

Policy wording

Roadside Assistance



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Definitions

Breakdown

Mechanical or electrical breakdown (failures or breakages), or damage that is caused by an accident, vandalism, fire or theft and results in you not being able to drive your vehicle.

Document of insurance

This leaflet together with the schedule, form your ClassicLine Rescue Membership Document.

Home

The place where your vehicle is normally kept.

Period of insurance

The period of time covered by this insurance (as shown in the schedule).

We, us, our

AmTrust Europe Limited. In the Data Protection Section of this policy this also means ALPS. In the cancellation section of this policy this also means ClassicLine Insurance Services.

You, your

The person named as 'the insured' in the schedule.

Your vehicle

Any vehicle specified in the schedule (or reported to and accepted by us), which must be a private car, or caravan (less than 23 feet/7 metres long) attached at the time of the breakdown.

How to make a claim

UK claims helpline

01260 547 058

EU claims helpline

+44 (0)1260 547 058

Please note that you may incur a charge if you use a mobile phone to call.

Text messaging is available for use by deaf, hard of hearing or speech-impaired customers. Please text the word "breakdown" to **+44 (0) 7786 202 671**.

You should have the following information available:

- The vehicles registration number.
- Your name, home postcode and contact details.
- The make, model and colour of the vehicle.
- The location of the vehicle.
- An idea of what the problem is.
- SOS box number (where applicable).

Help on motorways

If you break down on the motorway, go to the nearest SOS emergency phone box. Ask the police to contact the 24-hour emergency helpline on the above number.

You will only be able to claim the services we provide by contacting the emergency helpline number.

UK Roadside Assistance

This policy is administered by Auto Legal Protection Services Limited (ALPS). ALPS registered address is Sunnyside Mill, Highfield Road, Congleton, CW12 3AQ and company registration number is 3676991. ALPS is authorised and Regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority (FCA), FCA register number 300906.

Benefits and services under this policy will be provided by one of our network of breakdown and recovery providers. The name of the company appointed will be provided to you when you notify us of your claim.

This policy is underwritten by AmTrust Europe Limited, whose registered address is Market Square House, St James' Street, Nottingham, NG1 6FG, company registration number 01229676. AmTrust Europe Limited is authorised by the Prudential Regulation Authority and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority and Prudential Regulation Authority, FCA register number 202189.

Your policy is subject to English Law and you and we agree to submit to the non-exclusive jurisdiction of the English Courts if there is an unresolved dispute between us.

We will provide this cover for any breakdown occurring during the period of insurance and within the mainland of England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland. If the vehicle cannot be driven as a result of a breakdown, which occurs during the course of a journey we will arrange and pay for the services as, shown below. Cover will apply to any person driving the insured vehicle who normally resides at the registered address. The benefits and services apply to any breakdown, which occurs during the period of insurance and within the territorial limits.

Roadside assistance

We will arrange help at the scene of the breakdown and will arrange and pay call-out fees and labour charges needed to start the vehicle. If the vehicle cannot be repaired quickly at the scene of the breakdown, we will arrange and pay the reasonable cost of taking the vehicle, you and up to 4 passengers from the place where the vehicle has broken down to the nearest available garage.

Vehicle Recovery

If the vehicle cannot be repaired at the scene of the breakdown and cannot be repaired the same day at a suitable garage, we will arrange and pay the reasonable cost of taking the vehicle, you and up to 4 passengers from the place where the vehicle has broken down to any one place you choose.

Home service

If the vehicle breaks down at your home or within one mile of your home, we will arrange help and pay call-out fees and labour charges needed to start the vehicle. If the vehicle cannot be repaired quickly at the scene of the breakdown, we will pay the reasonable cost of taking the vehicle to the nearest available garage.

Alternative travel or accommodation

If the vehicle breaks down while it is more than 25 miles from your home and it cannot be repaired at the roadside or at a garage during the same day, we will refund the cost of alternative travel arrangements or necessary emergency overnight accommodation.

The most we will pay will be up to £150 for alternative road, rail travel or car hire or one night's hotel accommodation for you and up to 4 passengers. (The amount we will refund will only be for the rooms. We will not pay any amount for meals or drinks).

Before you arrange alternative travel or accommodation you must call us for our agreement. We will only refund amounts covered by this insurance if we receive valid invoices and receipts.

Caravan and trailer service

If your vehicle breaks down, any attached caravan (or small trailer not more than 3 metres (10 feet) long) used for private purposes will be entitled to the same service as the vehicle, as long as it is attached to the vehicle by a standard 50 millimetre (2 inch) towing coupling.

Message service

If your vehicle breaks down and help is arranged by the Rescue Control Centre, they can contact your family or colleagues to let them know about the situation.

European Roadside Assistance

Whilst we hope that your travel period will be incident free, if your vehicle breaks down, help and assistance is available by calling the 24-hour English speaking emergency telephone service. Try to call from a place where it is easy to call you back. Please note that it is not always possible to provide automatic hire cars or accessories such as bike racks, luggage racks or tow bars.

Please read the details carefully to ensure that you are fully covered, and remember to follow any rules and procedures laid down in respect of servicing the vehicle and making a claim. (See general conditions 4 and 11).

This insurance will provide the benefits described below if your vehicle breaks down and cannot be driven as a result of a mechanical or electrical breakdown (failures or breakages) results in you not being able to drive the vehicle. Such breakdown must occur within the countries of Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Czech Republic, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Republic of Ireland, Italy, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Slovak Republic, Spain, Sweden or Switzerland.

Please note that this is not a maintenance policy and therefore does not cover the cost of parts or the cost of non-emergency repair work, such as routine servicing or diagnostic tuning. The cover is designed to help keep you and your party mobile during the journey or holiday period abroad. It is not a replacement for a motor insurance policy and does not provide cover for bodywork repairs following an accident or theft.

Benefits

This policy does cover

- 1 Miscellaneous costs incurred in arranging immediate emergency roadside help following a breakdown. The most we will pay will be £200 in any one-travel period. If your vehicle breaks down, we will come to where the vehicle is located. We will arrange and pay for your vehicle, the driver and up to four passengers to be taken to a local garage for it to be repaired at your cost. We will cover the cost of replacement parts up to a maximum of £100, but excluding parts subject to routine maintenance or periodic repair or replacement such as tyres, batteries, exhaust systems and the like.
- 2 If the vehicle is out of use for a period of more than 8 hours as a result of a breakdown or due to death, injury or serious illness of the only available driver, we will refund the following costs and expenses as long as they are as a direct result of the breakdown or illness and are paid immediately after the breakdown or illness (in the case of illness a Doctors report will be required).
 - the cost of recovery of the vehicle to the nearest garage or railway;
 - the cost of storage of the vehicle at a garage up to a maximum of £100;
 - freight costs to obtain any replacement part, which is not available locally;
 - the cost of one of the following: Hiring one replacement vehicle up to £100 per day and £1,800 in total. Hiring one chauffeur in the event of a serious illness of the only available driver in your party, up to £100 per day. Second-class rail fares so that you and your party can finish your journey or return home. Extra hotel accommodation costs for you and each member of your party up to £40 per person per day incurred during the journey to and from the holiday location up to a maximum of 5 days. (We will not pay for meals or drinks);
 - the cost of recovering the vehicle to your home if it cannot be repaired before your planned return date or costs incurred in travelling from your home or holiday location to the scene of the breakdown to collect the vehicle after repair. (Such cost must not be more than economy class airfare plus miscellaneous additional expenses not exceeding £150);
 - the cost of emergency repairs to secure the vehicle in the event that it is damaged by attempted theft or break-in up to a maximum of £150 (a Police report will be required);
 - the cost of hiring a replacement vehicle up to £200 if your vehicle is still out of use when you return to the United Kingdom; or
 - the cost of necessary telephone calls up to a maximum of £15.

General exceptions

This policy does not cover

- 1 Breakdowns due to lack of petrol, oil, water or frost damage or the use of the vehicle for racing, pacemaking, or being in any contest or speed trial or any rigorous reliability testing;
- 2 the cost of any repair apart from repairs covered under Section 1;
- 3 the cost of spare parts or emergency windscreens;
- 4 expenses incurred in ordering incorrect replacement parts where this is due to insufficient or wrong information being given by you; or
- 5 the cost of returning hired vehicles to the Hire Company.
- 6 if the vehicle suffers damage and it is considered to be a write-off (the cost of repairs are greater than the market value of the vehicle) sub-section 2(d) will not apply where the vehicle has comprehensive motor insurance. Where the vehicle is subject to third party insurance, cover will be limited to the market value of the vehicle. If this situation arises, we reserve the right to conduct negotiations direct with the motor insurers.

General conditions

- 1 We will only provide the cover described in this insurance if: You have met all the terms and conditions in this document of insurance; The information you have given to us is, as far as you know, correct and complete. (Any payment made under this insurance will be based on the original information given to us).
If you have failed to give us complete and accurate information or have not met the terms and conditions, this could lead to your claim being denied or the insurance not being valid.
- 2 This insurance only applies to you and cannot be transferred to anyone else.
- 3 You must not use your vehicle outside the United Kingdom for more than 31 days in a row or more than 60 days in total during the period of insurance.
- 4 If you are travelling abroad you must ensure that the vehicle is in a roadworthy condition at the start of the journey or holiday and it has been regularly serviced by a garage or yourself in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.
- 5 Roadside help or recovery will only be provided if you or the driver stays with the vehicle until a rescue vehicle arrives.
- 6 If a claim is made which you or anyone acting on your behalf knows is false, fraudulent or exaggerated, we will not pay the claims and cover under this insurance will end.
- 7 You must take all reasonable steps to prevent a breakdown, and your vehicle must not be driven in an unsafe or unroadworthy condition or until recommended repairs have been carried out.
- 8 The vehicle you are travelling in must carry a serviceable spare tyre and wheel, and a key that will let us remove a wheel secured by wheel nuts for the vehicle, caravan or trailer, if it is designed to carry one.
- 9 Your vehicle must be taxed and the appropriate licence displayed in accordance with applicable law.
- 10 You must keep your vehicle properly maintained and serviced.
- 11 This insurance only covers the vehicle specified in the schedule. You must tell ClassicLine Rescue about any change of vehicle immediately.
- 12 You must take all reasonable steps to avoid or minimise any loss arising out of a claim under this insurance. Claims arising directly out of financial incapacity will not be covered.
- 13 You must take reasonable care for the safety and supervision of the vehicle, and if loss or damage occurs whilst it is in the care of a transport company, authority, garage or hotel, the loss or damage must be reported, in writing, to such transport company, authority, garage or hotel.
- 14 We can: take over, conduct, defend or settle any claims; and take proceedings, at our own expense and for our own benefit, to recover any payment we have made under this insurance. We will take this action in your name or in the name of anyone else covered by this insurance. You or the person whose name we use must co-operate with us on any matter, which affects this insurance.
- 15 If we incur additional costs beyond the scope of cover, which applies, you must reimburse these costs on demand and within 14 days.
- 16 If we accept your claim but disagree with the amount due to you the matter will be passed to an arbitrator who we both agree to. When this happens, the arbitrator must make a decision before you can start proceedings against us.
- 17 If you make any alteration to this insurance we may charge an administration fee. We do not return premiums where the amount is less than £10.
- 18 If you decline to accept our decision on the most suitable course of action then we may limit our liability in respect of any one incident to a maximum of £100.
- 19 We will not provide cover, pay any claim or provide any benefit if doing so would expose us to any sanction, prohibition or restriction under United Nations resolutions or the trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of the European Union, United Kingdom or United States of America.

General exclusions

This policy does not cover

- 1 Claims totalling more than £3000 in any year.
- 2 If the vehicle is recovered by sea or air, any amount which is more than the cost of taking the vehicle to the nearest port or airport.
- 3 Any ferry fares or toll fees.
- 4 Compensation due to delays to transport services.
- 5 Loss or damage to the vehicle or its contents, or any valuables carried in the vehicle.
- 6 Damage or costs incurred as a direct result of gaining access to the vehicle following your request for assistance.
- 7 The cost of taking the vehicle and its passengers to more than one address after any one breakdown.
- 8 The cost of recovering the vehicle and its passengers if the vehicle can be repaired within a reasonable period of time at or near the place where it has broken down.
- 9 The cost of any parts, emergency windscreens, components or materials used to repair the vehicle.
- 10 Any costs or expenses for any service, which is not arranged by the Rescue Control Centre.
- 11 Any costs or expenses if the breakdown is covered by any other insurance or recovery service.
- 12 Any request for service if the vehicle has been used (from the time you bought it) for private hire, public hire, racing, rally pacemaking or in any contest or speed trial or any rigorous reliability testing.
- 13 Any request for service if the vehicle is off road or cannot be reached due to snow, mud, sand or flood.
- 14 Any request for service if the vehicle is considered to be dangerous or illegal to repair or transport.
- 15 Any results of war, invasion, act of foreign enemy, hostilities (whether war is declared or not), civil war, rebellion, revolution, military or usurped power.
- 16 Direct or indirect loss, damage or liability caused by, contributed to or arising from:
 - Ionising radiation or contamination from any radioactive nuclear fuel, or from any nuclear waste from burning nuclear fuel;
 - The radioactive, toxic, explosive or other dangerous property of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear part of that assembly; or
 - Pressure waves caused by aircraft and other flying objects.

Complaints procedure

We are committed to providing you with the highest standard of service and customer care. We realise however, that there may be occasions when you feel that you did not receive the standard of service you expect.

We hope you will be completely happy with this insurance but if something does go wrong, we would like to know about it.

We will do our best to resolve the issue and make sure it doesn't happen again. This complaints procedure does not affect your statutory rights.

Complaints about the sale of this insurance

If you have any concerns regarding the sale of this insurance, please contact ClassicLine Insurance.

Complaints about this insurance

Auto Legal Protection Services Limited (ALPS) aim to give our Insured a high level of service at all times. However if you have a complaint about your policy please contact:

Write ALPS Road Rescue Complaints, ALPS Limited,
Sunnyside Mill, Highfield Road, Congleton,
Cheshire CW12 3AQ
Phone 01260 241555
Email complaints@alpsltd.co.uk

We will contact you within three working days of receiving your complaint to inform you of what action we are taking. We will try to resolve the problem and give you an answer within four weeks. If it will take us longer than four weeks we will tell you when you can expect an answer.

The Financial Ombudsman Service

Alternatively, at any stage, you may have the right to contact the Financial Ombudsman Service who can review complaints from 'eligible complainants' which includes private individuals and sole traders and small partnerships with a yearly turnover of less than £1 million.

Further information can be found at:

Web financial-ombudsman.org.uk/default.htm
Write Financial Ombudsman Service, Exchange Tower,
Harbour Exchange Square, London, E14 9SR
Phone 0800 023 4567 or 0300 123 9 123
Email complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk

This complaints procedure does not affect any legal right you have to take action against us.

Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS)

We are members of the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (FSCS). You may be entitled to compensation from the scheme if we are unable to meet our liabilities under this insurance. Further information about the compensation scheme arrangements is available from FSCS. Information can be obtained on request, or by visiting the FSCS website at www.fscs.org.uk

Details on how to take your complaint to the Financial Ombudsman Service can also be found on the Online Dispute Resolution (ODR) platform <http://ec.europa.eu/consumers/odr>, which has been set up by the EU Commission.

Data protection notice

We are committed to protecting and respecting your privacy in accordance with the current Data Protection Legislation ("Legislation"). For the purposes of the Legislation, the Data Controller is AmTrust Europe Ltd. Below is a summary of the main ways in which we process your personal data, for more information please visit our website at amtrusteurope.com.

How we use your personal data and who we share it with

We may use the personal data we hold about you for the purposes of providing insurance, handling claims and any other related purposes (this may include underwriting decisions made via automated means), for offering renewal, research or statistical purposes and to provide you with information, products or services that you request from us or which we feel may interest you. We will also use your data to safeguard against fraud and money laundering and to meet our general legal or regulatory obligations.

Sensitive personal data

Some of the personal information, such as information relating to health or criminal convictions, may be required by us for the specific purposes of underwriting or as part of the claims handling process. The provision of such data is conditional for us to be able to provide insurance or manage a claim. Such data will only be used for the specific purposes set out in our notice.

Disclosure of your personal data

We may disclose your personal data to third parties involved in providing products OR services to us, or to service providers who perform services on our behalf. These include our group companies, affinity partners, brokers, agents, third party administrators, reinsurers, other insurance intermediaries, insurance reference bureaus, credit agencies, medical service providers, fraud detection agencies, loss adjusters, solicitors/barristers, accountants, regulatory authorities, and as may be required by law.

International transfers of data

We may disclose Your personal data to destinations outside the European Economic Area ("EEA"). Where we transfer your personal data outside of the EEA, we will ensure that it is treated securely and in accordance with the Legislation.

Your rights

You have the right to ask us not to process your data for marketing purposes, to see a copy of the personal information we hold about you, to have your data deleted (subject to certain exemptions), to have any inaccurate or misleading data corrected or deleted, to ask us to provide a copy of your data to any controller and to lodge a complaint with the local data protection authority.

Retention

Your data will not be retained for longer than is necessary and will be managed in accordance with our data retention policy. In most cases the retention period will be for a period of seven (7) years following the expiry of the insurance contract, or our business relationship with you, unless we are required to retain the data for a longer period due to business, legal or regulatory requirements. If you have any questions concerning our use of your personal data, please contact The Data Protection Officer, AmTrust International - please see website for full address details.