Ski insurance policy

This policy is for residents of the United Kingdom only.

Arranged by:

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Underwritten by:

ETI - International Travel Protection. The United Kingdom branch of Europäische Reiseversicherung (ERV) A.G

Valid only for departures between

1st November 2014 to 31st May 2015

POLICY INFORMATION

This Policy Wording is to confirm that those persons who have paid the required premium are insured under the Master Policy No ETI SkiBound 20130919 on behalf of ETI - International Travel Protection, the United Kingdom branch of Europäische Reiseversicherung (ERV) A.G., an Ergo Group Company incorporated and regulated under the laws of Germany, Companies House Registration FC 25660 and Branch Registration BR 007939. ERV is authorised by the Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstleistungsaufsicht (BAFIN - www.bafin.de) and the Prudential Regulation Authority and subject to limited regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and Prudential Regulation Authority. Details of the extent of Our regulation by the Prudential Regulation Authority, and regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority are available from Us on request. Our registration number is 220041.

Cancellation cover applies as soon as the premium has been paid and the policy wording is issued. The remaining covers apply for the duration of the booked **Trip** (or earlier return to the **United Kingdom**). It also includes the period of travel from **Home** directly to the departure point and back **Home** directly afterwards not exceeding **24** hours in each case. If the return is unavoidably delayed for an insured reason, cover will be extended free of charge for the period of that delay.

If You are not happy with the policy, return it to **SkiBound** within **14** days of issue and **We** will refund **Your** premium in full provided **You** have not made or intend to make a claim and that **We** receive **Your** returned policy prior to **Your** departure date. Cancellation at any other time will mean **You** are not entitled to a refund of premium.

We must be informed of any fact, which is likely to influence us in the acceptance, assessment or continuance of this insurance. Failure to do so may invalidate this insurance, leaving You with no right to make a claim. Please refer to the Pre-existing Medical Conditions section.

PLEASE READ YOUR INSURANCE POLICY CAREFULLY. FAILURE TO OBSERVE THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET OUT IN THIS DOCUMENT MAY PREJUDICE ANY CLAIM.

SUMMARY OF COVER

Policy section	Maximum benefit	Excess
A. Cancellation or curtailment	up to £3,000	£65
Loss of deposit	up to £3,000	£10
	(See Pre-existing Medical Conditions section)	
B. Emergency medical expenses	up to £5,000,000	£65
Unused ski pack	up to £280	Nil
Hospital benefit	up to £200	Nil
	(See Pre-existing Medical Conditions section)	
C. Personal accident	up to £25,000**	Nil
D. Departure delay	up to £100	Nil
Delay cancellation	up to £3,000	£65
Missed departure	up to £1,000 (Area 1 £500)	Nil
E. Weather delay	up to £200	Nil
F. Piste closure*	up to £120	Nil
G. Personal baggage (under 18s)	up to £1,500 (£1,000)	£65
Single article/valuable limits	up to £250	
School property	up to £500	£65
Delayed baggage	up to £250	Nil
Ski equipment / Hired skis	up to £400	£65
Ski hire	up to £100	Nil
H. Personal money (under 18s)	up to £400 (£250)	£65
Cash limit (under 18s)	up to £250 (£150)	
Lift pass limit	up to £250	
Student money	up to £5,000	£65
Emergency fund	up to £5,000	£65
Loss of travel documents	up to £250	£65
I. Personal liability	up to £2,000,000	£65
J. Organisers liability	up to £5,000,000	£100
K. Legal advice and expenses	up to £25,000	Nil

AGE LIMIT

This insurance is not valid in respect of persons aged **70** years or over at the date of departure or in respect of persons aged **65** or over at the date of departure for travel in excess of **31** days.

GEOGRAPHICAL AREAS

- Area 1 Europe, including all countries west of the Ural Mountains, Republic of Ireland, Iceland, Morocco, Tunisia, Turkey, the Azores, Canary Islands, Madeira and islands in the Mediterranean.
- Area 2 Worldwide including the United States of America, Canada.

IMPORTANT POINTS TO NOTE

Please read **Your** insurance policy in full before **You** travel making sure **You** understand exactly what **We** will and will not pay for under each section.

Section A - Cancellation or Curtailment Section B – Emergency Medical Expenses

Your state of health may affect the cover provided under Your insurance. Please refer to the Cover and Exclusions to Cover in respect of Section A, B and C and to the Pre Existing Medical Conditions section.

Section B – Emergency Medical Expenses

You must contact the 24 hour medical Emergency Service for their Doctor's opinion prior to:-

- i. You being admitted to hospital or
- ii. You arranging to return **Home** early or extend **Your** stay because of any illness or injury.

Hazardous Activity

Your attention is drawn to the **Definition of Words** section and the definition of **Hazardous Activity**. If **You** are taking part in any sport not listed please contact **Us** to find out whether **You** are covered.

Section G - Personal Baggage (including Ski Equipment)

Section H - Personal Money

Take due care of **Your Personal Baggage** and **Personal Money**. The vast majority of claims under these sections arise as a result of leaving items **Unattended** at restaurants, airports and hotels etc. Lack of proper care towards **Your Personal Baggage** and **Personal Money** will result in **Your** claim being turned down.

Valuables and Personal Money should not be left Unattended at any time except when left in Your locked personal accommodation or in a safety deposit box where possible.

In Particular please note:-

- i. Your policy does not cover Valuables or Personal Money when left in motor vehicles at any time
- ii. Valuables and Personal Money must be carried in Your hand luggage when being transported by airlines, coach operators etc.

Your policy contains a single article limit on **Personal Baggage** and an overall **Valuables** limit. Expensive items, jewellery, photographic and electronic equipment, **Ski Equipment**, etc. should be insured under **Your** own home insurance.

Where cover applies to items that are stolen, lost and totally destroyed they will be replaced as new less a deduction for any wear, tear and depreciation.

OFF PISTE COVER

Off piste skiing is included provided **You** act reasonably and do not ski in a closed or avalanche risk area. If not skiing with a Guide or Instructor, always check that the area is suitable for a skier at **Your** level.

IMPORTANT ADVICE

- Whilst skiing is fun, there are still rules and regulations which apply You can be prosecuted for behaving in a reckless or dangerous manner. The guidelines are the FIS rules - You should read and understand them before You ski - following them will help Your enjoyment.
- 2. If **You** are not skiing with an instructor or guide, check that the area and the snow **You** wish to ski is suitable for a skier at **Your** level get advice from the local ski school. Never ski in closed areas it may be that an avalanche is imminent or perhaps the mountain just comes to a dangerous cliff edge or sheer drop.
- 3. Whilst skis left outside bars and the like are covered in the event of theft, 'mix 'n match' them thieves only take pairs! Do not leave other property Unattended except in Your locked hotel room.

RECIPROCAL HEALTH AGREEMENT EU COUNTRIES

Travellers to European Union countries and Switzerland should apply and obtain the European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or form E112. Applications for the EHIC can be made online at www.ehic.org.uk – the quickest route, or by Telephone on **0845 606 2030**, or by post – application forms are available from the Post Office. This will entitle **You** to benefit from the reciprocal health arrangements which exist between European Union countries. In other countries where reciprocal health arrangements exist all reasonable steps should be made to utilise them.

In the event of liability being accepted for a medical expense which has been reduced by the use of an EHIC card (or other reciprocal health agreements) or

** please see personal accident section for details of amount of payment.

Private Health Insurance, the applicable **Emergency Medical Expenses** section excess will not be applied. This does not apply where special excess terms have been imposed.

Should **You** be admitted to hospital then contact must be made with **FOGG MEDI-INSURE** and their authority obtained in respect of any treatment not available under the reciprocal arrangements before such treatment is provided.

FOGG TRAVEL MEDI-INSURE CARD

For Medical claims - Production of Your FOGG TRAVEL FOGG MEDI-INSURE CARD will mean that any rescue, transport or medical service in Europe, <u>subscribing to the scheme</u>, will make no charge to You for their service but will bill Us directly - the policy excess is, however, payable to the doctor at the time of treatment. In the event of difficulty You should contact the emergency medical assistance service immediately. You will be given a form by the medical/rescue service whenever the FOGG TRAVEL FOGG MEDI-INSURE CARD is used - this form should be sent to the address shown together with any ancillary pharmaceutical bills and the like at the end of Your Trip to obtain reimbursement of those costs incurred – less the policy excess amount - where You have made payment.

<u>Otherwise</u>, and in particular outside Europe, production of **Your FOGG TRAVEL FOGG MEDI-INSURE CARD** will be of assistance in confirming **Your** travel insurance details to rescue, transport or medical service providers.

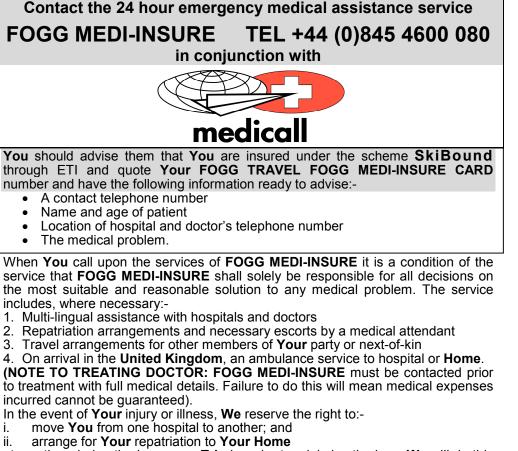
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24 HOUR MEDICAL EMERGENCY SERVICE

FOGG MEDI-INSURE provides immediate help in the event of Your illness or injury arising outside the United Kingdom - they provide a 24 HOUR multi-lingual emergency service 365 days a year and can be contacted by telephone.

If You are admitted to a hospital or clinic as an in-patient or repatriation is necessary Our 24 Hour Emergency Medical Service must be notified as soon as it is practical to do so, and at the latest within 48 hours before incurring expenses in excess of £500.

Repatriation to Your Home will be arranged when this is considered to be medically necessary in the opinion of the doctor in attendance and Our medical advisers



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at any time during the journey or Trip in order to minimise the loss. We will do this if in the opinion of the doctor in attendance and Our medical advisers, You can safely be moved and/or can safely travel Home to continue treatment

PRE-EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITIONS

You will not be covered under this policy for any medical condition, if at the time of taking out this insurance, as far as the persons insured are aware, You or any person on whom this insurance may depend, including any person not travelling (see also Important below):-

- has any medical condition or on-going medical condition for which treatment has been received, taken/are taking medication or has visited/been referred to a specialist or has been a hospital in-patient during the 2 years period immediately preceding the date of issue of this insurance, or
- is on a hospital waiting list for treatment, or where a terminal prognosis has been given, or
- iii. is awaiting investigation, results of tests or investigation or diagnosis for a medical condition, or
- iv. is travelling against the advice of a Medical Practitioner or in order to get treatment, or
- v. is currently suffering or has previously suffered from any of the following medical conditions:
- Heart related condition, Hypertension, Arterial Disease, Kidney Disease, Malignant Diseases (Cancer), Lung and/or Respiratory Disease (including Asthma where in-patient hospital treatment has been received), or had a Stroke
- vi. has been diagnosed as suffering from any form of psychological or psychiatric disorder, eating disorder, mental instability, anxiety, stress or depression before the policy was issued

IMPORTANT:-

If You have answered 'Yes' to any of the above questions We may be able to offer some cover and may be able to cover Your health condition, although an increased premium may be required.

You will only need to contact the Referral Helpline if You are 18 years of age and over travelling anywhere or if You are under 18 travelling outside Europe. Persons under 18 do not need to make a declaration if travelling in the United Kingdom or within Europe. Please also read Change of Risk below to see if applicable to You. In all cases you MUST tell us about anything concerning the health of a Relative or Close Business Associate who is not insured on this policy but may make it necessary for You to cancel or Curtail must be advised to the Referral Helpline as soon as possible so We can advise You if We are able to insure the additional risk and any terms We may require.

Fo enable **Us** to consider **Your** health condition or that of a **Relative** or **Close** Business Associate please contact the Referral Helpline quoting SkiBound on 0845 1300 198. This will be charged as a local call from wherever You are calling in the United Kingdom. All calls will be treated in the strictest confidence.

Cover for these conditions will only be provided following **Our** acceptance in writing. Unless reported and agreed by the Referral Helpline in writing the above conditions will be excluded and Your failure to provide full and accurate information in response to Our questions may mean that Your policy will not cover You and it may invalidate it altogether.

You need to keep copies of all letters We send You for future reference.

We reserve the right to charge an increased premium, decline, withdraw, increase the policy excess, cancel or restrict cover for any person where the facts disclosed are considered unacceptable to Us.

Should We require any additional premium, and You accept Our offer, this should be paid to Fogg Travel either by credit card or cheque, made payable to Fogg Travel, and sent within 14 days of receipt. Should You decide not to pay the additional premium, the declared health condition or any other related condition will not be covered. Full confirmation of Our terms and conditions will be sent out to Your address after Your call. Any additional health conditions not declared to Us will not be covered.

PLEASE NOTE:- You are responsible for all costs incurred in reporting Your medical condition to Us.

WHAT TO DO IF YOU WISH TO MAKE A CLAIM

You can obtain a claim form online (other than for Legal Expenses) at:-

www.foggtravelinsurance.com

claims@foggtravelinsurance.com or email to:or alternatively if You do not have internet access You can contact:

Fogg Travel Insurance Services Limited

Crow Hill Drive, Mansfield, Notts, NG19 7AE on telephone: 01623 631331 quoting **SkiBound** and advising the section under which **You** wish to claim. When returning the claim form please enclose this insurance policy together with the tour operator's confirmation of booking invoice and if the claim is for cancellation, the tour operator's cancellation invoice.

For Legal Expenses claims or enquiries You must notify within 180 days of the event giving rise to Your claim to:-

DAS Legal Expenses Insurance Company Limited,

DAS House, Quay Side, Temple Back, BS1 6NH Tel 0117 934 2111 EXTENSION OF COVER

- 1. In the event of Your death, injury or illness or that of anyone travelling with You, and You are unable to complete the Trip before the expiry of this policy the cover will be automatically extended without additional premium for the additional days necessary for You to complete the Trip.
- 2. In the event of delay to any vehicle, vessel or aircraft in which You are travelling as a ticket holder and unable to complete the Trip before the expiry of this policy the cover will be automatically extended without additional premium for up to 14 days for You to complete the Trip.

DEFINITION OF WORDS

The following words or expressions carry the meaning shown below whenever they appear in bold print within the wording of the policy.

- ADVANCE BOOKING Any booking made at least 24 hours prior to the scheduled departure time shown in Your ticket or booking confirmation invoice.
- APPOINTED REPRESENTATIVE The Preferred Law Firm, law firm or other suitably qualified person which DAS will appoint to act on Your behalf.
- ASSURED Being the school, college, university or other group named on the SkiBound confirmation of booking invoice.
- CLOSE BUSINESS ASSOCIATE Your associate in the same employment as You whose absence from work necessitates You having to cancel or Curtail Your Trip as certified by Your Senior Director or Partner.
- COSTS AND EXPENSES
- all reasonable and necessary costs charged by the Appointed (a) Representative and agreed by DAS in accordance with the DAS Standard Terms of Appointment.
- the costs incurred by opponents in civil cases if the You have been ordered to (b) pay them, or You pay them with DAS' agreement.
- CURTAIL/CURTAILMENT means abandonment of the planned Trip by return to the United Kingdom after commencement of the Outward Journey or where You have been confined to hospital for the rest of Your Trip because of injury or illness. The amount payable will be the unused proportion of Your irrecoverable pre-paid charges calculated from the date of Your return to the United Kingdom. All Curtailment claims will need authorisation from Fogg Medi-Insure or Us in advance
- CYBER-TERRORISM The use of disruptive activities, or the threat thereof, against computers and/or networks, with the intention to cause real-world harm or severe disruption of infrastructure.
- DAS STANDARD TERMS OF APPOINTMENT the terms and conditions (including the amount DAS will pay to Your Appointed Representative) that apply to the relevant type of claim, which could include a conditional fee agreement (no win, no fee).
- DATE OF OCCURRENCE The date of the event that leads to a claim. If there is more than one event arising at different times from the same originating cause, the Date Of Occurrence is the date of the first of these events. (This is the date the event happened, which may be before the date the **Insured Person** first became aware of it).
- EMERGENCY FUNDS means bank and currency notes, cash and traveller's

Change Of Risk:- If after You have paid Your insurance premium Your health or Your ongoing medication changes (irrespective of age or destination), or that of any person on whom Your Trip depends You do not have to disclose this to the Referral Helpline. Provided that You were not aware of the change in health at the time You purchased Your policy We will cover You under the existing terms of this policy as long as You are not travelling against the advice of a Medical Practitioner. It is a condition of this insurance that You obtain the approval of a Medical Practitioner before You travel should Your new condition be any of the following:-

Heart related condition, Hypertension, Arterial Disease, Kidney Disease, Malignant Diseases (Cancer), Lung and/or Respiratory Disease (including Asthma where inpatient hospital treatment has been received), Stroke, a broken or fractured bone other than fingers, any form of psychological or psychiatric disorder, eating disorder, mental instability, anxiety, stress or depression.

If You are no longer able to travel on the covered trip due to Your change in medical circumstances then You would be entitled to submit a claim under Section A - Cancellation or Curtailment should the costs not be recoverable from elsewhere. Please see Section A – Cancellation or Curtailment and 'What you need to do if you wish to make a claim'.

cheques held by a party leader only for use in case of emergency.

EXCESS The amount of money You will have to pay to contribute towards the cost of each claim under the policy, after the application of the policy limits.

GEOGRAPHICAL AREA The area or country to which You are booked to travel and for which the appropriate premium has been paid, and will involve Your return to the United Kingdom within the booked Trip period.

HAZARDOUS ACTIVITY - means any pursuit or activity where it is recognised there is an increased risk of serious injury or can be reasonably expected to aggravate any existing infirmity. The following activities are examples of Hazardous Activity and are not covered by this insurance: mountaineering (requiring the use of ropes and/or guides), pot-holing, racing (other than on foot), including any form of ski racing, competition or training therefore, ski jumping, ski flying, ski acrobatics, stunting, bob sleighing or skeletoning, heliskiing (unless the helicopter lands at a designated site to allow You to disembark), scuba diving below 9 metres, parachuting, gliding, canyoning, go-karting, hot-air ballooning, rugby, football, any other activity that requires skill and involves increased risk of injury, except where these form part of a published activity provided by SkiBound. If You are taking part in any sport not listed above please contact Us if You are in any doubt with full details of the activity for **Our** consideration.

HOME - means Your normal place of residence in the United Kingdom.

- HOME COUNTRY means both the country You live in within the United Kingdom and **Your** country of nationality.
- INSURED INCIDENT A specific or sudden accident that causes Your death or bodily injury.

LEGAL EXPENSES INSURER means DAS Legal Expenses Insurance Company Limited.

- MANUAL LABOUR means work involving the lifting or carrying of heavy items, work at a higher level than two storeys or any form of work underground.
- MEDICAL PRACTITIONER a fully qualified, registered and practising medical physician, not being an Insured Person or Your Relative.
- ORGANISER the person on behalf of the school, college, university or other group who is acting as party leader or other principal person of the whole group booking and is included in the tour operator booking, and without whom the Trip would not be able to take place or to continue to normal completion.
- OUTWARD JOURNEY The initial journey by coach, train, aircraft or watercraft undertaken in conjunction with the Trip in respect of the Outward Journey from Your Home in the United Kingdom.
- PAIR OR SET means two or more items of Personal Baggage that are complementary or used or worn together.
- PERIOD OF INSURANCE Cancellation cover commences from the date the Trip booking was made and the policy was issued and expires upon commencement of the Outward Journey other than as provided for under Section D1(ii) Cancellation Compensation.

The remaining covers commence at the beginning of the direct Outward Journey as shown on Your booking confirmation invoice and end upon completion of the direct Return Journey but in any event not exceeding the period of cover for which the premium has been paid.

- **PERMANENT TOTAL DISABLEMENT means Permanent Total Disablement** resulting in Your permanent and absolute inability to attend to a profession, business or gainful occupation of any kind. Where You are not in any paid employment or paid occupations, this shall be defined as 'all Your usual activities, pastimes and pursuits of any and every kind.
- PERSONAL MONEY means bank and currency notes, cash, cheques, postal and money orders, current postage stamps, travellers' cheques, coupons or vouchers that have a monetary value and travel tickets, lift passes, passports, all of which are for **Your** private use.
- PERSONAL BAGGAGE means each of Your suitcases and containers of a similar nature and their contents and articles You are wearing or carrying including Your Valuables (as defined below).
- PRE-EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITION means any serious or re-occurring medical condition which has been previously diagnosed, investigated or treated in any way, at any time prior to travel, even if this condition is currently considered to be stable and under control.
- PREFERRED LAW FIRM A law firm or barristers' chambers DAS choose to provide legal services. These legal specialists are chosen based on their proven expertise to deal with claims like Yours and must comply with DAS' agreed service standard levels, which DAS audit regularly. They are appointed according to the DAS Standard Terms of Appointment.
- PUBLIC TRANSPORT means buses, coaches, internal flights or trains that run to a published scheduled timetable.
- **REASONABLE PROSPECTS** For civil cases, the prospects that **You** will recover losses or damages (or obtain any other legal remedy that DAS have agreed to, including an enforcement of judgement), make a successful defence or make a successful appeal or defence of an appeal, must be at least 51%. DAS, or a Preferred Law Firm on DAS behalf, will assess whether there are Reasonable Prospects
- **RELATIVE** Mother, father, step-mother or step-father, wife, husband, spouse or common law partner of over six months, son, daughter, legally adopted son or daughter, step-son or step-daughter, brother, sister, step-brother, step-sister, grandmother, grandfather, grandchild, parent-in-law, legal guardian, or son or daughter-in-law or fiancé(e).
- RETURN JOURNEY The initial journey by coach, train, aircraft or watercraft undertaken in conjunction with the Trip in respect of the Return Journey to Your Home in the United Kingdom.

SKI EQUIPMENT Skis, snowboards, sticks, bindings, boots.

SKI PACK - means ski school, lift passes and Ski Equipment hire.

STUDENT MONEY - means bank and currency notes, cash and traveller's cheques held by a party leader on behalf of a student.

TERRORIST ACTION The actual or threatened:-

- 1. use of force or violence against persons or property, or
- 2. commission of an act dangerous to human life or property, or
- commission of an act that interferes with or disrupts an electronic or communications system

undertaken by any person or group, whether or not acting on behalf of or in connection with any organisation, government, power, authority or military force, when any of the following applies:-

- (a) the apparent intent or effect is to intimidate or coerce a government or business, or to disrupt any segment of the economy;
- (b) the apparent intent or effect is to cause alarm, fright, fear of danger or apprehension of public safety in one or more distinct segments of the general public, or to intimidate or coerce one or more such segments;
- (c) the reasonably apparent intent or effect is to further political, idealogical, religious or cultural objectives, or to express support for (or opposition to) a philosophy, ideology, religion or culture.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS - means current passports, valid visas, travel tickets, European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) and reciprocal health form E112.

TRIP - means a holiday or journey that begins when You leave Home and ends on

GENERAL EXCLUSIONS APPLICABLE TO THIS INSURANCE POLICY

We shall not be liable for any claim caused by:-

- (a) war, invasion, acts of foreign enemies, hostilities (whether war be declared 1. or not) civil war or any act condition or warlike operation incident to war
 - (b) warlike action by a regular or irregular military force or civilian agents, or any action taken by any government, sovereign or other authority to hinder or defend against an actual or expected attack
 - (c) insurrection, rebellion, revolution, attempt to usurp power, or popular uprising, or any action taken by government or martial authority in hindering or defending against any of these
 - (d) discharge, explosion, or use of a weapon of mass destruction whether or not employing nuclear fission or fusion, or chemical, biological, radioactive or similar agents, by any party at any time for any reason
 - (e) Terrorist Action or any action taken by anyone to prevent real or perceived imminent Terrorist Action or to address ongoing Terrorist Action. (f) Cyber-terrorism.
- 2. any Pre-existing Medical Condition or health condition that has been diagnosed, been in existence or for which You have received treatment from a hospital or specialist consultant during the last 2 years or for which You are awaiting or receiving treatment or under investigation unless We have agreed cover in writing and any additional premium has been paid.
- 3. if You have not complied with the Pre-existing Medical Condition section of this policy unless We have agreed cover in writing and any additional premium has been paid.
- 4. any payments made or charges levied after the date of diagnosis of any change in Your health or medication after the policy was bought unless this has been advised to Us and any revised terms or conditions have been confirmed in writing
- 5. cancellation or Curtailment of Your Trip due to a health condition of a person travelling with You and included on Your booking or of a Relative or Close Business Associate not travelling with You, where the risk attaching to that health condition has not been accepted by Us in writing.
- any claim arising from any relevant information known by You at the time of buying this policy or which occurs between booking and travel unless it has been disclosed to Us and We have agreed in writing any terms applicable.
- 7. loss of any kind other than as specified in this policy.
- 8. damage to, or loss or destruction of any property or any loss or expense whatsoever arising from, or any loss or any legal liability of whatsoever nature directly or indirectly caused by or contributed to, by or arising from:-
 - (a) lonising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel or from any nuclear waste from the combustion of nuclear fuel
- the radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any (b) explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear component of such assembly. 9. loss, destruction or damage directly occasioned by pressure waves caused by
- aircraft and other aerial devices travelling at sonic or supersonic speeds.
- 10. claims arising from flying or aerial activity of any kind (other than as a fare paying passenger in a fully licensed passenger carrying aircraft).
- 11. claims arising directly or indirectly from Your wilful, malicious or unlawful act.
- 12.any claim or expense arising directly or indirectly from the failure of any computer equipment, integrated circuits, computer chips or computer software to correctly recognise any date change.
- 13.any deliberate or criminal act by an **Insured Person**.
- 14. Manual Labour.
- 15. You travelling against the advice or recommendations published by the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and applicable at the time of Your departure.
- 16.air travel within 24 hours of scuba diving.
- 17.any loss due to currency exchanges of any and every description.
- 18.Your carrier's refusal to allow You to travel for whatever reason.
- 19.any Trip of more than 31 days duration where You are aged 65 and over at the date of departure.
- 20.any reason if You are aged 70 or over.
- 21.the delay or cancellation of flights on the order or recommendation of any civil authority, or at the initiative of the airline, due to atmospheric volcanic ash.

CONDITIONS APPLICABLE TO THIS INSURANCE POLICY

- YOUR DUTY:-
 - (a) At the time You purchase this insurance You are not aware of any circumstances or any relevant information which are likely to cause cancellation or Curtailment of Your Trip. This includes any existing illness or injury of any Relative which if this illness or injury continued or deteriorated would mean You would have to cancel or Curtail Your Trip
 - (b) You must provide full and accurate information in response to Our questions as this will influence Us in the assessment or acceptance of Your insurance. If You fail to do so Your insurance may be void.
 - (c) You must at all times act in a reasonable manner to prevent or minimise a claim.
 - (d) You must check with Your doctor on the advisability of making the Trip if You have any existing medical condition, taking into account Your chosen destination, the climatic conditions, the stability of Your condition, the effect of any additional drugs or vaccines necessary and the standard of the medical services available. Cover will not be given if travel is against the advice of Your doctor.
 - (e) You are not travelling specifically to receive medical treatment during Your Trip or in the knowledge that You are likely to need treatment.

Your return to either (i) Your Home, or (ii) a hospital or nursing home in the United Kingdom following Your repatriation, both during the Period of Insurance. Any subsequent holiday or journey that starts after You have returned Home or to a hospital or nursing home (as described above) is not covered

- **UNATTENDED** means left away from **Your** person where **You** are unable to clearly see and are unable to get hold of Your Personal Baggage.
- UNITED KINGDOM means England, Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.
- VALUABLES means cameras, photographic equipment, camcorders, video, satellite navigation equipment, television and telecommunications equipment, radios, cassette players, CD players, Ipods, MP3 players, audio equipment, laptops, mac or web books, personal computers, Ipads, Tablets, Kindles, e-book readers, computer equipment/accessories, hard drives, flash drives, computer games machines, spectacles, prescription sun glasses, binoculars, telescopes, antiques, jewellery, watches, furs, precious or semi-precious stones, articles made of or containing gold silver or other precious metals, films, tapes, cassettes, cartridges, discs or Compact Discs.
- WE/OUR/US International Travel Protection, the United Kingdom branch of Europäische Reiseversicherung (ERV) A.G.
- YOU/YOUR/INSURED PERSON/ASSURED Any person named on the SkiBound confirmation of booking invoice for the holiday who is eligible to be insured and for whom premium has been paid and in respect of a school, college or university or other group those persons named on the list provided by the Assured to the tour operator.

- (f) Not requiring insurance for any health condition where a terminal prognosis has been given by a registered doctor before buying this policy.
- (g) Not requiring insurance for any health condition that is being investigated or for which You are awaiting or receiving treatment in hospital at the time of buying this policy.
- (h) Obtaining any recommended vaccines, inoculations or medications prior to Your Trip.
- CHANGE IN RISK If after purchasing your policy and before You depart on 2. Your booked trip there is a change in Your health or Your prescribed medication You must do the following:
 - (a) If You are fit to travel, are not travelling against medical advice and have not been diagnosed with any of the medical conditions as listed in the box below under 2 (b), then You can proceed without needing to notify Us.
 - (b) If You are fit to travel and have been diagnosed with one or more of the following medical conditions listed in the box below, then You must obtain confirmation from a medical practitioner to that effect before travelling. You do not need to notify Us.

Any Heart related condition, Hypertension, Arterial Disease, Kidney Disease, Malignant Diseases (Cancer), Lung and/or Respiratory Disease (including Asthma where in-patient hospital treatment has been received), Stroke, a broken or fractured bone other than fingers, any form of psychological or psychiatric disorder, eating disorder, mental instability, anxiety, stress or depression.

(c) If You are advised by Your medical practitioner against travelling on medical grounds then You must notify Us immediately. Please also see Section A – Cancellation or Curtailment and 'What you need to do if you wish to make a claim'.

3. CLÁIMS -YOUR DUTIES:-

- (a) You will advise Us of any occurrence which may give rise to a claim under this insurance in writing as soon as is reasonably possible after the date of such occurrence and shall supply to Us all such reports and other documents as We may reasonably require.
- (b) You will give Us notice in writing immediately You or Your legal representatives have knowledge of any impending prosecution, inquest or fatal inquiry in connection with any occurrence for which there may be liability under Sections I or J of this policy.
- (c) You must inform the Police of all loss or theft of property within 24 hours of discovery and obtain a copy of the Police report in support of any claim under **Sections G** and **H** of this policy.
- (d) If Personal Baggage or Ski Equipment is lost or damaged whilst in the custody of a carrier (i.e. airline, railway, shipping company, bus company, etc.), You must notify such carrier immediately and obtain a copy of their
- report and retain **Your** tickets and luggage tags. (e) **You** will provide full details of any House Contents and All Risks insurance policies **You** may have.
- You will comply with the carrier's conditions of carriage.
- (g) You will not abandon any property to Us or Fogg Travel.
- (h) You will produce Your booking confirmation invoice confirming You are insured before a claim is admitted.
- You will provide all necessary information and assistance We may require at (i) Your own expense (including where necessary medical certification and details of Your National Health number or equivalent and Private Medical Insurance)
- Not admitting liability for any event, paying any related fines or offering to (j) make any payment without **Our** prior written consent.
- 4. CLAIMS OUR RIGHTS:-
 - (a) No admission, offer, promise, payment or indemnity will be made or given by You or on Your behalf without Our written consent.
 - (b) We will be entitled to take over and conduct in Your name the defence or settlement of any claim or to prosecute in Your name to Our own benefit in respect of any claim for indemnity or damages or otherwise, and will have full discretion in the conduct of any proceedings or in the settlement of any claim, and You will give all such information and assistance as We may require.
 - (c) In case of illness or injury We may approach any doctor who may have treated You during the period of three years prior to the claim, and We may at Our own expense and upon reasonable notice to You or Your legal personal representative, arrange for You to be medically examined as often as required, or in the event of death have a post mortem examination of **Your** body.
 - (d) You will supply at Your expense a doctor's certificate in the form required by Us in support of any claim under Sections A, B or C of this policy.
 - (e) Subrogate against the responsible party and take proceedings in Your name but at Our expense to recover for Our benefit the amount of any payment made under the policy.
 - (f) Refuse to give You any refund of Your premium or transfer the premium, unless You cancel this insurance within 14 days of the date of purchase but before commencing any journey and provided that You have not made or intend to make a claim.
- 5. FRAUD If any person makes any misrepresentation or concealment in obtaining this insurance or in support of any claim this insurance will be void.
- OTHER INSURANCES Under Sections A, B, D, E, F, G, H, I, J and K We will not be liable in respect of any one claim where the event leading to the claim is insured by any other existing policy or policies, except in respect of any amount beyond that which is payable under such other policy or policies.
- 7. ARBITRATION If any difference shall arise as to the amount to be paid under Sections A, B, D or G of this policy (liability otherwise being admitted), such difference shall be referred to arbitration under the Arbitration Acts for the time being in force. The making of an Award in such a case shall be a condition
- precedent to any right of action against Us. PRECEDENTS TO LIABILITY The due observance and fulfilment of the 8. terms, provisions, conditions and endorsements of this insurance in so far as they relate to anything to be done or complied with by You will be a condition precedent to **Our** liability to make any payment.
- **JURISDICTION** The parties are free to choose the Law applicable to this Insurance Contract. Unless specifically agreed to the contrary, this insurance will be subject to English Law

SECTION A - CANCELLATION OR CURTAILMENT

What is covered:-

- 1. We will indemnify You against all travel or accommodation deposits or charges which You have paid or contracted to pay before the Trip departure date and cannot recover in respect of any part of the holiday which You are necessarily required to cancel or Curtail up to £3,000 less Insurance Premiums as the direct result of one of the following changes in circumstances which is beyond Your control, and of which You were unaware at the time You booked the Trip or purchased insurance (whichever the later):
 - i. Your unforeseen accidental bodily injury or illness or death, or that of a Relative or friend with whom You have arranged to travel or stay, or of Your Relative or a Close Business Associate You or any person with whom You have arranged to travel or stay being ii. subject to compulsory quarantine or being summoned for Jury Service or as a witness in a Court of Law during the period of the Trip iii. Your redundancy (qualifying You to claim for payment under current Redundancy Payment Legislation) or that of any person with whom You intend to travel, and shall include Your parent(s) if You are travelling with a group and are in full time education, provided that such notice of redundancy is advised to Us within 14 days of its announcement iv. Your private dwelling becoming uninhabitable following fire, storm or flood, or Your presence being required by the Police following burglary at such private dwelling occurring at any time after We have accepted this insurance v. A government directive prohibiting all travel to, or recommending evacuation from the country or area You were planning to visit or were staying, as a result of natural disasters (such as earthquakes, fires, floods, hurricanes, tornadoes) or epidemic(s) vi. cancellation of scheduled Public Transport consequent as a result of hijack occurring during the Period of Insurance vii. reasonable additional travelling expenses incurred by You in returning to Your Home in the United Kingdom, where such return is urgently necessitated by the death serious illness or severe injury of Your Relative or a Close Business Associate where such Relative or Close Business Associate is resident in the United Kingdom

viii.the Trip being interrupted because You have been confined to hospital for the rest of **Your Trip** because of injury or illness

PROVIDED THAT:- If a Trip is curtailed through Your accident or illness, a doctor at the resort or the nearest town must confirm that such Curtailment is necessary. All Curtailment claims must be authorised in advance by the 24 Hour Medical Emergency Service detailed under Section B or by Us.

We will only pay for the unused proportion of travel or accommodation deposits or charges which You have paid or contracted to pay and cannot recover in respect of any part of the holiday which You are necessarily required to Curtail and includes any reasonable additional travel and accommodation expenses that You have paid or agreed to pay to get You Home.

You must notify the tour operator immediately You know the Trip is to be cancelled, to minimise the loss as far as possible.

2. We will indemnify You against all travel or accommodation deposits or charges which You have paid or contracted to pay before the Trip departure date, and cannot recover in respect of any part of the holiday by the school, college, university or other group following the necessary cancellation or Curtailment of the whole school, college, university or other group booking as agreed by Fogg Travel, after this insurance was bought due to the death, injury or illness of the Organiser up to £3,000 per each Insured Person less Insurance Premiums

PROVIDED THAT:- Such Organiser cannot reasonably be replaced and that any such cancellation or Curtailment of the whole school, college, university, or other group booking is agreed by Fogg Travel prior to cancellation with the tour operator or prior to cutting short Your Trip.

We will only pay for the unused proportion of travel or accommodation deposits or charges which You have paid or contracted to pay and cannot recover in respect of any part of the holiday which You are necessarily required to Curtail and includes any reasonable additional travel and accommodation expenses that You have paid or agreed to pay to get You Home. Any additional costs must be agreed by Fogg Travel.

You must notify the tour operator immediately You know the Trip is to be cancelled, to minimise the loss as far as possible.

What is not covered:-

- Any expense following **Your** disinclination to travel or to continue with **Your Trip** or loss of enjoyment of **Your** holiday.
- 2. Any expense arising from circumstances which could reasonably have been anticipated at the time You booked Your holiday.
- Any costs in respect of any unused pre-paid travel costs when We have paid to repatriate You under Section B - Emergency Medical Expenses section.
- 4. Any expense or part expense made using frequent flyer vouchers, Air Miles/Avios vouchers or other vouchers that have no financial face value.
- 5. Any expense where You have not suffered any financial loss.
- 6. Any psychological or psychiatric disorder, eating disorder, mental instability, anxiety, stress or depression diagnosed before the policy was issued.
- 7. i. Your failure to obtain the required passport, visa or ESTA
 - the operation of law ii.
 - the failure of any transport or accommodation provider, their agent or iii. anybody who is acting as **Your** agent or **Your** conference organiser breakdown or theft of **Your** motor vehicle
 - iv.
 - financial circumstances or unemployment except when it is due to ۷. Redundancy that You received after obtaining this Insurance
 - the cancellation of Your Trip by the tour operator vi.
 - Vİİ. weather conditions
 - death of any pets or animals viii.
 - accident or mechanical failure of Your motor vehicle prior to Your departure İX.
 - Your abuse or prior abuse of solvents, drugs (whether legal or otherwise) or Х. alcohol or You being under the influence of alcohol (where Your blood alcohol level is greater than 200mg per 100ml or blood which is equivalent to You being two and half times or more over the current United Kingdom Drink Drive limit)
 - prohibitive regulations by the Government of any country, or delay or xi. amendment of the booked Trip due to Government action
 - any cancellation or Curtailment caused by work commitment or amendment Xİİ. of Your holiday entitlement by Your employer.
- 8. No payment will be made without appropriate medical certification.
- 9. The cost of the Insurance Premium.
- 10.Any **Excess** shown in the Summary of Cover.
- 11. Cancellation or Curtailment of a trip due to the fear of an epidemic or pandemic.
- 12. Cancellation or Curtailment due to death, injury or illness of the Organiser caused by any Pre-existing Medical Condition that has been diagnosed, been in existence or for which the Organiser has received treatment from a hospital or specialist consultant during the last 2 years or for which the Organiser is awaiting or receiving treatment or under investigation unless We have agreed cover in writing and any additional premium has been paid.
- 13.Cancellation or Curtailment of the booking for the whole school, college, university or other group that has not been notified to Fogg Travel and agreed by Us prior to cancellation with the tour operator.
- 14. Cancellation or Curtailment of the booking for the whole school, college, university or other group where a replacement Organiser is and/or can be provided.
- 15. Cancellation or Curtailment of the booking for the whole school, college,

university or other group due to the disinclination to travel by the Organiser and/or replacement Organiser.

16. Any claim that is not for a school, college, university or other group. 17.Claims arising from:-

- (a) Your intentional self-injury, suicide or attempted suicide or wilful exposure to needless risk (except in the attempt to save a human life).
- (b) the influence of intoxicating liquor (where Your blood alcohol level is greater than 200mg per 100ml or blood which is equivalent to You being two and half times or more over the current United Kingdom Drink Drive limit) or of a drug or drugs (unless prescribed by a Medical Practitioner, except for those prescribed in the treatment of drug addiction) or substance or solvent abuse.
- driving or being a passenger of a motor cycle, motor scooter or (c) i. mechanically assisted cycle exceeding 125cc in engine capacity during the period of the Trip and/or
 - motorcycling as either driver or a passenger unless the person driving holds a current valid full motorcycle license permitting them to drive such motorcycle, motor scooter or mechanically assisted cycle.
- (d) You travelling in an aircraft (other than as a passenger in a fully licensed passenger carrying aircraft and for no other purpose).
- (e) Your participation in a Hazardous Activity except where forming part of the published tour operator programme.
- Your normal pregnancy, without any accompanying bodily injury, illness, disease or complication. This section provides cover for unforeseen events, accidents, illnesses, diseases and normal childbirth would not constitute an unforeseen event except as specifically described.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- Notify the travel agent/tour operator immediately, by telephone and in writing, that **You** need to cancel and obtain a cancellation invoice.
- 2. Obtain a claim form from Fogg Travel either by internet or telephone and if You cancel the Trip for medical reasons get Your/the patient's registered doctor to complete the medical certificate attached to the claim form. If the **Trip** is cut short for medical reasons obtain a medical certificate from the treating Medical Practitioner in the locality where the incident occurred.
- Obtain authorisation from the 24 hour Medical Emergency Service or from 3. Us before incurring any expenses in cutting short Your Trip.
- Keep receipts or account for all expenses incurred.
- Notify Fogg Travel immediately, by telephone and in writing, that You need to 5. cancel or Curtail the whole school, college, university or other group booking to obtain prior agreement.
- Provide, together with the medical certificate attached to the claim form, 6. written confirmation from the Head Teacher, Bursar of the school or college or university or other group that no alternative organiser can be provided.

SECTION B - EMERGENCY MEDICAL EXPENSES

What is covered:-

If You sustain bodily injury or suffer illness outside the United Kingdom We will indemnify You up to the amount of £5,000,000 against the following expenses which You necessarily incur outside the United Kingdom:-

- 1. Emergency medical expenses including hospital charges, in-patient treatment authorised by **Us**, and ambulance charges for conveyance to hospital.
- 2. Emergency dental treatment is included up to £250 only for the alleviation of sudden pain, and does not apply to the provision of dentures, artificial teeth or work involving the use of precious material.
- Reasonable additional travelling expenses in returning to Your Home in the United Kingdom and reasonable additional accommodation expenses beyond the number of days booked including in the event of serious injury or illness for which a claim is admissible under(1):
 - such expenses of one Relative or friend required on medical advice and authorised by Us or Our 24 Hour Medical Emergency Service to remain with or to travel to You, and
 - the expenses of a qualified medical attendant required on medical ii. advice to escort You Home.
- Cost of returning **Your** body or ashes to **Your Home** in the **United Kingdom** or burial abroad in the country where death occurs up to £2,500.
- We will pay You £40 per each full day for the loss of use of Your unused prebooked Ski Pack, which You cannot recover, if during the period of Your Trip You are necessarily prevented from skiing for more than 24 hours following Your bodily injury or illness sustained during the period of Your Trip up to a maximum of £280.

PROVIDED THAT:- You must submit to Us a medical certificate from a Medical Practitioner in the resort area in support of Your claim.

If You sustain bodily injury or suffer illness outside the United Kingdom during the Trip resulting in admission to a hospital overseas as an in-patient, We will pay You a benefit of £10 per complete 24 hours which You are hospitalised up to a maximum of £200 payable to the Organiser or other authorised party leader or Your parent only for reasonable taxi fares incurred to visit You in hospital or other reasonable items purchased for Your stay in hospital.

What is not covered:-

- 1. Expenses which **You** incur in **Your Home Country**.
- 2. Any in-patient or additional travel expenses or any costs in excess of £500 not specifically authorised by Us or Our 24 Hour Medical Emergency Service.
- Any claims that are not confirmed as medically necessary by the attending doctor or the 24 Hour Medical Emergency Service.
- Any expense which You incur more than twelve months after the occurrence of the injury or illness to which the claim refers.
- Any expense which is not usual, reasonable or customary for the medical services supplied.
- Any expense for non-essential or on-going treatment or where treatment can be reasonably delayed until Your return to the United Kingdom or for any form of cardiac or organ transplant surgery or any form of cosmetic surgery unless authorised by ${\bf Us}$ in advance of being performed or for the cost of a single- bed / ward unless authorised by the ${\bf 24}$ Hour Medical Emergency Service detailed below for medical reasons only or for the service of a chiropractor, chiropodist or osteopath or for non-medical costs.
- The cost of replenishing supplies of any medication **You** were using at the start of the Trip, or further treatment for any condition You had at the start of Your Trip.
- The cost of taxi fares for anyone other than the patient, telephone calls, faxes 8. or any expenses for food or drink.
- 9. Repairs to or for the provision of dentures, artificial limbs or hearing aids.
- 10. Any dental work involving the use of precious metals.
- 11. Any costs for treatment, including exploratory tests, that has no relationship with the illness or injury on which the claim is being made.
- 12. Your burial or cremation in Your Home Country. 13. More than £280 for unused Ski Pack following Your injury or illness which prevents You from participating in skiing activities.
- Any unused Ski Pack claim that does not follow a claim under the Emergency Medical Expenses section of the policy or the **Curtailment** section of the policy. 15. Any unused Ski Pack for the day the injury or illness was first medically certified. 16.No payment will be made without appropriate medical certification. 17. Any **Excess** shown in the Summary of Cover.

- (f) Your participation in a Hazardous Activity except where forming part of the published tour operator programme
- (g) Your normal pregnancy, without any accompanying bodily injury, illness, disease or complication. This section provides cover for unforeseen events, accidents, illnesses, diseases and normal childbirth would not constitute an unforeseen event except as specifically described.

WHAT TO DO IN THE EVENT OF A SERIOUS MEDICAL EMERGENCY

YOU WILL FIND FULL DETAILS OF YOUR 24 HOUR MEDICAL EMERGENCY SERVICE ON PAGE 2 OF THIS POLICY. IN THE EVENT OF A SERIOUS MEDICAL SITUATION WHILST ON HOLIDAY YOU MUST PHONE THE 24 HOUR SERVICE ON THE TELEPHONE NUMBERS PROVIDED.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- For emergency medical assistance please see the 24 hour Emergency Service section.
- For non-emergency cases, visits to doctors, hospital outpatients, or pharmacy 2. costs You incur You must keep all receipts accounts and medical certificates.
- 3. Production of Your FOGG TRAVEL FOGG MEDI-INSURE CARD in Europe will mean that any rescue, transport or medical service subscribing to the scheme will make no charge to You for their service but will bill Fogg Travel direct - the policy excess is, however, payable to the doctor at the time of treatment. In the event of difficulty **You** should contact the emergency medical assistance service immediately. **You** will be given a form by the medical/rescue service whenever the **FOGG TRAVEL FOGG MEDI-INSURE CARD** is used this form should be sent to the address shown together with any ancillary pharmaceutical bills and the like and policy excess receipt at the end of Your Trip to obtain reimbursement of those costs incurred (less the policy excess) where You have made payment. Please see 24 hour Emergency Service section for cases involving more than simple outpatient treatment.
- Ski pack You must submit a medical certificate from a Medical Practitioner in Your resort area

SECTION C - PERSONAL ACCIDENT

What is covered:-

If You sustain bodily injury caused solely by accidental violent external and visible means, and such bodily injury solely and directly results within twelve months in Your death or permanent loss of limb or loss of sight or permanent total disablement, We will pay to You benefits in accordance with the following items:-

		Amount of payment	
		Age 0 to	Age 16 to
		15 years	64 years
Item 1	Death	£10,000	£25,000
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Item 2 a	Total loss of sight in one or both eyes	£25,000	£25,000
ltem 2 b	Loss of Limb:-		
	whole arm or whole hand	£9,000	£9,000
	thumb	£3,000	£3,000
	index finger	£2,250	£2,250
	any other finger	£900	£900
		£900	£900
ltem 2 c	Loss of Limb:-		
	whole leg or whole foot	£7,500	£7,500
	big toe	£750	£750
	any other toe	£450	£450
ltem 2 d	Loss of hearing:-		~
	in both ears	56 000	56 000
		£6,000	£6,000
	in one ear	£1,500	£1,500
Item 3	Permanent Total Disablement after 104 weeks	6	
	except when compensation is paid under Item 2	£25,000	£25,000

all occurring within 12 months of the event happening.

What is not covered:-

No compensation will be payable:-

- (a) under more than one of the items 1, 2 or 3 and on payment of a claim under any one of these items, all liability under this section will cease in so far as You are concerned.
- (b) any payment when **Your** age is **65** years or over at the time of the incident.
- (c) without appropriate medical certification.
- 2. Claims arising from:-
 - (a) Your intentional self-injury, suicide or attempted suicide or wilful exposure to needless risk (except in the attempt to save a human life).
 - (b) the influence of intoxicating liquor (where Your blood alcohol level is greater than 200mg per 100ml or blood which is equivalent to You being two and half times or more over the current United Kingdom Drink Drive limit) or of a drug or drugs (unless prescribed by a Medical Practitioner, except for those prescribed in the treatment of drug addiction) or substance or solvent abuse.
 - (c) psychological or psychiatric disorder, eating disorder, mental instability. anxiety, stress or depression diagnosed before the policy was issued.
 - (d)i. driving or being a passenger of a motor cycle, motor scooter or mechanically assisted cycle exceeding 125cc in engine capacity during the period of the Trip and/or
 - ii. motorcycling as either driver or a passenger unless the person driving holds a current valid full motorcycle license permitting them to drive such motorcycle, motor scooter or mechanically assisted cycle.

18. Any claims arising from:-

- (a) Your intentional self-injury, suicide or attempted suicide or wilful exposure to needless risk (except in the attempt to save a human life)
- (b) the influence of intoxicating liquor (where Your blood alcohol level is greater than 200mg per 100ml or blood which is equivalent to You being two and half times or more over the current United Kingdom Drink Drive limit) or of a drug or drugs (unless prescribed by a Medical Practitioner, except for those prescribed in the treatment of drug addiction) or substance or solvent abuse.
- (c) psychological or psychiatric disorder, eating disorder, mental instability, anxiety, stress or depression diagnosed before the policy was issued.
- (d)i. driving or being a passenger of a motor cycle, motor scooter or mechanically assisted cycle exceeding 125cc in engine capacity during the period of the **Trip** and/or
 - ii. motorcycling as either driver or a passenger unless the person driving holds a current valid full motorcycle license permitting them to drive such motorcycle, motor scooter or mechanically assisted cycle
- (e) You travelling in an aircraft (other than as a passenger in a fully licensed passenger carrying aircraft and for no other purpose)

- (e) You travelling in an aircraft (other than as a passenger in a fully licensed passenger carrying aircraft and for no other purpose).
- Your participation in a Hazardous Activity except where forming part of the published tour operator programme.

PLEASE NOTE:- Where You are not in any paid employment or paid occupations this shall be defined as 'all Your usual activities, pastimes and pursuits of any and every kind'.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

In the event of death **We** will require the original death certificate. For other claims please write describing the circumstances of the accident and its consequences, and You will be advised what further documentation is required.

SECTION D - TRAVEL DELAY AND DELAY CANCELLATION AND MISSED DEPARTURE

What is covered:-

TRAVEL DELAY AND DELAY CANCELLATION

- If as a direct result of the outbreak of strike or industrial dispute, or weather 1. conditions or mechanical breakdown of the coach, train, aircraft or watercraft which has been the subject of Advance Booking by You occurring after the date of commencement of cover, the departure time of the Outward Journey or Return Journey takes place more than 12 hours after the scheduled departure time appearing on Your ticket We will indemnify You as shown below:
 - i. Delay Compensation An amount of £20 for the first full 12 hours and £10 for each subsequent 12 hours up to a maximum of £100 in all OR

Cancellation Compensation - if You elect to cancel the **Trip** after a delay ii. exceeding 24 hours as described above We will indemnify You in respect of recoverable travel or accommodation deposits or charges paid or contracted to be paid under Section A OR

MISSED DEPARTURE

2. If You miss Your booked scheduled departure due to Your late arrival at the departure airport, port or international coach or rail terminal caused by accident or mechanical breakdown to the conveyance in which You are travelling or Your Public Transport is delayed or cancelled in the course of Your direct journey to the point of international departure immediately prior to commencement of the **Outward Journey** from the **United Kingdom** or **Your** direct Return Journey to the point of departure airport, port or international coach or rail terminal immediately prior to commencement of the Return Journey to the United Kingdom.

We will indemnify You up to the limit of £1,000 (£500 in respect of Area 1) for additional reasonable accommodation and travel charges which You necessarily and reasonably incur in completing the planned journey.

PROVIDED THAT:-

- 1. any payment We make in respect of 1i. above will be deducted from any subsequent payment made under 1ii.
- 2. respect of 1. above You must check in according to the itinerary in provided by the tour operator or carrier, and obtain written confirmation of the delay from such tour operator or carrier.
- compensation as described in **1ii.** above is only payable in respect of delays on the Outward Journey from the United Kingdom.
- You must allow sufficient time for Your journey in order to meet the check-in 4. time specified by the transport providers or agent.
- You must produce independent evidence in writing to support any claim.
- Our limit of liability under 1ii. will not exceed the amount of £3,000 less 6. Insurance premiums for Section A - Cancellation.

Payment shall not be made under both this section and Section E in respect of the same event.

What is not covered:-

- Circumstances which could reasonably have been anticipated at the date the 1. policy was issued.
- 2. Withdrawal from service (temporary or otherwise) of an aircraft or sea vessel or coach or train on the recommendation of the Civil Aviation Authority or a Port Authority or any similar body in any country.
- 3. Under item 1ii. in respect of any Excess shown in the Summary of Cover.
- The cost of any accommodation, food, drink, telephone calls or faxes. 4.
- Any compensation when Your tour operator has rescheduled Your flight 5. itinerary
- Any additional costs where the scheduled public transport operator has 6. offered reasonable alternative travel arrangements.
- Any missed departure claim that is a result of Your failure to allow sufficient 7. time for Your journey to the departure point to check-in by the time shown on Your travel itinerary.
- Any missed departure claim arising from the failure of Public Transport 8. services that is due to a strike or industrial action that started or that had been announced before the date of **Your** departure from **Home**.
- Any claims arising from internal missed connection flights.
- 10. Any claim where You have not pre-booked, where You have a stand-by ticket and do not have confirmed space or that is due to the aircraft being overbooked.
- Any claim that is due to the failure of any transport or accommodation 11. provider, their agent or anybody who is acting as Your agent.
- 12. Any claim that is due to failure to service the vehicle in accordance with the manufacturers instructions.
- 13 Additional mechanical wear and tear or depreciation of the vehicle in which You are travelling or for mileage charges other than additional fuel and oil.
- 14. Any travel delay compensation unless **You** have obtained written confirmation from Your airline, railway company, shipping line or their handling agents that shows the reason for the delay, the scheduled departure time and the actual departure time of Your flight, international train or sailing.
- 15. Any delayed arrival compensation unless You have obtained written confirmation from Your airline, railway company, shipping line or their handling agents that shows the reason for the delay, the scheduled arrival time and the actual arrival time of Your flight, international train or sailing.
- Any missed departure claim unless You have obtained written confirmation 16. of the delay from the authority in attendance at the accident or breakdown affecting the vehicle in which **You** were travelling.
- 17. Any missed departure claim unless You have obtained written confirmation of the delay from the Public Transport provider confirming that the service did not run on time

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- obtain a letter from the airline, railway company or shipping line or their handling agents that shows (a) scheduled departure time, (b) actual departure time, and (c) reason for the delay. You are only covered for the delay benefit if the delay is more than 12 hours.
- obtain written confirmation of the delay from the authority that went to the accident or breakdown affecting the vehicle in which **You** were travelling.
- obtain written confirmation of the delay from the Public Transport provider confirming that the service did not run on time.

What is not covered:-

- any partial closure of skiing facilities.
- Your inability to ski due to the breakdown of or damage to the ski lift. 2.
- any compensation where **Your Trip** was booked within **14** days of travel. any piste closure claim before **15**th December and after **30**th April.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- obtain a letter from the resort authorities or Your tour operator confirming the total closure of the skiing facilities in Your resort, and stating (a) the reason for the total closure (b) the date and time of the total closure, and (c) the date and time the skiing facilities re-opened. You are only covered if there is total closure of the skiing facilities due to adverse weather.
- 2. provide written confirmation or receipt(s) for the cost of transfer or purchase of an alternative lift pass if transferred to an alternative ski area.

SECTION G - PERSONAL BAGGAGE

What is covered:-

- We will indemnify You up to a total of £1,500 (£1,000 if You are under 18 years of age) for Your Personal Baggage to cover the cost of repair of items that are partially damaged or provide a replacement item up to the market value of the item, based on the original purchase price and allowing for age wear and tear, if the items are stolen, totally lost or destroyed during the Period of Insurance.
- We will pay up to a total of £500 for school property (single article limit, Pair or Set of articles) taken on the Trip during the Period of Insurance for which authorised party leaders are responsible and such property is not insured elsewhere.
- 3. We will pay You up to £50 to cover the purchase of essential items if Your Personal Baggage is misplaced, lost or stolen on Your Outward Journey from the United Kingdom for over 12 hours from the time You arrived at Your Trip destination. If Your Personal Baggage is not returned to You after 24 hours We will pay a further sum of up to £50 for each subsequent 12 hours. You must keep all receipts for these items and send them in to Us with Your claim and any amount paid will be deducted from the final claim settlement if the items are permanently lost.
- We will indemnify You up to £400 for Your own Ski Equipment or hired Ski Equipment for which You are responsible to cover the cost of repair of items that 4. are partially damaged or provide a replacement item up to the market value of the item, based on the original purchase price and allowing for age, wear and tear, if the items are stolen, totally lost or destroyed during the Period of Insurance.
- 5. We will pay You up to £20 for each full day up to a maximum of £100 if Your own Ski Equipment is:
 - misplaced, lost or stolen on Your Outward Journey from the United Kingdom from the time You arrived at Your Trip destination for over 12 hours
 - ii. damaged, lost or stolen or destroyed (and not recovered) during Your Trip

to cover the cost of temporarily hiring Ski Equipment. You must keep all receipts and send them in Us with Your claim and any amount paid will be deducted from the final claim settlement if the items are permanently lost.

PROVIDED THAT:-

- You take all reasonable precautions for the safety of the property insured.
- You must take all reasonable steps to recover any lost or stolen article.
- Our liability in respect of Valuables is limited to a total amount of £250. A 3. camera or camcorder with all accessories, a bracelet or necklace with any attachment and any similar **Pair or Set** of items will be considered as one article.
- Any claims made in respect of temporary deprivation of Personal Baggage and/or Ski Equipment will be deducted from any subsequent claim where the property insured proves to be permanently lost. You must retain receipts for all replacement purchases and obtain written confirmation from the carrier confirming the delay.
- 5. You must retain all hire receipts, tags and baggage labels and in the event of delay or misdirection in delivery of Your Ski Equipment, must obtain a Property Irregularity Report from Your airline or other carrier confirming the delay.

What is not covered:-

- 1. More than £250 for any one article, Pair or Set of any kind, whether they are solely or jointly owned.
- More than £250 in total for Valuables whether solely or jointly owned.
- 3. Loss or damage arising from wear and tear, depreciation or deterioration, dents or defacement, any process of cleaning, repairing or restoring, atmospheric or climatic conditions, moth or vermin, mechanical breakdown or derangement.
- 4. Loss or theft or damage to contact or corneal lenses, sunglasses (unless provided to You under prescription), artificial limbs, dentures, hearing aids, prescribed medications, samples or merchandise or property used in connection with Your business or trade, tobacco products, alcohol products, bonds, coupons, securities, stamps or documents of any kind, vehicles or accessories antiques, Musical Instruments whilst in the custody of any person other than You, pictures, sports equipment whilst in use (other than Ski Equipment), boats and/or ancillary equipment including windsurfing equipment and sailboards, caravan awnings, glass, china or any other articles of a brittle or fragile nature and any damage caused by them or their contents.
- 5. Loss or theft or damage to mobile telephones, SIM cards, mobile telephone prepayment cards, lost or stolen mobile telephone call charges or mobile telephone accessories.
- 6. Loss or damage to property shipped as freight or under a bill of lading.
- Loss due to delay, detention, confiscation, requisition or damage by Customs or other Officials or Authorities.

SECTION E - WEATHER DELAY

What is covered:-

For each Insured Person We will pay up to £200 for additional travel and accommodation expenses necessarily and unavoidably incurred due to You being prevented from reaching the Departure Airport, Port or International Rail Terminal prior to the Flight, International Train or Sailing leaving or access to and from the ski resort as a result of adverse weather conditions, including avalanches or landslides. This insurance is limited to £30 for each full period of 24 hours delay up to a maximum of £90 in all each for Insured Person for additional travel and accommodation expenses and up to a further £110 for the cost of flight tickets. Payment shall not be made under both this section and Section D in respect of the same event.

SECTION F - PISTE CLOSURE Only Valid between 15 December and 30 April

What is covered:-

For each Insured Person We will pay up to £120 in the event that due to adverse weather (including lack of snow) there is a total closure of skiing facilities in the resort to which You have pre-booked to travel (other than facilities for cross country skiing which is excluded from this section) and it is not possible to ski for at least 24 hours. This insurance is limited to the cost of transportation to another resort up to £15 per day plus up to £5 per day for alternative lift pass or if no other resorts are available compensation at the rate of £20 per day for each full day of total closure of such facilities during the period of Your Trip at such resort.

- 8. Loss or theft unless You have reported the loss or theft to the nearest Police authority within 24 hours of discovery and You have obtained a written Police Report.
- 9. Loss, damage or theft of:-
 - Valuables and/or Ski Equipment from an Unattended vehicle or coach 1.
 - All other Personal Baggage insured from an Unattended motor vehicle ii. unless the vehicle was securely closed and locked, and such property placed out of sight in the locked boot or in a locked compartment within the vehicle and the vehicle shows all signs of forced entry, but in any event excluding all property insured whilst left in an Unattended motor vehicle between 2000 hours and 0800 hours local time or
 - iii. All other Personal Baggage insured from an Unattended coach unless the coach was securely locked, and such property placed out of sight and the coach shows signs of forced entry.
- 10. Theft of property (other than skis, ski-boards, ski-sticks) left **Unattended** other than as provided above or whilst in **Your** securely locked holiday accommodation.
- 11.We will not pay:
 - more than 60% of the original purchase price for Ski Equipment over 6 months old and less than 1 year old.
 - more than 50% of the original purchase price for Ski Equipment over 1 year old and less than 2 years old.
 - more than 40% of the original purchase price for Ski Equipment over 2 years old and less than 3 years old.

- more than 25% of the original purchase price for Ski Equipment over 3 years old and less than 5 years old.
- 12. Any Ski Equipment more than 5 years old.
- 13. Valuables whilst in a suitcase or holdall or bag or similar receptacle outside Your immediate control and/or when left Unattended.
- 14. Valuables left Unattended except where they are locked in a safe or safety deposit box where these are available or left <u>out of sight</u> in Your locked personal holiday or Trip accommodation.
- 15.Claims will not be considered unless substantiated by an original sales receipt or original valuation for any item, **Pair or Set** exceeding £100. In respect of **Valuables** claims will not be considered unless an original sales receipt or preloss valuation is provided.
- 16.Any Excess shown in the Summary of Cover (the Excess does not apply to temporary deprivation of Ski Equipment and/or Personal Baggage).
- 17.Loss of, or damage to, property that does not belong to **You** or any member of **Your** family.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- For all loss or damage claims during transit You need to (a) retain Your tickets and luggage tags, (b) report the loss or damage to the airline, railway company, shipping line, coach company or their handling agents, and obtain a Property Irregularity Report (PIR) form or its equivalent within 24 hours. If, luggage is delayed longer than 12 hours on Your Outward Journey, You may need to buy some <u>essential</u> items. You must keep all the receipts to prove Your claim.
- For all damage claims You should retain the items in case We wish to see them. You will need to obtain an estimate for repairs or a letter confirming that the damage is irreparable. You should keep receipts or vouchers for any items lost or damaged as these will help to prove Your claim.
- 3. In the case of lost or misplaced **Personal Baggage** on the **Outward Journey. You** must produce receipts for the purchase of essential replacement items.
- 4. You must report all losses report to the Police as soon as possible, and within 24 hours of discovery, and obtain a written report and reference number from them. You should also report the loss to Your tour operator's representative or hotel/apartment manager wherever appropriate.

SECTION H - PERSONAL MONEY

What is covered:-

- We will indemnify You for an amount not exceeding £400 (£250 if You are under 18 years of age) in respect of accidental loss or theft of Personal Money whilst on Your person, or in a safety deposit box within a hotel or bank or in securely locked holiday accommodation.
- 2. We will pay up to £5,000 for the loss or theft of Student Money carried by the Organiser or authorised party leader during the Period of Insurance.
- 3. We will pay up to £5,000 in total for the loss or theft of Emergency Funds held by the Organiser or other authorised party leader during the Period of Insurance.
- 4. If **Your Travel Documents** are lost or stolen outside the **United Kingdom** during the **Period of Insurance We** will pay **You** up to £250 for the reasonable additional travel and accommodation expenses **You** incur abroad to obtain replacement **Travel Documents**.

PROVIDED THAT:-

- 1. You take all reasonable precautions for the safety of the property insured.
- 2. You must take all reasonable steps to recover any lost or stolen Personal Money.

What is not covered:-

- More than £250 (£150 if You are under 18 years of age) in total in cash or currency whether solely or jointly owned.
- 2. More than £250 in total for Your lost, stolen or damaged or destroyed lift pass.
- More than £1,000 in total in cash or currency carried by each Organiser or authorised party leader.
- Any claim for loss or theft where You have not notified the Police and Your carrier or tour operator's representative and obtained written reports.
- 5. Loss or theft of **Personal Money**, Student Money, Emergency Funds or Travel Documents that are not:-
 - on **Your** person.
 - held in a safe or safety deposit box where one is available.
 - left out of sight in Your locked personal Trip accommodation.
- 6. Loss or theft of **Personal Money**, **Student Money**, **Emergency Funds** or **Travel Documents** due to depreciation in value, currency changes or shortage caused by any error or omission.
- 7. Loss or theft of travellers' cheques where the bank provides a replacement service.
- 8. Any financial loss suffered as a result of **Your** debit/credit card being lost or stolen.
- 9. The cost of the replacement **Travel Documents**.
- 10.Your failure to obtain the required passport, visa or ESTA.
- 11. Any expenses for food or drink following loss of Your Travel Documents.
- 12. Any costs following loss of **Your Travel Documents** incurred before departure or after **You** return **Home**.
- 13.Loss due to delay, detention, confiscation, requisition or damage by Customs or other Officials or Authorities.

14.Any **Excess** shown in the Summary of Cover.

ii. in the charge of or under the control of You or a Relative of Yours or a member of Your household or of a person in Your service.

The indemnity provided by this section extends to cover costs and expenses recoverable by any claimant, provided they were incurred before the date (if any) on which **We** paid or offered to pay either the full amount of the claim or the total amount recoverable in respect of any one occurrence, and also to costs and expenses incurred by **You** with **Our** written consent.

In the event of **Your** death **Your** personal representative will receive the benefit of the cover granted by this section.

What is not covered:-

Claims arising:-

- Directly or directly out of the ownership, possession or use (other than as a passenger having no right of control) of aircraft, model aircraft, caravans, trailers, watercraft (other than manually propelled craft), mechanically propelled or motorised vehicles and lifts.
- Directly or indirectly out of the ownership, possession or use of animals or firearms.
- 3. Directly or indirectly out of or incidental to **Your** business, trade or profession or that of any member of **Your** family.
- 4. Out of actions between persons insured.
- 5. Directly or indirectly out of Your ownership of any land or buildings.
- 6. Out of any liability assumed under a contract unless such liability would have attached in any event in the absence of such contract.
- 7. Any liability for injury, illness or disease suffered by **You** or any member of **Your** family.
- 8. Any **Excess** shown in the Summary of Cover.
- 9. Any claim for an incident already notified under Section J.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- 1. Never admit responsibility to anyone and do not agree to pay for any damage, repair costs or compensation.
- 2. Keep notes of any circumstances that may become a claim so these can be supplied to **Us** along with any supporting evidence **We** may require.
- 3. We are entitled to take over the defence and settlement of any claim against you in your name.

Important claims condition relating to Section I

You must notify **Us** within 28 days of then end of **Your** booked **Trip** if **You** have been required by any person or authority to disclose **your** personal details following an incident whether or not **You** believe **You** were at fault. Failure to do so may result in the sums insured under this section being reduced by 50%.

SECTION J - ORGANISERS LIABILITY

What is covered:-

We will indemnify You up to £5,000,000, plus costs agreed between Us in writing, for:-

- any event occurring during the period of this insurance where the Organiser is legally liable to pay that relate to an incident caused by the Organiser and that results in:-
 - (a) injury, illness or disease of any person
 - (b) loss of or damage to property that does not belong to the **Organiser** and is not in the **Organiser's** charge or control.
- any liability described in 1. above falling on the Local Education Authority or, in the case of an independent school, the governing body in place of the Organiser.

What is not covered:-

1. any Excess shown in the Summary of Cover.

- 2. any liability for loss of or damage to property or injury, illness or disease:-
- where an indemnity is provided to the **Organiser** under any other insurance.
 that is for punitive or exemplary damages.
- that is caused by any deliberate act or omission of the Organiser.
- that is caused by the Organiser's employment, profession or business other than as part of the Organiser's school duties.
- that is caused by pollution in North America.
- that is caused by the Organiser's ownership, care, custody or control of any animal.
- that falls on the Organiser by agreement and would not have done if such agreement did not exist, any liability for injury, illness or disease suffered by the Organiser.
- 3. compensation or any other costs caused by accidents involving the **Organiser's** ownership, possession or control of any:-
 - land or building or their use either by or on behalf of the Organiser other than temporary Trip accommodation.
 - mechanically propelled vehicles and any trailers attached to them.
 - aircraft, motorised waterborne craft or sailing vessel.
 - firearms or incendiary devices.
- 4. any claim for an incident already notified under Section I.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- 1. never admit responsibility to anyone and do not agree to pay for any damage, repair costs or compensation.
- 2. keep notes of any circumstances that may become a claim so these can be supplied to **Us** along with any supporting evidence **We** may require.
- 3. We are entitled to take over the defence and settlement of any claim against you in your name.

What you need to do if you wish to make a claim:-

- For all losses You should report to the Police as soon as possible, and within 24 hours of discovery, and obtain a written report and reference number from them. You should also report the loss to Your tour operator's representative or hotel/apartment manager wherever appropriate.
- 2. For lost or stolen **Travel Documents You** will also need to get a letter from the Consulate, airline or travel provider where **You** obtained a replacement and keep all the receipts for **Your** travel and accommodation expenses.
- 3. For loss of money We will require
- a) confirmation from **Your** UK currency exchange of the issue of foreign currency or travellers' cheques,
- b) exchange confirmations for currency changed from travellers' cheques, or,
- c) where sterling is involved, documentary evidence of possession.

SECTION I - PERSONAL LIABILITY

What is covered:-

We will indemnify You against all sums up to the amount of £2,000,000 which You are legally liable in a personal capacity to pay in respect of accidents happening during the **Period of Insurance** resulting in:-

- 1. Bodily Injury, death or disease to any person not being a **Relative** of **Yours** or a member of **Your** household or in **Your** service.
- 2. Damage to property not:
 - i. belonging to You or

SECTION K - LEGAL EXPENSES

Important – Cover under this section is underwritten and administered by DAS Legal Expenses Insurance Company Limited (DAS).

What is covered:-

 In the event of an **Insured Incident** which causes **your** death or bodily injury **DAS** will pay up to £25,000 for the **Costs and Expenses** of an **Appointed Representative**, to provide legal advice and where there are **Reasonable Prospects** to take legal action on **your** behalf to recover losses or damages against negligent third-parties.

What is not covered:-

Exclusions applying to this section

DAS will not pay for the following:

- 1. A claim where at any point, **DAS** or the **Appointed Representative** assess that there are not **Reasonable Prospects** of success.
- 2. Any legal proceedings not dealt with by a court of law or by another body agreed by **us**.
- 3. A claim where **you** have failed to notify **us** of the **Insured Incident** within a reasonable time of it occurring and where this failure adversely affects the **Reasonable Prospects** of a claim or **DAS** considers that **DAS'** position has been prejudiced.
- 4. An **Insured Incident** arising before the start, or after the end of an **Insured Journey**.

- 5. Costs and Expenses incurred before DAS' written acceptance of a claim.
- 6. In the event that **you** decide not to use the services of a **Preferred Law Firm**, any **Costs and Expenses** in excess of those which **DAS** would have incurred had **you** done so under **DAS' Standard Terms of Appointment**.
- 7. Any claim relating to any illness or bodily injury that happens gradually or is not caused by a specific or sudden accident.
- 8. Any claim relating to psychological injury or mental illness unless the condition follows a specific or sudden accident that has caused **your** physical bodily injury.
- 9. Defending **your** legal rights (**DAS** will however, cover defending a counterclaim.)
- 10. Any claim relating to clinical negligence.
- 11. Fines, penalties, compensation or damages that a court or other authority orders **you** to pay.
- 12.Any legal action which **you** take that which **DAS** or **the Appointed Representative** have not agreed to, or where **you** do anything that hinders **DAS** or **the Appointed Representative**.
- 13.A dispute with **DAS** which is not otherwise dealt with under section condition 7.
- 14. Costs and Expenses arising from or relating to judicial review, coroner's inquest or fatal accident inquiry.
- 15.Any **Costs and Expenses** which are incurred where **the Appointed Representative** handles the claim under a contingency fee arrangement.
- 16.A claim against **Us**, **DAS**, **Our** agent, Fogg Assist, **SkiBound** or any tour operator, travel agent, carrier or any provider under a "tour operator" package arrangement.
- 17. Any claim where you are not represented by a law firm or barrister.
- 18.A claim relating to Deep Vein Thrombosis or its symptoms that result from an **Insured Person** travelling by air.

Specific Conditions:-

Additional conditions applying to this section

- (a) On receiving a claim, if legal representation is necessary, DAS will appoint a Preferred Law Firm or in-house lawyer as the Appointed Representative to deal with your claim. They will try to settle your claim by negotiation without having to go to court.
 - (b) If the appointed **Preferred Law Firm** or **DAS**' in-house lawyer cannot negotiate settlement of **your** claim and it is necessary to go to court and legal proceedings are issued or there is a conflict of interest, then **you** may choose a law firm to act as **your Appointed Representative**.
 - (c) If you choose a law firm as the Appointed Representative who is not a Preferred Law Firm, DAS will give your choice of law firm the opportunity to act on the same terms as a Preferred Law Firm. However if they refuse to act on this basis, the most DAS will pay is the amount DAS would have paid if they had agreed to DAS' Standard Terms of Appointment.
 - (d) **The Appointed Representative** must co-operate with **DAS** at all times and must keep **DAS** up to date with the progress of the claim.
- 2. (a) You must co-operate fully with DAS and with the Appointed Representative.
 - (b) You must give the Appointed Representative any instructions that DAS ask you to.
- 3. (a) **You** must tell **DAS** if anyone offers to settle a claim. **You** must not negotiate or agree to a settlement without **DAS**' written consent.
 - (b) If **you** do not accept a reasonable offer to settle a claim, **DAS** may refuse to pay any further **Costs and Expenses**.
 - (c) DAS may decide to pay you the reasonable value of your claim, instead of starting or continuing legal action. In these circumstances you must allow DAS to take over and pursue or settle any claim on your behalf. You must also allow DAS to pursue at DAS' own expense and for DAS' own benefit, any claim for compensation against any other person and you must give DAS all the information and help DAS need to do so.
 - (d) Where a settlement is made on a without-costs basis **DAS** will decide what proportion of that settlement will be regarded as **Costs and Expenses** and payable to **DAS**.
- 4. (a) You must instruct the Appointed Representative to have costs and expenses taxed, assessed or audited if DAS ask for this.
 - (b) You must take every step to recover Costs and Expenses and court attendance that DAS have to pay and must pay DAS any amounts that are recovered.
- 5. If the Appointed Representative refuses to continue acting for you with good reason, or if you dismiss the Appointed Representative without good reason, the cover DAS provides will end immediately, unless DAS agree to the appointment of another Appointed Representative. If you settle or withdraw a claim without DAS' agreement, or do not give suitable instructions to the Appointed Representative, DAS can withdraw cover and will be entitled to reclaim from you any Costs and Expenses DAS have paid.
- 7. In respect of an appeal or the defence of an appeal, **you** must tell **DAS** within the time limits allowed that **you** want to appeal. Before **DAS** pay the **Costs and Expenses** for appeals, **DAS** must agree that **reasonable prospects** exist.

- 11.**You** must:
 - (a) keep to the terms and conditions of this section
 - (b) take reasonable steps to avoid and prevent claims
 - (c) take reasonable steps to avoid incurring unnecessary costs
 - (d) send everything **DAS** ask for, in writing.
 - (e) report to DAS full and factual details of any claim as soon as possible.
 - (f) give **DAS** any information **DAS** needs.
- 12. DAS will, at DAS' discretion, void this section (make it invalid) from its start date or from the date of claim, or alleged claim, or DAS will not pay the claim if:
 a) a claim you have made to obtain benefit under this section is fraudulent or intentionally exaggerated, or
- b) a false declaration or statement is made in support of a claim.
- 13. If any claim covered under this section is also covered by another policy, or would have been covered if this section did not exist, **DAS** will only pay **DAS**' share of the claim even if the other insurer refuses the claim.
- 14. In the event of **your** death as a result of an **Insured Incident** the benefits of this cover will attach to **your** personal representative (next of kin).
- 15. This section is governed by the law that applies in the part of the United Kingdom, Channel Islands or Isle of Man where the **insured person** normally lives. Otherwise, the law of England and Wales applies. All Acts of Parliament mentioned in this section include equivalent laws in Scotland, Northern Ireland, the Isle of Man and the Channel Islands as appropriate.
- 16. Apart from **DAS**, an **insured person** is the only person who may enforce all or any part of this section and the rights and interests arising from or connected with it. This means that the Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999 does not apply to this section in relation to any third-party rights or interest.

Eurolaw Legal Advice Service:-

DAS will give an **Insured Person** confidential legal advice over the phone on any personal legal problem relating to **Your Trip**, under the laws of the member countries of the European Union, Isle of Man, the **Channel Islands**, Switzerland and Norway.

An **Insured Person** can contact DAS' UK-based call centres **24** hours a day, seven days a week. However, DAS may need to call the **Insured Person** back depending on the enquiry. Advice about the law in England and Wales is available 24 hours a day, seven days a week. Legal advice for the other countries is available 9am – 5pm, Monday to Friday, excluding public and bank holidays. If an **Insured Person** calls outside these times, DAS will call the **Insured Person** back. To help check and improve service standards, DAS records all inbound and outbound calls.

To contact the above service, phone DAS on 0117 934 2000.

DAS will not accept responsibility if the Helpline Service fails for reasons DAS cannot control.

COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE

Any enquiry or complaint **You** may have regarding **Your** policy, or a claim notified under **Your** policy, should be addressed to the appropriate company listed below. Please quote **SkiBound** and **Your** claim number to enable the enquiry to be dealt with speedily.

If **You** are not satisfied with the handling of a complaint, **You** should write to the following:-

FOR SECTIONS A to J

Managing Director, Fogg Travel Insurance Services Limited, Crow Hill Drive, Mansfield, Nottinghamshire, NG19 7AE Telephone: 01623 631331 Fax: 01623 420450

Email: complaints@foggtravelinsurance.com FOR SECTION K – LEGAL EXPENSES

Managing Director, DAS Legal Expenses Insurance Company Limited DAS House, Quayside, Temple Back, Bristol, BS1 6NH

FOR ALL SECTIONS

If Your complaint is not dealt with to Your satisfaction by either of the Managing

Directors as stated above, **You** have the right to refer any dispute to:-The Financial Ombudsman Service,

South Quay Plaza, 183 Marsh Wall, London, E14 9SR.

Telephone: 0845 080 1800 Email: enquiries@financial–ombudsman.org.uk Website: www.financial–ombudsman.org.uk

but only if **You** have already referred the matter to ETI International Travel Protection or DAS Legal Expenses Insurance Company Limited for the relevant sections of the policy.

We are bound by the Financial Ombudsman's decision, but You are not. It does not prejudice Your legal rights.

Underwritten by ETI International Travel Protection, the UK branch of Europäische Reiseversicherung AG (ERV), registered at Companies House FC 25660, BR 007939. ERV is authorised by the Bundesanstalt für Finanzdienstleistungsaufsicht (BAFIN - www.bafin.de) and the Prudential Regulation Authority and subject to limited regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority and Prudential Regulation Authority. Details of the extent of our regulation by the Prudential Regulation by the Financial Conduct Authority are available from us on request. Our registration number is 220041.

ETI is covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (ESCS)

- 8. For an enforcement of judgment to recover money and interest due to **you** after a successful claim under this section, **DAS** must agree that **Reasonable Prospects** exist, and where an award of damages is the only legal remedy to a dispute and the cost of pursuing legal action is likely to be more than any award of damages, the most **DAS** will pay in **Costs and Expenses** is the value of the likely award.
- 9. If there is a disagreement between you and DAS about the handling of a claim and it is not resolved through DAS' internal complaints procedure, you can contact the Financial Ombudsman Service for help. Alternatively there is a separate arbitration process. The arbitrator will be a barrister chosen jointly by you and DAS. If there is a disagreement over the choice of arbitrator, DAS will ask the Chartered Institute of Arbitrators to decide.
- 10. **DAS** may require **you** to obtain, at **your** expense, an opinion on the merits of the claim or proceedings or on a legal principle from a legal expert. The expert must be approved in advance by **DAS** and the cost agreed in writing between **you** and **DAS**. Subject to this, **DAS** will pay the cost of getting the opinion if the expert's opinion indicates that it is more likely than not that **you** will recover damages (or obtain any other legal remedy that **DAS** have agreed to) or make a successful defence.

This means that **You** may be entitled to compensation from the Scheme if **We** are unable to meet **Our** financial obligations.

Full details are available from the FSCS. ETI is registered at Companies House FC 25660, BR 007939.

Financial Services Compensation Scheme ("FSCS")

The maximum level of compensation **You** can receive from FSCS is 90% of the claim without any upper limit. The contact details for FSCS are: Financial Services Compensation Scheme, 7th Floor Lloyds Chambers, Portsoken Street, London, E1 8BN Fax: 020 7892 7301 Website: <u>http://www.fscs.org.uk</u>

Fogg Travel Insurance Company Limited is authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. Their registration number is 307304. This can be checked on the financial services register held on the FCA's website (www.fca.org.uk)

SkiBound is an Appointed Representative of Fogg Travel Insurance Services Limited.

