

# Rescue from Aviva Important Information

Please read the information below carefully and keep it for your future reference. Please note that a policy booklet will be issued with the policy, however a specimen copy is available on request. You can also view the full policy wording online at www.aviva.co.uk

# Important Notice – Information and changes we need to know about

You must take reasonable care to provide complete and accurate answers to the questions we ask. Please read any assumptions carefully and confirm if they apply to your circumstances.

If any of the information provided by you changes after you purchase your policy and during the period of your policy please provide us with details by contacting 0345 030 6922.

If the information provided by you is not complete and accurate:

- we may cancel your policy, or
- RAC may not pay any claim in full or in part, or
- · we may revise the premium, or
- the extent of the cover may be affected.

We recommend you keep a record (including copies of letters) of all information provided to us for your future reference.

## Data Protection - Privacy Notice

#### Personal Information

We collect and use personal information about you so that we can provide you with a policy that suits your insurance needs. This notice explains the most important aspects of how we use your information but you can get more information about the terms we use and view our full privacy policy at www.aviva.co.uk/privacypolicy or request a copy by writing to us at Aviva, Freepost, Mailing Exclusion Team, Unit 5, Wanlip Road Ind Est, Syston, Leicester LE7 1PD.

The data controller responsible for this personal information is Aviva Insurance Limited as the insurer of the product. Additional controllers include Aviva UK Digital Limited, who are responsible for the sale and distribution of the product and any applicable reinsurers.

#### Personal information we collect and how we use it

We will use personal information collected from you and obtained from other sources:

 to provide you with insurance: we need this to decide if we can offer insurance to you and if so on what terms and also to administer your policy, handle any claims and manage any renewal,

- to support legitimate interests that we have as a business:
- we need this to manage arrangements we have with reinsurers, for the detection and prevention of fraud,
- we also use personal information about you to help us better understand our customers and improve our customer engagement. This includes profiling and customer analytics which allows us to make certain predictions and assumptions about your interests, make correlations about our customers to improve our products and to suggest other products which may be relevant or of interest to customers, which includes marketing products and services to you,
- to meet any applicable legal or regulatory obligations: we need this to meet compliance requirements with our regulators (e.g. Financial Conduct Authority), to comply with law enforcement and to manage legal claims, and
- to carry out other activities that are in the public interest: for example we may need to use personal information to carry out anti-money laundering checks.

As well as collecting personal information about you, we may also use personal information about other people, for example family members you wish to insure on a policy. If you are providing information about another person we expect you to ensure that they know you are doing so and are content with their information being provided to us. You might find it helpful to show them this privacy notice and if they have any concerns please contact us in one of the ways described below.

The personal information we collect and use will include name, address and date of birth, financial information and details of your vehicle(s). If a claim is made we will also collect personal information about the claim from you and any relevant third parties. We may also need to ask for details relating to the health or any unspent offences or criminal convictions of you or somebody else covered under your policy. We recognise that information about health and offences or criminal convictions is particularly sensitive information. Where appropriate, we will ask for consent to collect and use this information.

If we need consent to use personal information for a specific reason, we will make this clear to you when you complete an application or submit a claim. If you give us consent to using personal information, you are free to withdraw this at any time by contacting us – refer to the "Contacting us" details below. Please note that if consent to use this information is withdrawn we will not be able to continue to process the information you gave us for this/these purpose(s). This would not affect our use of the information where consent is not required.

Of course, you don't have to provide us with any personal information, but if you don't provide the information we need we may not be able to proceed with your application or any claim you make.

Some of the information we use as part of this application may be provided to us by a third party. This may include information already held about you and your vehicle(s) within the Aviva group, including details from previous quotes and claims, information we obtain from publicly available records, our trusted third parties and from industry databases, including fraud prevention agencies and databases.

#### **Credit Searches**

To ensure we have the necessary facts to assess your insurance risk, verify your identity, help prevent fraud and provide you with our best premium and payment options, we may need to obtain information relating to you at quotation, renewal and in certain circumstances where policy amendments are requested. We or our agents may:

- undertake checks against publicly available information (such as electoral roll, county court judgments, bankruptcy orders or repossession(s). Similar checks may be made when assessing claims,
- carry out a quotation search from a credit reference agency (CRA) which will appear on your credit report and be visible to other credit providers. It will be clear that this is a quotation search rather than a credit application.

Where you agree to pay monthly under an Aviva credit agreement, the status of your quotation search from our credit reference agency (CRA) will be updated to reflect your credit application and this will be visible to other credit providers. CRA's may keep a record of this search.

In order to assess your application we will supply your personal information to our CRA and they will give us information about you, such as about your financial history. We do this to assess creditworthiness and product suitability, check your identity, manage your account, trace and recover debts and prevent criminal activity. We will also continue to exchange information about you with CRA's on an ongoing basis, including about your settled accounts and any debts not fully repaid on time. CRA's will share your information with other organisations. Your data will also be linked to the data of your spouse, any joint applicants or other financial associates.

The identity of our CRA and the ways in which they use and share personal information, are explained in more detail at www.callcredit.co.uk/crain.

#### Automated decision making

We carry out automated decision making to decide whether we can provide insurance to you and on what terms and to carry out fraud checks. In particular, we use an automated underwriting engine to process the personal information you provide as part of this application process. This will include information such as, address, post code, age, marital status and employment details of you and any other drivers as well as details of your vehicle(s) and any relevant health or conviction data. The automated engine may validate the information you provide against other records we hold about you in our systems and third party databases, including public databases. We may also supplement the information you provide with information from third parties who can provide more information about your vehicle (for example through DVLA databases). We do this

to calculate the insurance risk and how much the cover will cost you. Without this information we are unable to provide a price that is relevant to your individual circumstances and needs. We regularly check the way our underwriting engine works to ensure we are being fair to our customers. After the automatic decision has been made, you have the right to speak to someone from Aviva who may review the decision and provide a more detailed explanation. If you wish to invoke this right please contact us at dataprt@aviva.com or call us on 0345 030 6922.

#### On-line information

When you visit one of our websites, we may record information about your computer or mobile device, including hardware and software used, general location, when and how you interact with our websites. This information is used to note your interest in our websites, improve customer journeys, determine pricing and/or offer you available discounts.

#### How we share your personal information with others

We may share your personal information:

- with the Aviva group, our agents and third parties who
  provide services to us, and other insurers (either directly
  or via those acting for the insurer such as loss adjusters or
  investigators) to help us administer our products and services,
- with regulatory bodies and law enforcement bodies, including the police, e.g. if we are required to do so to comply with a relevant legal or regulatory obligation,
- with other organisations including insurers, public bodies and the police (either directly or using shared databases) for fraud prevention and detection purposes,
- with reinsurers who provide reinsurance services to Aviva and for each other. Reinsurers will use your data to decide whether to provide reinsurance cover, assess and deal with reinsurance claims and to meet legal obligations. They will keep your data for the period necessary for these purposes and may need to disclose it to other companies within their group, their agents and third party service providers, law enforcement and regulatory bodies.

Some of the organisations we share information with may be located outside of the European Economic Area ("EEA"). We'll always take steps to ensure that any transfer of information outside of Europe is carefully managed to protect your privacy rights. For more information on this please see our Privacy Policy or contact us.

#### Marketing

We also use personal information we hold about you across the Aviva Group to help us identify and tailor products and services that may be of interest to you. We will only communicate with you in accordance with any marketing preferences you have provided to us. We will continue to do this after your policy has ended.

If you wish to amend your marketing preferences, change how you would like us to communicate with you or tell us to stop marketing to you, you can do so in the following ways:

Update in MyAviva

- Contact us by:
  - phone: 01603 622200 or +44 1603 604999 (from abroad)
  - email: helpdesk@aviva.co.uk
  - Post: Aviva, Freepost, Mailing Exclusion Team, Unit 5, Wanlip Road Ind Est, Syston, Leicester, LE7 1PD

#### How long we keep your personal information for

We maintain a retention policy to ensure we only keep personal information for as long as we reasonably need it for the purposes explained in this notice. We need to keep information for the period necessary to administer your insurance and deal with claims and queries on your policy. We may also need to keep information after our relationship with you has ended, for example to ensure we have an accurate record in the event of any complaints or challenges, carry out relevant fraud checks, or where we are required to do so for legal, regulatory or tax purposes. We will also use this information for marketing purposes.

#### Your rights

You have various rights in relation to your personal information, including the right to request access to your personal information, correct any mistakes on our records, erase or restrict records where they are no longer required, object to use of personal information based on legitimate business interests including profiling and marketing, ask not to be subject to automated decision making if the decision produces legal or other significant effects on you, and data portability. For more details in relation to your rights, including how to exercise them, please see our full privacy policy or contact us – refer to the "Contacting us" details below.

#### Contacting us

If you have any questions about how we use personal information, or if you want to exercise your rights stated above, please contact our Data Protection team by either emailing them at dataprt@aviva.com or writing to the Data Protection Officer, Level 4, Pitheavlis, Perth PH2 ONH.

If you have a complaint or concern about how we use your personal information, please contact us in the first instance and we will attempt to resolve the issue as soon as possible. You also have the right to lodge a complaint with the Information Commissioners Office at any time.

#### Fraud prevention and detection

In order to prevent and detect fraud we may at any time:

- share information about you with other organisations and public bodies including the police;
- undertake credit searches and additional fraud searches;
- check and/or file your details with fraud prevention agencies and databases, and if you give us false or inaccurate information and we suspect fraud, we will record this to prevent fraud and money laundering.

We can supply on request further details of the agencies and databases we access or contribute to and how this information may be used. If you require further details please contact us at: Policy Investigation Unit, Aviva, Cruan Business Centre, Westerhill Business Park, 123 Westerhill Road, Bishopbriggs, Glasgow G64 2QR. Telephone: 0345 300 0597. Email: PIUUKDI@AVIVA.COM

We and other organisations may also search these agencies and databases to:

- help make decisions about the provision and administration of insurance, credit and related services for you and members of your household;
- trace debtors or beneficiaries, recover debt, prevent fraud and to manage your accounts or insurance policies;
- check your identity to prevent money laundering, unless you provide us with other satisfactory proof of identity.
- check details of job applicants and employees.

You should show these notices to anyone who has an interest in the insurance under the policy.

### If You Have a Complaint

We hope that you will be very happy with the service that we provide. However, if for any reason you are unhappy with it, we would like to hear from you. In the first instance, if your complaint is regarding this insurance please contact RAC on 0330 159 0360, or if your complaint is regarding anything else please contact Aviva on 0345 030 6922.

We are covered by the Financial Ombudsman Service. If you have complained to us and we have been unable to resolve your complaint, you may refer it to this independent body. Following the complaints procedure does not affect your right to take legal action.

If you have taken a product out with us online or by telephone, you can also use the European Commission's Online Dispute Resolution (http://ec.europa.eu/odr) service to make a complaint. The purpose of this platform is to identify a suitable Alternative Dispute Resolution (ADR) provider and we expect that this will be the Financial Ombudsman Service. Please be aware that the Financial Ombudsman Service will only be able to consider your complaint after we have had the opportunity to consider and resolve it.

## Renewing Your Insurance

We will contact you in writing at least 21 days before your renewal date and will either:

- 1. give you an opportunity to renew your insurance for a further year and tell you:
  - about any changes we are making to the terms and conditions of your policy;
  - to review your circumstances and consider whether this insurance continues to meet your needs;
  - to check that the information you have provided us with is still correct, and tell us if anything has changed; and
  - the price for the next year.

If you wish to make any changes at renewal, please contact Aviva on 0345 030 6922.

Or

- 2. let you know that we are unable to renew your insurance. Reasons why this may happen include but are not limited to the following:
  - when the product is no longer available; or
  - when we are no longer prepared to offer you insurance for reasons such as:
    - we reasonably suspect fraud;
    - your claims history;
    - we have changed our acceptance criteria;
    - you are no longer eligible for cover; and/or
    - where you have not taken reasonable care to provide complete and accurate answers to the questions we ask.
       See the 'Important Notice - Information and changes we need to know about' section within this document.

A cooling off period (14 days from renewal of the contract or the day on which you receive your renewal documentation, whichever is the later) applies at the renewal of your insurance. Please read 'Your cancellation rights' in your policy booklet which explains how this works.

## Automatic renewal of your policy

Where we have offered you renewal terms and you select or have selected a continuous premium payment method, you will be notified in writing at least 21 days before your renewal date that the policy will automatically be renewed and the renewal premium will again be collected from your specified bank account or credit/debit card.

We will not automatically renew your policy if:-

• you have contacted us to cancel your continuous payment authority since you purchased the policy or your last renewal;

 we no longer offer you the continuous payment method if, for example, you have a poor payment history or an adverse credit history.

If either of the above happens we will advise you of this in your renewal letter and you will need to contact us to make payment before we can renew your policy.

## Our regulatory status

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#### Choice of law

The parties are free to choose the law applicable to Rescue from Aviva cover. Unless specifically agreed to the contrary, this contract will be subject to the laws of England and Wales.

## Telephone call charges and recording

Calls to 0800 numbers from UK landlines and mobiles are free. The cost of calls to 03 prefixed numbers are charged at national call rates (charges may vary dependent on your network provider) and are usually included in inclusive minute plans from landlines and mobiles. For our joint protection telephone calls may be recorded and/or monitored.



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