskji protetti u lill-persuni ntitolati skond dawn ir-regolamenti.

Jekk tixtieq, il-Compliance Officer tagħna tista` tagħtik spjegazzjoni dettaljata tal-provijonijiet tar-Regolamenti tal-Fond ta' Protezzjoni u Kumpens, u kif dawn jistgħu japplikaw għalik.

X'għandek tagħmel jekk ikollok xi lment dwar Atlas Insurance PCC Limited?

Minkejja r-rieda tajba li għandna, xorta jistgħu jingalghu dubji, ansjetajiet jew ħsibijiet dwar is-servizzi tagħna. Biex tgħinna nghaġġlu nwiegħbu dawn il-mistoqsijiet, tkun ta' għajnejha għalina jekk issegwi dan il-proċess.

Jekk jogħġbok tinsiex tikkwota n-numru tal-policy u/jew tal-claim fil-korrispondenzi kollha tiegħek.

Kif nitrattaw l-ilment tiegħek

Tista' tikkomunika magħna bla ħlas fuq dak li qed jinkwetak billi tiktbilna. Nassiġarawlk li aħna lesti dejjem nilqgħu kull tip ta' feedback, li lilna jaġħtina ċ-ċans nidentifikaw modi kif nistgħu ntejbu s-servizzi tagħna. Serraħ moħħok ukoll għalix aħna nitrattaw b'mod ġust, ugħalli u bla telf ta' żmien. Aħna nżommu r-rekords tiegħek skont ma titlob il-liġi tad-Data Protection, u int ikollok id-dritt li tistaqsa fuq il-progress tad-dubji tiegħek.

X'għandek tagħmel

L-impjegati tal-Atlas huma mħarja u għandhom l-awtorita' li jsolu l-problemi li jkollok, u lesti jaġħmlu dak kollu li jistgħu biex jgħinuk. Għalhekk huma għandhom ikunu l-ewwel punt ta' referenza f'każ li jkollok bżonn xi haġa.

F'każ li l-ilment tiegħek jibqa' ma jissolviekk, jekk jogħġbok ikteb lil "The Customer Care Manager", Atlas Insurance PCC Ltd, 48 – 50 Ix-Xatt Ta' Xbiex, Ta' Xbiex XBX 1021, jew ibqax ittra elettronika fuq insure@atlas.com.mt. Huma jaraw li l-ilment tiegħek jiġi investigat b'mod indipendenti. Il-Meniżer tal-Customer Care:

- jirrikonoxxi l-ilment tiegħek sa tlitt ijiem xogħol minn meta tkun bgħattu;
- jispiegalek kif Atlas se jittratta l-ilment tiegħek u jghidlek min se jkun il-persuna li magħha għandek tikkomunika;
- jispiegalek x'għandek tagħmel f'każ li jkollok bżonn tagħmel xi haġa;
- jibgħatlek kopja tal-Atlas Complaints Procedure f'każ li ma jkollokx kopja tagħha;

- jagħtik risposta finali għall-ilment tiegħek sa massimu ta' ħmistax-il ġurnata minn meta jircievi l-ilment tiegħek. Jekk sa dak iż-żmien ma jkollniex risposta sodisfaċenti nagħtuk raġuni għalix.

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Il-liment marbuta max-xiri onlajn

Il-Kommissjoni Ewropea għandha servizz onlajn għal dawk il-konsumaturi li jkunu jridu jilmentaw fuq prodott jew servizz li nxtara onlajn. Jekk tagħżel li tissottometti l-ilment tiegħek b'dan il-mod, l-ilment ikun mgħoddxi l-i entità ADR (Alternative Dispute Resolution), li tittrattalek kompletament il-każ onlajn u jasal għal riżultat fi żmien disghin (90) ġurnata. Jekk jogħġbok żur <https://ec.europa.eu/consumers/adr/> biex taċċessa dan is-servizz. Jekk jogħġbok ukoll, ikkwota l-indirizz elettroniku tagħna insure@atlas.com.mt.

Remunerazzjoni lil intermedjarji fl-assigurazzjoni u impjegati

Ħlas ta' kommissjoni lil intermedjarji fl-assigurazzjoni (fejn ikun applikabbli) jkun ibbaż fuq persentaġġ tal-premium li jista` jinbidel u jiddependi fuq il-kopertura tal-assigurazzjoni. Hlas ta' kommissjoni tista' tingħata lill-impjegati ta' Atlas għal klijenti li jkunu ntroduċew huma stess. Intermedjarji fl-assigurazzjoni u impjegati ta' Atlas involuti fil-bejjgħ ta' poloz tal-assigurazzjoni jistgħu wkoll jingħatawar bonuses varjabbi marbuta mal-livell ta' bejgħ jew profitabilita'.

Hemm xi ħlasijiet li jistgħu japplikaw fuq il-polza tiegħek minbarra l-'premium'?

Iva, il-ħlasijiet huma dawn:

Poloz kollha ta' assigurazzjoni kummerċjali	€2.50
Poloz fuq dgħajjes ta' t-tip 'comprehensive'	€7.50
Poloz oħra ta' assigurazzjoni personali	€5.00
Tibdil fil-poloz	€5.00

Jekk il-premium dovut jew dak li għandu jithallas huwa inqas minn €15.00, dan il-ħlas ma japplikax.