

# EQUINE LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY- IRELAND

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#### **Definitions**

Wherever the following words appear in bold they will have the meanings shown below for the purposes of this Policy:-

#### Advertising Injury

means:

- (a) libel, slander or defamation; and/or
- (b) any infringement of design, patent, copyright, title or slogan; and/or
- (c) piracy, plagiarism, passing off or unfair competition or idea misappropriation under an implied contract; and/or
- (d) any invasion of right of privacy; and/or
- (e) any of the foregoing alleged by any other name;

committed or alleged to have been committed during the **Period** of Insurance in any advertisement, by **You** or on **Your** behalf and arising out of **Your** advertising activities.

#### **Business**

means the business as stated in the schedule conducted at or from Premises within the Territorial Limits and shall include:

- (a) The provision and management of canteen, social, sports and welfare organisations for the benefit of Employees and Your ambulance, first aid, fire, medical and security services.
- (b) Private duties undertaken by an Employee for You or, with Your consent, for any director or partner.
- (c) The ownership, repair and maintenance and decoration of Your Premises.
- (d) Participation in exhibitions, trade fairs, conferences and the like.

#### Cyber Incident

means:

(a) the use of any application, process, software, code or programme in connection with any electronic equipment for example a computer, mobile phone or

internet capable electronic device regardless of whether such use is unauthorised or malicious, or an error, omission or an accident.

(b) a computer virus or computer-related hoax.

#### **Damage**

means direct physical loss, destruction, or damage which is both sudden and accidental to tangible property. Damaged will have the equivalent meaning.

#### Data

means facts concepts and/or information converted to a form useable in Your computer operations, for example Business and customer files and accounts, owned leased or rented by You or for which You are legally responsible

## Employment Practices

means any wrongful or unfair dismissal, denial of natural justice, misleading representation or harassment (sexual or otherwise), bullying or discrimination directly related to employment by **You** 

#### **Employee**

means:

- (a) a person under contract of service or apprenticeship with **You**;
- (b) a labour master or labour only sub-contractor or person supplied by any of them;
- (c) a self employed person;
- (d) a person hired to or borrowed by **You**;
- (e) a person undertaking study or work experience;
- (f) a person supplied to **You** under a contract or agreement, the terms of which deem such a person to be in **Your** employment;
- (g) a casual labourer or volunteer while working under **Your** control in connection with **Your Business**.

#### Excess

means the amounts specified in the Schedule which You shall pay in respect of all damages, compensation, claimants' costs, Legal Costs, defence costs and expenses before We shall be liable to make any payment. The Excess shall apply to each Occurrence other than in respect of legal liability arising out of Injury, where the Excess shall not apply

means any horse, pony, donkey, mule, ass or jennet

**Pollutant** 

**Pollution** 

**Premises** 

Premium

**Product** 

**Property** 

Schedule

means We will pay You for liabilities incurred under the terms of this **Policy**, for example

Legal Costs or damages and Indemnified claimants' costs. shall have the same meaning.

means bodily injury, death, disease, illness, nervous shock or mental injury.

**Legal Costs** means costs of Your legal representation at:

> (a) any Coroners Inquest or Fatal Accident Inquiry;

(b) proceedings in any court arising out of any alleged breach of statutory duty;

all other reasonable costs and reasonable expenses in relation to the defence, investigation or settlement of any claim incurred with our consent. However, all office expenses of the Business, all expenses for Employees and general retainer fees normally paid by the Employer are excluded.

means an event, including continuous or repeated exposure to substantially the same or similar set of conditions, which unexpectedly or unintentionally results in Injury and/or Damage to Property.

All Injury or Damage to Property consequent upon or attributable to one source or originating cause shall be deemed to be one Occurrence irrespective of the period of time after commencement of the Policy period or the number of persons or organisations who sustain Injury and/or Damage to Property.

means the time for which this insurance is in place as shown in the Schedule.

means the contract of insurance between You and Us and consists of this Equine Liability Insurance policy wording, the Schedule

(including any schedules in substitution) and anv Endorsements attaching to this document or the Schedule.

means any solid, liquid, gaseous or thermal irritant or contaminant, toxic or hazardous substance including but not limited to smoke, vapour, soot, fumes, chemicals acids. alkalis. biochemical and waste. Waste is deemed to include materials to be recycled, reconditioned reclaimed.

means the actual or threatened discharge, seepage, migration of **Pollutant** pollution anv contamination of buildings or other structures, or of water or contamination of land, or the atmosphere and all loss or Damage or Injury caused by such pollution contamination.

means any place(s) leased rented or owned by You and used for the purposes of Your Business within the Territorial Limits.

means the amount You must pay Us for this insurance as specified in the Schedule.

means any commodity, article or including packaging, thing containers and labels sold, supplied, distributed, erected, repaired, altered, treated, installed, processed, manufactured or tested by You or on Your behalf and no longer in Your possession or under Your control. However, food or drink for consumption on Your Premises or at any other Premises where You are conducting Your Business is excluded.

means material property of a Third Party. For the purposes of this Policy electronic data is not property.

means the schedule of insurance issued by Us and attaching to this Policy which specifies, amongst other matters, Your name, the Business insured, the cover limits. any additional cover included, the Premium and the Period of Insurance

Territorial means Limits

Horse(s)

Indemnify

Injury

**Occurrence** 

Period of Insurance

**Policy** 

- (a) The Republic of Ireland
- (b) elsewhere in the world whilst temporarily overseas in the course of Your Business and where the Injury or Damage takes place.

#### **Terrorism**

means an 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.

#### We/Us/Our

means Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE (LMIE) trading as Liberty Specialty Markets, a member of the Liberty Mutual Insurance Group. Registered office: 5-7 rue Léon Laval, L-3372, Leudelange, Grand Duchy of Luxembourg, Registered Number B232280 (Registre de Commerce et des Sociétés). LMIE is a European public limited liability company and is supervised by the Commissariat aux Assurances and licensed by the Luxembourg Minister of Finance as an insurance and reinsurance company.

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#### You/Your/Yours means:

- (a) the person, persons or corporate body named in the Schedule
- (b) any associated or subsidiary companies notified to and accepted in writing by **Us**
- (c) any director or Employee while acting for You or on Your behalf of or in the course of his employment or engagement in respect of liability for which You would have been entitled to cover under this Policy if the claim against any such person had been made against You.
- (d) any volunteer whilst acting for You or on Your behalf in the course of the Business only including whilst travelling directly from the said person's private dwelling to the site of the activity at which they are assisting You and return transit thereafter.

But in all cases for persons domiciled within The Republic of Ireland only.

#### **Your Broker**

The insurance broker or intermediary who arranged this **Policy** on **Your** behalf.

### Important Information

This document, the **Schedule** and any related Endorsement forms **Your Policy** which sets out the terms and conditions of the contract of insurance between **You** and **Us**. Please read this **Policy** carefully to ensure it meets **Your** requirements. If it is incorrect then please advise **Us** or **Your broker** immediately.

It is important that You:

- check that the sections You have requested are contained in the Schedule;
- check that the information You have given Us is accurate. See page 7;
- comply with all Your duties and obligations under Your Policy, including the action You must take in the event of a claim on page 7.

Failure to comply with the above could adversely affect **You**r insurance and any claim **You** make.

#### The Insurance Contract

In consideration of the payment of the **Premium We** will **Indemnify You** against **Your** liability to pay damages (including claimants' costs, fees and expenses) in accordance with the law of any country within the **Territorial Limits** during the **Period of Insurance** 

However, no cover shall be provided under this **Policy** in respect of any judgment, award, payment or settlement made within any country or territory which operates under the laws of the United States of America or Canada (or to any order made anywhere in the world to enforce such judgment, award, payment or settlement either in whole or in part) unless the North American Jurisdiction Extension is marked as "included" in the **Schedule**.

The cover under this **Policy** applies only to such liability as defined by each insured Section of this **Policy** arising out of the **Business**, subject always to the terms, conditions and exclusions, and applicable **Excess** of such Section and of the **Policy** as a whole.

#### **Limit of Liability**

Our total liability under this Policy shall not exceed the cover limits specified in the Schedule:

- against each Section in respect of any one Occurrence; and
- in respect of all Occurrences during the Period of Insurance for Section A, Section B and Section C (separately for each section)

This limit is the maximum amount payable by **Us** in respect of any one claim and/or series of claims

arising from the same **Occurrence**, unless specified otherwise in the applicable **Policy** section.

Each Section shall be subject to its own cover limit specified in the **Schedule**. Should the same **Occurrence** give rise to liability under more than one Section, the total amount of **Our** liability for all claims arising out of that one **Occurrence** under all such Sections combined shall not exceed the single greatest cover limit available under the Sections providing cover.

The cover limit will be inclusive of **Legal Costs** unless this **Policy** is specifically endorsed to the contrary.

#### **Excess**

The Excess stated in the Schedule applies to each and every claim or series of claims arising out of an Occurrence. The Excess shall not be cumulative and where an Occurrence could give rise to the application of more than one Excess, only the higher Excess shall apply.

The Excess shall be inclusive of all damages, claimants' costs, fees and expenses and defence costs and shall not reduce the cover limit.

#### Notifying Us of any changes

You must notify Your Broker as soon as practicable if You become aware of any changes in the information You have provided to Us which happens before or during any Period of Insurance. If You become aware that information You have given Us is inaccurate or any alteration in such information that may materially affect the risk insured, then You must inform Your Broker as soon as practicable and must be made in writing, by email, or by telephone. Changes to the information You have provided could result in You having to pay an additional Premium or Us amending the terms of Your insurance. Failure to notify Us of changes could adversely affect your right to claim.

#### Information You have given Us

In deciding to accept this insurance and in setting the terms and premium, We have relied on the information You have given Us. You must take care when answering any questions We ask by ensuring that all information provided is accurate and complete.

There are remedies available to Us if We discover you misrepresented information when answering the questions We ask. The remedies depend on the type of misrepresentation:

#### (a) Innocent misrepresentation

If We find that You innocently provided Us with incorrect or incomplete information We are not able to treat this insurance as if it never existed.

#### (b) Negligent misrepresentation

If We find that You negligently provided Us with incorrect or incomplete information We have relied upon in accepting this insurance and setting its terms and premium, We may:

- treat this insurance as if it had never existed and refuse to pay all claims and return the premium paid. We will only do this if We provided You with insurance cover which We would not otherwise have offered:
- amend the terms of Your insurance. We may apply these amended terms as if they were already in place;
- charge You more premium for Your insurance or reduce the amount We pay on a claim in the proportion the premium You have paid bears to the premium We would have charged You; or
- cancel Your insurance in accordance with the "Cancelling this Policy" section.

#### (c) Fraudulent misrepresentation

If We find that You fraudulently provided Us with false or misleading information, or disregarded whether the information was false or misleading, We will treat this insurance as if it never existed and decline all claims.

We or Your Broker will write to You if We:

- intend to treat this insurance as if it never existed; or
- need to amend the terms of Your insurance; or
- require You to pay more premium for Your insurance.

#### **Cancelling this Policy**

You can cancel this **Policy** at any time by notifying Your Broker.

We can cancel Your Policy by giving You fourteen (14) days' notice in writing. We will only do this for a valid reason for example:

- non-payment of Premium;
- a change in risk occurring which means that We can no longer provide You with insurance cover:
- non-cooperation or failure to supply any information or documentation We request;
- threatening or abusive behaviour or the use of threatening or abusive language to Us or Your Broker.

#### **Refund of Premium**

This insurance has a cooling off period of fourteen (14) days from either:

- the date You receive this insurance documentation; or
- the start of the Period of Insurance

whichever is the later.

If You decide within the cooling off period that this **Policy** does not meet Your requirements, You may cancel this **Policy** and, provided You have not made a claim, receive a full refund of the **Premium** paid.

If this **Policy** is cancelled by **You** or **Us**, provided **You** have not made a claim, **You** will be entitled to a refund of the **Premium** paid, subject to a deduction for any time for which **You** have been covered. This will be calculated on a proportional basis, for example, if **You** have been covered for six (6) months, the deduction for the time **You** have been covered will be half the annual **Premium**.

If a claim is paid under this **Policy**, no return of **Premium** will be allowed.

## Your Duties in the Event of a Claim or Potential Claim

You must notify Us as soon as is reasonably practicable of any Occurrence event or circumstances (including any written or oral claim made against You) that may give rise to liability under this Policy and You must provide Us with all additional information as We may require.

**You** shall not admit liability or make any offer or promise of payment without **our** prior written consent.

Every Letter of Claim, or any request that the statute of limitations be tolled or waived, or any writ summons or process and all related documents and any other written notification of claim must be forwarded unanswered to **Us** immediately they are received.

You must at all times, in addition to Your obligations set out above, afford such information to and co-operation with Us or our appointed agents to allow Us to be able to comply with such relevant Practice Directions and Pre-action Protocols, Court Orders, as may be issued and

approved from time to time by the Head of Civil Justice.

We shall be entitled (either before or after any payment is made by Us under this Policy) to take over at our expense the absolute control and conduct of any negotiation, defence, proceeding or settlement of any claim in Your name and on Your behalf.

**You** must not destroy any evidence, plant or other property relating to an **Occurrence**, loss or legal proceedings that may give rise to a claim under this **Policy**.

You shall keep adequate business records and shall give such information and assistance as **We** may reasonably require to substantiate a claim or deal with a third party claim.

#### Please direct all claims correspondence to:

The Underwriting Exchange (Ireland) Limited 16 Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin D02FF82 +33 1 6694631 equineclaims@tue.ie

Or

Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE 20 Fenchurch Street London EC3M 3AW equineliabilityclaims@libertyglobalgroup.com

# General policy exclusions

# Exclusions applicable to ALL policy Sections including any Extensions:

This **Policy** will not apply to legal liability, damages and/or **Legal Costs** or any other costs fees or expenses of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by or arising from:

#### **Radioactive Contamination**

- (a) ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel;
- (b) the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof;
- (c) the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous or contaminating properties of any explosive nuclear installation, reactor or other

nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof.

#### **Punitive and Exemplary Damages**

For punitive or exemplary damages or any damages resulting from the multiplication of compensatory damages or any fines or penalties.

#### **Property Damage**

Loss or destruction of or **Damage** to any property owned or leased by **You** whatsoever or any loss or expenses whatsoever resulting from or arising therefrom or any indirect or consequential loss.

#### **Prior Claims or Circumstances**

Any claims or circumstances known to **You** prior to the inception date of this **Policy** or which **You** ought to have been made aware.

#### **Abuse**

- (a) The actual, alleged, attempted, threatened or proposed sexual or physical abuse or molestation, harassment or any other form of physical, or mental abuse of any person; or any other act of a sexual nature or any act undertaken with a sexual motive;
- (b) negligent or intentional **Employee** hiring, investigation, acceptance of volunteer workers, supervision, reporting to the proper authorities or failure to so report, or retention of a person by **You** whose conduct would be excluded by a. above, or may have contributed to the injuries set forth in a. above;

#### **Advertising Injury**

Any Advertising Injury

#### **Asbestos and Dangerous Building Materials**

Arising from the manufacture, mining, processing, distribution, testing, remediation, removal, storage, disposal, sale, use or exposure to asbestos or materials or products containing asbestos; or directly or indirectly caused by, resulting from or in connection with any component building material that must be removed, encapsulated, or otherwise abated because its presence or release is a hazard to human health.

#### **Breach of Professional Duty**

Arising out of a breach of professional duty, or wrongful or inadequate advice given separately for a fee or in circumstances where a fee would normally be charged.

#### Chemical

Notwithstanding any other clause within this **Policy** any Chemical or biological emission, release, discharge, dispersal or escape or chemical or biological exposure of any kind arising either directly or indirectly from (i) **Terrorism** or any steps taken to prevent **Terrorism**, and/or (ii) from any malicious act by any person or persons.

#### **Cyber Incident**

Any cyber incident

#### **Deliberate Disregard**

Arising out of the deliberate, conscious or intentional disregard by You or Your Employees of the need to take all reasonable steps to prevent Injury or Damage.

#### **Fungus**

Directly or indirectly occasioned by, happening through, arising out of, resulting from or in connection with any fungus of any kind whatsoever, including but not limited to mildew, mould, spore(s) or allergens; or

- (a) any costs or expenses associated, in any way, with the abatement, mitigation, remediation, containment, detoxification, neutralization, monitoring, removal, disposal, or any obligation to investigate or assess the presence or effects of any fungus of any kind whatsoever, including but not limited to mildew, mould, spore(s) or allergens; or
- (b) any obligation or duty to defend any actions directly or indirectly occasioned by happening through, arising out of, resulting from or in connection with any fungus of any kind whatsoever, including but not limited to mildew, mould, spore(s) or allergens

Irrespective of the cause of such fungus, mildew, mould, spore(s) or allergens, and whenever or wherever occurring.

#### **Malicious Act**

Any malicious or willful injury or criminal or intentional acts or omissions by **You** or **Your Employees**.

#### Participant to Participant

Any **injury** arising from the negligent act and/or omission of any participant towards another participant during a horse race, any polo - and polocrosse - related activity or any activity connected to any hunt club or any club associated with The National Hunt Steeplechase, Point-to-Point and Field Sports Group (NHSPFS).

#### **Penalty Clauses**

Arising out of liquidated damages clauses, penalty clauses or performance warranties or guarantee,

unless proven that liability would have attached in the absence of such clauses guarantees or warranties.

#### **Pollution Contamination**

Caused by, arising from or in connection with **Pollution** contamination of the atmosphere or of any water, land, buildings or other tangible property except to the extent that **You** can demonstrate that such **Pollution**;

- (a) was the direct result of a sudden, identifiable, unintended and unexpected incident occurring in its entirety at a specific time and place during the Period of Insurance
- (b) was not the direct result of Your failure to take reasonable precautions to prevent such

#### **Pollution**

Provided always that all such **Pollution** which arises out of one incident shall be considered for the purposes of this **Policy** to have occurred at the time such incident takes place and that **our** total liability to pay damages (including claimants' costs, fees and expenses) under this clause shall not exceed the cover limit stated in the **Schedule** in the aggregate in respect of the **Period of Insurance**.

#### **Terrorism**

For **Injury**, loss, **Damage**, cost or expense of whatsoever nature caused by, resulting from or in connection with any act of **Terrorism** (including any threat or hoax of an act of **Terrorism** or sabotage). For the purpose of this exclusion, **Injury** shall include mental anguish, or emotional distress.

#### War

Occasioned by, happening through or in consequence of war, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities, civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection or military or usurped power whether war be declared or not.

# General policy conditions

#### Choice of Law and Jurisdiction

Any dispute concerning the interpretation of the terms, conditions, limitations and/or exclusions contained in this **Policy** of insurance shall be governed by the laws of the Republic of Ireland and subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of the Republic of Ireland.

Notwithstanding the above the parties shall initially try to settle any dispute by mediation in accordance with the Centre for Dispute Resolution Model Mediation Procedure. To start mediation a party must serve on the other party an Alternative Dispute Resolution notice (ADR). No later than 28 days after service of the ADR notice the parties shall start the mediation.

#### Licence

You must hold the necessary licence to carry out Your Business

#### Insurance Act 1936

All monies which become or may become due and payable by Us shall, be paid and payable in the Republic of Ireland, in accordance with Section 93 of the Insurance Act 1936.

#### **Compensation for Court Attendance**

If at **our** request **You** attend court as a witness in connection with a claim in respect of which **You** are entitled to cover under this **Policy**; **We** will provide compensation to **You** at the rate of  $\in$ 250 (Two Hundred and Fifty) per day, for each day on which attendance is required.

#### **Rights of Third Parties**

You and We are the only parties to this policy. Nothing in this policy or any extension to cover is intended to give any other person any right to enforce any term of this policy. That is regardless of rights under the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999, or any other equivalent Republic of Ireland legislation of substantially similar intent.

#### **Cross Liabilities**

Each person or party granted cover under this **Policy** is separately indemnified in respect of claims made against any of them by any other, subject to **our** total liability not exceeding the stated cover limits.

#### Discharge of Liability

If You refuse to consent to a settlement recommended by Us that can settle a claim ("potential settlement"), then our liability for that claim shall not exceed the amount We would have been liable for as at the date of the potential settlement, subject to all applicable cover limits and Excess provisions of this Policy. In addition, We will relinquish control of that claim and be under no further liability in respect of that claim except for Legal Costs which We may be responsible up to the date of the potential settlement, unless the cover limit is inclusive of Legal Costs.

#### **Estimated Turnover**

Where the **Premium** is provisionally based on **Your** estimates, **You** shall keep accurate records and within 90 days of expiry of the **Period of Insurance** declare such particulars as **We** require. The **Premium** shall then be adjusted and any difference paid to **Us** or returned to **You** as the case may be subject to any minimum **Premium** that may apply. Where such estimates include remuneration to **Employees**, the required declaration shall also include remuneration to all persons defined as an **Employee** by this **Policy**. Failure to declare such particulars to **Us** shall entitle **Us** to estimate if **We** so wish such particulars and to assess the further **Premium** payment due calculated on such estimated particulars.

#### Fraudulent Claims

If You make a fraudulent claim under this **Policy**, **We:** 

- (a) are not liable to pay the claim; and
- (b) may recover from You any sums paid by Us to You in respect of the claim; and
- (c) may by notice to You treat this Policy as having been terminated with effect from the time of the fraudulent act.

If **We** exercise **our** right under clause (c) above:

- We shall not be liable to You in respect of a relevant event occurring after the time of the fraudulent act. A relevant event is whatever gives rise to our liability under Your Policy (such as the Occurrence of a loss, the making of a claim, or the notification of a potential claim); and
- We need not return any of the Premiums paid.

#### **Extending Cover to Others**

The cover granted extends to:

- (a) Your managerial or supervisory Employees in their Business capacity for legal liabilities arising out of the performance of the Business and any director or partner in respect of private work undertaken by any Employee for such director or partner with Your prior consent.
- (b) the officers, committees and members of Your canteen, social, sports, medical, fire fighting, security services and welfare organisations for legal liabilities incurred in their respective capacity as such any person or firm for legal liabilities arising out of the performance of a contract with You constituting the provision of labour only.

- (c) any principal for legal liabilities arising out of work carried out by You under a contract or agreement in respect of which You would have been entitled to cover under this Policy if the claim had been made against You.
- (d) Section B of this Policy extends to Indemnify in like manner to You any owner or owners whilst their horse is under Your care, custody or control in respect of liability for which You would have been entitled to cover under this Policy if the claim had been made against You.

The cover under Section A shall only apply in respect of liability to any person who is **Your Employee**.

Where any cover is provided to any owner, **We** will treat each owner and **You** as though a separate policy had been issued to each party. However, nothing in this clause shall increase Our liability to pay any amount in excess of any Limit of Liability stated in the **Schedule**.

(e) the personal representatives of any person or party indemnified by reason of this clause in respect of legal liability incurred by such person or party.

Provided always that all such persons or parties shall observe, fulfil and be subject to the terms, conditions and exclusions of this **Policy** as though they were **You**.

#### Other Insurance

If at any time of any claim(s) covered by this **Policy** there is or, but for the existence of the **Policy**, would be any other insurance covering the same liability, then the cover afforded by this **Policy** will not apply except in respect of any amount beyond that which would have been payable under such other insurance had the **Policy** not been effected and subject to the cover limit.

#### Our Right to Subrogate Against Third Parties

We may take any action we consider necessary to enforce Your rights or Our rights under this insurance. If We make any payment under this insurance We will be entitled to all Your rights and remedies against any party and will be allowed to sue in Your name at Our own expense.

However, We may not be entitled to all of Your rights in certain scenarios, particularly:

1. If We would be entitled to Your rights against some other party, but You have not exercised those rights, and might reasonably be expected not to exercise those rights, because You and the other party are members of the same family or are cohabitants.

However, this does not apply where the conduct of the other party was serious or wilful misconduct. Where in the above scenario the other party is not insured in respect of their liability to You, then we are unable to take action in Your name.

However, if the other party is insured, We can take action, but We are unable to recover more than the other party can recover from their own insurance.

2. Against Your Employee. Unless We prove the loss was caused by such Employee intentionally or recklessly and with knowledge that the loss would probably occur.

#### Precautions and Reasonable Care

You have a duty to take all reasonable precautions:

- (a) for the safety of and to avoid, prevent or minimise any Damage to Property;
- (b) to avoid, prevent or minimise any **Injury** to others or **Damage** to their **Property**;

which might give rise to a claim under this **Policy**.

You shall also have a duty to:

- (a) comply with all statutory and other obligations and regulations imposed by any authority;
- (b) maintain the **Premises**, including stabling and fencing, in a satisfactory state of repair;
- use and provide to any Employee or customer, appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE);
- exercise reasonable care in the selection and supervision of Employees and in the employment of competent staff

#### Sanctions

We shall not provide any cover nor shall We be liable to pay any claim or provide any benefit under this Policy to the extent that the provision of such cover, payment of such claim or provision of such benefit would expose Us to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom or United States of America.

#### **Stamp Duty**

Stamp Duty has been paid or will be paid to the Revenue Commissioners in accordance with the provisions of Section 5 of the Stamp Duties Consolidation Act 1999.

#### **Safety Statement Condition**

It shall be a condition precedent to liability that **You** shall have a safety statement the content of

which is in accordance with the requirements of Section 20 of the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work Act 2005.

#### Personal Injuries Assessment Board (PIAB)

It shall be a condition precedent to liability that You must co-operate fully with Us, to enable Us to comply with all obligations placed upon You pursuant to the provisions of the Personal Injuries Assessment Board Act 2019 and the Civil Liability and Courts Act 2004. All notices and communications received from PIAB as regards:

- (i) the bringing of a claim by any party to PIAB;
- (ii) the making of any assessment by PIAB;
- (iii) Your further acceptance or rejection of the assessment;

must be immediately furnished to Us.

# Section A - Employers' Liability

#### What is Covered

You are  $\underline{not}$  automatically covered for this section unless You have purchased the applicable extension, paid the applicable Premium and the coverage is shown on the Schedule.

We will pay, subject to any Excess and to the Policy terms and conditions, those sums that You become liable to pay for any damages (including claimants' costs) in respect of Injury or disease sustained by any Employee. Such Injury or disease must

- (1) be arising out of and in the course of Your Employee's employment by You in Your Business and occur during the Period of Insurance and within
- (a) the Territorial Limits of the Policy; or
- (b) elsewhere in the world whilst **Your Employee is** temporarily overseas in the course of **Your Business** and where the **Injury** or **Damage** takes place; provided that
  - (i) the **Employee's** contract of service of employment was entered into within the Republic of Ireland and
  - (ii) that the action for damages is brought against **You** solely in a Court of Law in the the Republic of Ireland.
- (2) We will pay for any reasonable Legal Costs incurred in connection with any claim which is covered under (1) above, but only if We have first agreed in writing to these costs.

#### **Limit of Liability**

The most **We** will pay under **Policy** Section A, for damages, claimants' costs and expenses and **Legal Costs** shall not exceed the cover limits as specified in the **Schedule**. This limit is the maximum amount payable by **Us** in respect of any one claim and/or series of claims arising from the same **Occurrence** and in total.

#### What is Not Covered

This Section does not apply to or include any liability, damages, claimants' costs, expenses, **Legal Costs** of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by or:

- (1) arising outside the Republic of Ireland except as provided for in "What is Covered"(1) (b).
- (2) incurred in circumstances where any road traffic legislation requires compulsory insurance or

security and cover is afforded to **You** by any such insurance or security.

- (3) arising out of Terrorism.
- (4) arising out of or related to the manufacture mining processing distribution testing remediation removal storage disposal sale use or exposure to asbestos or materials or products containing asbestos.
- (5) arising by virtue of a contract or agreement which would not have attached in the absence of such contract or agreement.
- (6) relating to Employment Practices.

### Section A - Coverage Extensions

#### **Unsatisfied Court Judgement**

In the event of a judgement for damages being obtained in the first instance under the jurisdiction of a Court within the European Union by any Employee or the personal representatives of any Employee in respect of Injury arising out of and in the course of his employment or engagement by You which remains unsatisfied in whole or in part six months after the date of such judgement, at Your request We will pay to the Employee or the personal representatives of the Employee the amount of any damages or awarded costs to the extent that they remain unsatisfied.

#### Provided that: -

- (a) subject to the payment, such person has executed a discharge of all claims against each of the Insured Parties in respect of the risk or liability in relation to which the claim was made, save in cases where Insurers are satisfied that the Insured Party has fully and unconditionally discharged the claim or liability when such sums shall be paid to the Insured Party there is no appeal outstanding and the time for filing any such appeal has passed.
- (b) the judgement relates to **Injury** which would otherwise be covered by Section A of this **Policy**.
- (c) any payment made by **Us** shall be only in respect of liability for which **You** would have been entitled to cover under Section A of this **Policy** if the judgement had been made against **You**.
- (d) We shall be entitled to take over and prosecute for our own benefit any claim against any other person and You, the Employee or the personal representatives of the Employee shall give all information and assistance required.

#### Safety, Health and Welfare at Work 2005 Legislation Extension

We agree to Indemnify You for:

- (a) costs and expenses incurred with **our** written Consent;
- (b) costs and expenses awarded against **You** or a director of **Yours** or an **Employee**;

in connection with a prosecution including (where Counsel advises such an appeal would have reasonable prospects of success) any appeal against a conviction resulting from a prosecution as a result of an alleged offence under under the Safety, Health and Welfare at Work Act 2005 or any subsequent legislation amending or replacing such Act.

Provided always that **We** shall not be liable:

- (i) for any fines or penalties imposed upon You;
- (ii) for the Excess;
- (iii) where the prosecution results from a deliberate management decision, act, or omission and which would knowingly or could reasonably have been expected by **You** to result in a liability or the committing of an offence under the Act.

# Section B - Public and Products Liability

#### What is Covered

- (1) **We** will pay **You** for any damages and claimants' costs and expenses **You** incur for legal liability in respect of:
- (a) **Injury** sustained by any person;
- (b) Damage to Property

caused by You or in connection with Your Business and occurring during the Period of Insurance and within the Territorial Limits of the Policy.

- (2) We will pay You for any damages and claimants' costs and expenses You incur for legal liability in respect of:
- (a) **Injury** sustained by any person;
- (b) Damage to Property

caused by and in respect of any **Product** initially sold or supplied by **You** or in connection with **Your Business** and occurring during the **Period of** 

**Insurance** and within the **Territorial Limits** of the **Policy**.

(3) We will pay for any Legal Costs incurred in connection with any event which is covered under (1) and (2) above, but only if We have first agreed in writing to these costs.

#### **Limit of Liability**

The most **We** will pay under **Policy** section B, including costs and expenses and **Legal Costs**, is specified on **Your Schedule** of insurance under Cover Limits. This limit is the maximum amount payable by **Us** in respect of any one claim and/or series of claims arising from the same incident, apart from claims for **Pollution** contamination or in respect of **Products** supplied where the cover limit applies to the total amount of damages payable in respect of all **Occurrences** during the **Period of Insurance**.

#### What is Not Covered

This Section does not apply to any liability, **Legal Costs** or any other costs, fees or expense of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by or arising out of the following:

- (1) in respect of **Injury** to any **Employee** arising out of and in the course of employment.
- (2) for costs incurred in the repair, reconditioning or replacement of any **Product** or part which is alleged to be defective
- (3) arising out of the recall of any **Product** or part.
- (4) arising out of any **Product** which with **Your** knowledge is intended for incorporation into the structure, machinery or controls of any aircraft, other aerial device, drone, satellite, spacecraft, hovercraft or waterborne craft.
- (5) arising by virtue of a contract or agreement but which would not have arisen in the absence of such contract or agreement.
- (6) arising out of the ownership, possession or use by or on **Your** behalf, or any person or party entitled to cover, of any motor vehicle or trailer for which compulsory insurance or security is required by legislation, other than legal liability:
  - (a) caused by the use of any tool or plant forming part of or attached to or used in connection with any motor vehicle or trailer in circumstances where compulsory insurance or security is not required by any legislation
  - (b) arising beyond the limits of any carriageway or thoroughfare caused by the loading or unloading of any motor vehicle or trailer except where cover is provided by any motor insurance contract

- (c) arising out of any motor vehicle or trailer temporarily in **Your** custody or control for the purpose of parking except liability for which compulsory insurance or security is required by any legislation
- (7) arising out of the ownership, possession or use by You or on Your behalf of any aircraft, drone, unmanned aerial vehicle or any other aerial device, satellite or spacecraft, hovercraft, offshore installation and/or rig and/or platform or watercraft (other than watercraft not exceeding 10 metres in length whilst on inland waterways)
- (8) for **Damage** to property owned, leased to, hired by, under hire purchase, on loan to, held in trust by or otherwise in **Your** care, custody or control other than clothing and personal effects (including vehicles and their contents) of **Employees** and visitors

# Section B - Coverage extensions (automatically included)

## Contingent Liability (Non-Owned Vehicles) extension

Notwithstanding anything contained in "What is not covered (additional **Policy** exclusions applicable to Section B)" to the contrary **We** will **Indemnify You** under Section B against liability for **Damage** to **Property** or **Injury** arising out of the use of any motor vehicle not the property of or provided by **You** being used in connection with the **Business**.

Provided always that **We** shall not be liable for:

- (1) Damage to any such vehicle.
- (2) **Injury** or **Damage** to **Property** resulting while such vehicle is being:-
  - (a) driven by You
  - (b) driven with Your general consent or of Your representatives by any person who to Your knowledge or of such representative does not hold a licence to drive such vehicle unless such person has held and is not disqualified from holding or obtaining such a licence.
  - (c) used in circumstances in which it is compulsory for You to insure or provide security as a requirement of any road traffic legislation.
  - (d) used elsewhere than in the Republic of Ireland.

#### **Cover for Landowners Extension**

Section B extends to **Indemnify** in like manner to **You** any landowner on whose land events or other activities organised by **You** are held or over whose land such events or activities pass or are accessed by and arising out of such events or activities only.

Provided that such person shall as though he were You observe, fulfil and be subject to the terms, Conditions, Limitations and exclusions of this Policy.

#### **World Wide Transportation Extension**

In respect of whichever of Sections B and C that are specified in the **Schedule** as "Included" and where **Your Business** includes activities which involve the transportation of **horses** outside the Republic of Ireland, **We** will **Indemnify You** in respect of legal liability for **Injury** or loss of or **Damage** to **Property** happening anywhere in the world directly arising out of such transportation activities only.

#### **Data Protection Extension**

This Extension only covers You for any claim that is first made during the Period of Insurance and notified to Us as soon as practicable during the Period of Insurance.

We will pay You under Sections A and B of this Policy against Your legal liability to pay damages or compensation and claimants' costs in respect of claims first made in writing against You and notified to Us during the Period of Insurance or within 60 days of the expiry date of the Period of Insurance arising out of a Personal Data breach in the course of the Business and incurred by You by virtue of:

(a) material or non-material damage under Article 82 of the General Data Protection Regulation;

Or

(b) Data Protection Act 2018;

Or

(c) any other equivalent local legislation of substantially similar intent.

All claims arising out of the same originating cause shall for the purposes of this Extension be deemed to have been made against **You** when the first of such claims was received by **You** 

If during the **Period of Insurance You** become aware of any facts, circumstances, or

Occurrences, which may give rise to a claim and notify Us during the Period of Insurance, any claim(s) made later against You arising out of, or relating to, such facts, circumstances or incidents shall be deemed to have first been made against You during the Period of Insurance.

Irrespective of the number of parties and/or entities entitled to cover under this Extension or the number of claimants', **our** liability for all amounts payable under this Extension shall not exceed the sub-limit of €250,000 in total. Provided that **We** shall not be liable in respect of liability:

- (1) directly or indirectly caused by, or contributed to, or arising from, any Personal Data breach relating to any **Employee**;
- (2) for the cost of:
- a. replacing, reinstating, rectifying, or erasing, any Personal Data;
- b. notifying any person regarding loss of personal data.
- (3) for the payment of fines, penalties, liquidated, punitive damages, or exemplary damages;
- (4) arising out of anything happening prior to the inception of the **Period of Insurance**
- (5) for claims arising out of circumstances notified to previous Insurers or known to the Insured at inception of this **Policy**;
- (6) for the loss of Data other than Personal Data.

#### **IHRB Extension**

Section B of this **Policy** extends to **Indemnify** The Irish Horseracing Regulatory Board for their legal liability, as provided for in Section B, arising only out of The Irish Horseracing Regulatory Board granting a licence to **You** to perform the business activities specified in the **Schedule** 

# Section B - Coverage extensions (<u>NOT</u> automatically included)

Included only if specified in the **Schedule** as "Included" and subject otherwise to all the terms, Conditions, Limitations and Exclusions of this **Policy**.

#### **Members' Cover Extension**

Section B of this **Policy** extends to **Indemnify** any *Member* for **Injury** to any person or accidental loss of or **Damage** to **Property** happening during the **Period of Insurance** and arising whilst the *Member* is participating in the insured club, association or groups' official activities.

#### **Member to Member Extension**

Section B of this **Policy** extends to **Indemnify** any *Member* in respect of liability, as provided for under the "Members' Cover Extension" above, to another *Member* provided that nothing contained in this extension shall increase **our** liability to pay any amount in respect of any claim in excess of the amount specified in the **Schedule** as the Limit of Liability for Section B.

For the purposes of both member extensions above, *Member* shall mean any member of the insured club, association or group from the time that the membership subscription is accepted by the insured club, association or group until such time as the membership expires.

#### **Customers' Cover Extension**

Section B of this **Policy** extends to **Indemnify** in like manner to **You** any customer of **Yours** whilst using the facilities of or under **Your** instruction in respect of liability for which **You** would have been entitled to cover under this **Policy** if the claim against any such customer had been made against **You**.

Provided the customer shall, as though they were **You**, observe, fulfil and be subject to the terms, Exclusions, Conditions and Limitations of this **Policy** as far as they can apply.

#### **Personal Liability Extension**

Section B of this Policy extends to Indemnify:-

- (1) You
- (2) any proprietor, partner, director or manager of **Yours**
- (3) Your immediate family
- (4) any Employee
- (5) anyone else riding or handling horses belonging to You or in Your care, custody or control with the express permission of persons specified in (1) and (2) above

in respect of a claim arising from **Injury** or loss of or **Damage** to **Property** occurring whilst such person is riding or handling anywhere in the world, for personal pleasure purposes and not in connection with the **Business**, **horses** belonging to **You** or in **Your** care, custody or control. However, excluding at all times **Injury** to the **horses** being ridden or handled unless Section C (Care, Custody and Control Liability) is specified in the **Schedule** as "Included".

The most **We** will pay under this Personal Liability Extension shall not exceed the cover limit as specified in the **Schedule**.

Provided that **We** shall not be liable under this **Policy** if any other insurance is in force covering such liability.

#### Instructors' Liability Extension

Without being affected by "General Policy Exclusions - Participant to Participant, and Breach of Professional Duty" You will be indemnified under Section B against liability in respect of Injury arising whilst clients/players/riders are under Your direct supervision and taking part in equestrian activities

Provided that nothing contained in this Extension shall increase our liability to pay any amount in respect of any claim in excess of the amount specified in the **Schedule** as the cover limit for Section B.

## Section C - Care, Custody and Control Liability

#### What is Covered

You are <u>not</u> automatically covered for this section unless You have either:

(1) purchased the applicable extension, paid the applicable **Premium** and the coverage is shown on the **Schedule**.

or

(2) Are a Licenced Riding Establishment, Livery yard, Stud or Freelance Riding Instructor/Groom/Rider, or a Racehorse Trainer in which case this coverage is automatically included.

We will pay You for any damages You incur for legal liability in respect of any injury, illness or disease (fatal or non-fatal) to horses, not owned (whether fully or partially) by You, but whilst in Your care, custody or control and occurring during the Period of Insurance and within the Territorial Limits of the Policy.

This includes any injury, illness or disease (fatal or non-fatal) caused by an **Employee** in connection with **Your Business**.

#### **Limit of Liability**

The most **We** will pay under **Policy** section C, including costs and expenses, is specified on **Your Schedule** under Cover Limits. There is a maximum amount payable by **Us** in respect of any single **horse** claim, and there is a maximum amount payable during the **Period of Insurance** which applies regardless of whether it is from one event or a series of incidents.

# What is Not Covered (Additional Policy Exclusions)

This Section does not apply to or include legal liability for:

- (1) injury, illness or disease directly or indirectly caused by or arising from any malicious or wilful act by **You**.
- (2) any indirect or consequential loss other than veterinary bills or the increased cost of keeping an injured or sick horse for a period not exceeding 12 months providing that the cost of all veterinary bills and the increased cost of keeping the horse shall not exceed any amount specified in the **Schedule** as the cover limit for Section C.
- (3) injury to any mare occurring whilst:
  - (a) being covered by a stallion.
  - (b) in the vicinity of a stallion for the specific purpose of covering whether or not covering actually takes place.
  - (c) at stud and injury is directly attributable to the mare being in foal.
- (4) injury, illness or disease arising out of the administration of any medication or treatment by **You** or any **Employee** unless under the direction of a qualified veterinarian.
- (5) injury, illness or disease to any horse owned by You or Your family or any Employee or their family.
- (6) Any death, injury, illness or disease arising out of confiscation or nationalisation or requisition by or under the order of any government or public or local authority or any person or body having or claiming jurisdiction in the matter, for example a government or public or local authority quarantine and/or restriction order.

### **Privacy Notice**

## How Liberty Specialty Markets uses Your Personal Data

Liberty Specialty Markets takes the protection of Your personal data seriously and is committed to protecting Your privacy. There are a number of different companies within our group. The specific company within Liberty Specialty Markets which acts as the "data controller" of Your personal data will be the organisation providing Your Policy as set out in the documentation that is provided to You. If You are unsure You can also contact Us at any time by e-mailing Us at

dataprotectionofficer@libertyglobalgroup.com or by post at Data Protection Officer, Liberty Specialty Markets, 20 Fenchurch Street, London EC3M 3AW, UK. Where **You** provide **Us** or **Your** agent or **broker** with details about other people, **You** must provide this notice to them.

In order for **Us** to deliver **our** insurance services, deal with any claims or complaints that might arise and prevent and detect fraud, We need to collect and process personal data. The type of personal data that We collect will depend on our relationship with You: for example as a policyholder, third party claimant or witness to an incident. Your information will also be used for business and management activities such as financial management and analysis. This may involve sharing **Your** information with, and obtaining information about You from, our group companies and third parties such as brokers, credit reference agencies, reinsurers, claims handlers and loss adjusters, professional advisors, our regulators or fraud prevention agencies. We also collect personal data about our suppliers and business partners (such as brokers) for the purposes of business management and relationship development.

Please see the full privacy notice available at <a href="https://www.libertyspecialtymarkets.com/privacy-cookies">www.libertyspecialtymarkets.com/privacy-cookies</a> for further information on how Your personal data is used and the rights that You have in relation to the personal data We hold about You. Please contact Us using the details above if You wish to see the privacy notice in hard copy.

# How to Make a Complaint

Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE aims to provide a high quality service to all its customers. In the event that You are dissatisfied please contact Us so We can do what We can to help. We take complaints very seriously and aim to address all concerns fairly and efficiently. If You feel that We have not offered You this standard or You have any questions about Your contract or the handling of a claim, then in the first instance You should contact Your insurance broker or intermediary who arranged this insurance for You or the branch that issued the Policy.

If **You** are still not satisfied with the service and wish to make a complaint, **You** may do so in writing or verbally using the contact details below:

Compliance Officer
Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE
20 Fenchurch Street, London EC3M 3AW
Tel: +44 (0) 20 3758 0840
Email: complaints@libertyglobalgroup.com
quoting Your Policy and/or claim number;

or

Compliance Officer

Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE 5-7 rue Léon Laval, L-3372 Leudelange Grand Duchy of Luxembourg

Tel: +352 28 99 13 00

Email: complaints@libertyglobalgroup.com

quoting Your Policy and/or claim number.

If after making a complaint **You** are still not satisfied, **You** may be entitled to refer the dispute to the Financial Services and Pensions Ombudsman (FSPO) which is a free and impartial service, who may be contacted at:

Lincoln House, Lincoln Place, Dublin 2, D02 VH29. Tel: (01) 567 7000 Email: info@fspo.ie Website: www.fspo.ie

To confirm whether you are eligible to ask the FSPO to review your complaint more information can be found at at www.fspo.ie

Alternatively, as Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE is registered as a Luxembourg insurance company, you are also entitled to refer the dispute to any of the following dispute resolution bodies (instead of referring to the Financial Ombudsman Service): Commissariat aux Assurances (www.caa.lu), Service National du Médiateur de la consummation - consumers only - (www.mediateurconsommation.lu) or Médiateur en Assurances (www.ulc.lu/fr).

If You were sold this product online or by other electronic means and within the European Union (EU) You may refer Your complaint to the EU Online dispute Resolution (ODR) platform. Upon receipt of Your complaint the ODR will escalate Your complaint to Your local dispute resolution service this process is free and conducted entirely online. You can access the ODR platform on http://ec.europa.eu/od

# Luxembourg Professional Secrecy

As a Luxembourg insurance undertaking, Liberty Mutual Insurance Europe SE is subject to an obligation of professional secrecy under the Luxembourg Act of 7 December 2015 on the insurance sector, as amended (the "Luxembourg Act").

The provisions of the Luxembourg Act apply where this Policy insures risks that are located in the European Economic Area.

The Insured acknowledges and agrees that:

- (a) the Company shall be permitted to (i) outsource certain services, activities or tasks to, and (ii) rely on services provided by, external providers (including the Company's branches and group companies) that may or may not be (a) regulated or (b) located in the Grand-Duchy of Luxembourg (the "Service Providers");
- any information that the Insured or an authorised representative has provided to the Company may be communicated to a Service Provider in the context of outsourcing/ reliance on services. This includes information that may directly or indirectly identify the Insured, a beneficiary under the Policy or an authorised representative (including present and past employees, directors and officers). The types of information that may be transmitted to Service Providers include, but are not limited to, (i) contact information, such as name, address, email and telephone number; (ii) general information, such as date and place of birth, marital and family status; (iii) official identification, such as national insurance number, tax identification number, passport number or other government issued identification number; (iv) corporate information, such as date of incorporation, registered office address, business activity, registered company number or details of shareholders; and (v) any other information relating to the Insured and/or its beneficial owner and/or a beneficiary under the Policy and/or an authorised representative ("Policyholder Information");
- (c) it has read and accepted the information provided on the Company's website www.libertyspecialtymarkets.com/Luxembourg-Professional-Secrecy about (i) the types of services the Company may outsource to Service Providers; (ii) the types of information the Company may transmit to Service Providers; and (iii) the countries in which the Service Providers are located, and understands that such information may be updated from time to time; and
- (d) the transfer and/or disclosure of Policyholder Information to Service Providers is in its best interest and the Insured accepts all consequences resulting from such transfer and/or disclosure.

This notice relates solely to the Company's professional secrecy obligations under the Luxembourg Act and is not intended to be a notice or meet any obligations under applicable data protection legislation. Please refer to the privacy notice available at

www.libertyspecialtymarkets.com/privacy-and-cookies

for information about how the Company processes any personal data received.