# Change Summary Document – Home Policy – July 2024

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Welcome to your Stylecover Home Residential Policy	The documents that make up your insurance policy 2. Your policy schedule. It gives details specific to you, including who and what is insured, when cover starts and ends, and the premium you've agreed to pay. The policy schedule also includes any special terms that might apply, which might also detail things that we do and don't cover.	3	The documents that make up your insurance policy 2. Your policy schedule. It gives details specific to you, including who and what is insured, and when cover starts and ends. The policy schedule also includes any special terms that might apply, which might also detail things that we do and don't cover.	3
Cover Option – Premier Benefits we include in your cover – Benefit table	Benefit Natural disaster	5	Benefit Natural hazard	5
Cover Option — Premier Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable	Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable.  If you own and live in your home, we'll cover your reasonably incurred extra costs for temporary accommodation if you can't live in your home because it is uninhabitable due to:  • loss this policy covers  • loss to the home that happens during the period of insurance that is covered entirely by the Earthquake Commission  • prevention of access to the home by government or local authorities which is initiated during the period of insurance because of possible or impending damage to an otherwise safe or sanitary home.  The temporary accommodation must be of a similar standard to your home.  This cover includes boarding your domestic pets, storing your contents, and moving your contents to and from storage or temporary accommodation.	6	Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable.  If you own and live in your home, we'll cover your reasonably incurred extra costs for temporary accommodation if you can't live in your home because it is uninhabitable due to:  • loss this policy covers  • loss to the home that happens during the period of insurance that is covered entirely by Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards  Commission (NHC)  • prevention of access to the home by government or local authorities which is initiated during the period of insurance because of possible or impending damage to an otherwise safe or sanitary home.  The temporary accommodation must be of a similar standard to your home.  This cover includes boarding your domestic pets, storing your contents, and moving your contents to and from storage or temporary accommodation.	6

	We'll cover up to 12 months of temporary accommodation. We may choose to remove the 12-month limit if there's a widespread natural disaster.		We'll cover up to 12 months of temporary accommodation. If a natural hazard causes a widespread event, we may choose to remove the 12-month limit.	
	For any one event, we'll pay up to 5% of your <i>sum insured</i> on your <i>schedule</i> or \$50,000, whichever is greater.		For any one event, we'll pay up to 5% of your <i>sum insured</i> on your <i>schedule</i> or \$50,000, whichever is greater.	
Cover Option – Premier Situations where the benefit won't apply	Situations where this benefit won't apply This benefit will never apply if: • your home is not uninhabitable (other than when authorities stop you from accessing your home as outlined above) • we haven't agreed in writing that it's necessary for you to move out of your home while it's repaired or rebuilt • the loss covered by the Earthquake Commission is only loss to land.	6	Situations where this benefit won't apply This benefit will never apply if: • your home is not uninhabitable (other than when authorities stop you from accessing your home as outlined above) • we haven't agreed in writing that it's necessary for you to move out of your home while it's repaired or rebuilt • the loss covered by NHC is only loss to land.	6
Cover Option – Premier Environmental improvements — we'll pay for home improvements that make your home more environmentally friendly	Environmental improvements — we'll pay for home improvements that make your home more environmentally friendly We'll pay up to \$3,500 for the extra costs associated with buying and installing new environmental improvements to your home. Environmental improvements are alterations or additions to your home to help protect or conserve the environment — such as rainwater tanks, solar systems, and compost equipment.	7	Environmental improvements — we'll pay for home improvements that make your home more environmentally friendly We'll pay up to \$3,500 for the extra costs associated with buying and installing new environmental improvements to your home. Environmental improvements are alterations or additions to your home to help protect or conserve the environment — such as rainwater tanks, solar power systems, and compost equipment.	7
Cover Option – Premier Natural disaster	Natural disaster — we'll cover natural disasters along with EQC The Earthquake Commission (EQC) provides some natural disaster cover for homes under the Earthquake Commission Act (the EQC Act). If loss to your home is caused by natural disaster, any cover under this policy depends upon whether there is cover for your home under the EQC Act.  Loss to parts of your home which EQC insures Where loss to your home is caused by natural disaster, we'll pay up to a maximum of the difference between these two amounts:  • the cost of repairing or rebuilding your home • the amount payable under the EQC Act less any excess we usually charge.  EQC must have done both of the following.	9	Natural hazard — we'll cover natural hazards along with NHC Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (NHC) provides some natural hazard cover for homes under the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023 (the NHI Act). If loss to your home is caused by natural hazard, any cover under this policy depends upon whether there is cover for your home under the NHI Act.  Loss to parts of your home which NHC insures Where loss to your home is caused by natural hazard, we'll pay up to a maximum of the difference between these two amounts:  • the cost of repairing or rebuilding your home • the amount payable under the NHI Act less any excess we usually charge.  NHC must have done both of the following:	9
	EQC must have done both of the following.  • Accepted liability for your claim.		NHC must have done both of the following:  • accepted liability for your claim  • already paid the maximum under the NHI Act for the loss.	

Cover Option – Premier Power generation equipment	Power generation equipment — we'll cover wind- or fuel- powered generation equipment We'll pay up to \$10,000 during the <i>period of insurance</i> for <i>loss</i> to power generation equipment if it results from any of the	10	Power generation equipment — we'll cover wind- or fuel- powered generation equipment We'll pay up to \$10,000 during the <i>period of insurance</i> for <i>loss</i> to power generation equipment if it results from any of the following.	10
7Cover Option – Premier New building work — we'll cover structures and materials if you do new building work	Insured The most you will receive for loss caused by natural disaster from EQC and us combined is your sum insured.  New building work — we'll cover structures and materials if you do new building work We cover new building work for accidental loss caused by:  • fire, explosion, or lightning  • impact by a vehicle or animal  • impact from aircraft or other aerial or spatial device (like a drone or a satellite), or articles dropped or falling from them  • natural disaster  • riot, civil commotion, strikes, or labour disturbance  • storm or flood (excluding any exposure to normal weather conditions).	10	these parts of your home.  The total you receive for loss caused by natural hazard is limited to your sum insured  The most you will receive for loss caused by natural hazard from NHC and us combined is your sum insured.  New building work — we'll cover structures and materials if you do new building work  We cover new building work for accidental loss caused by:  • fire, explosion, or lightning  • impact by a vehicle or animal  • impact from aircraft or other aerial or spatial device (like a drone or a satellite), or articles dropped or falling from them  • natural hazard  • riot, civil commotion, strikes, or labour disturbance  • storm or flood (excluding any exposure to normal weather conditions).	10
	<ul> <li>Already paid the maximum under the EQC Act for the loss. We don't cover any excess charged by EQC.</li> <li>Loss to parts of your home which EQC does not insure</li> <li>Under the EQC Act, EQC does not insure some parts of your home. We'll pay for loss caused by natural disaster to the following permanently installed items which EQC does not cover.</li> <li>Drains, pipes, and cables.</li> <li>Driveways, paths, patios, fences, and walls (apart from retaining walls covered by the 'Retaining walls' benefit).</li> <li>Swimming or spa pools.</li> <li>Tennis courts.</li> <li>An additional excess of \$5,000 applies to amounts we pay for these parts of your home.</li> <li>The total you receive for natural disaster is limited to your sum</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>excess charged by NHC</li> <li>loss that NHC has determined to be imminent damage under the NHI Act.</li> <li>Loss to parts of your home which NHC does not insure</li> <li>Under the NHI Act, NHC does not insure some parts of your home. We'll pay for loss caused by natural hazard to the following permanently installed items which NHC does not cover:</li> <li>drains, pipes, and cables</li> <li>driveways, paths, patios, fences, and walls (apart from retaining walls covered by the 'Retaining walls' benefit)</li> <li>external swimming or spa pools</li> <li>tennis courts.</li> </ul> An additional excess of \$5,000 applies to amounts we pay for	

Cover Option – Premier Power generation	<ul> <li>Fire, explosion, or lightning.</li> <li>Impact by a vehicle or animal.</li> <li>Impact from aircraft or other aerial or spatial device (such as a drone or satellite), or articles dropped from them.</li> <li>Natural disaster.</li> <li>How we define power generation equipment</li> <li>Power generation equipment is any wind- or fuel-powered equipment for generating electricity.</li> </ul>	11	<ul> <li>Fire, explosion, or lightning.</li> <li>Impact by a vehicle or animal.</li> <li>Impact from aircraft or other aerial or spatial device (such as a drone or satellite), or articles dropped from them.</li> <li>Natural hazard.</li> <li>How we define power generation equipment</li> <li>Power generation equipment is any wind- or fuel-powered equipment for generating electricity.</li> </ul>	11
equipment — we'll cover wind- or fuel- powered generation equipment	It includes any support structure, generator, power storage and associated wiring, switching and distribution equipment.  Solar panels are not covered under this benefit — they're included in your cover as part of your <i>home</i> .		It includes any support structure, generator, power storage and associated wiring, switching and distribution equipment.  Solar power systems are not covered under this benefit — they're included in your cover as part of your <i>home</i> .	
Cover Option — Premier Property owner's liability — we'll cover your legal liability if you cause loss, damage, or injury	Landlord's liability As a landlord you have responsibilities under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015. If you fail to comply with these and a judgment is made against you under the Act, we'll pay an award due to accidental bodily injury. We'll do this as long as you have met the cover requirements above and your home is tenanted.	11	Landlord's liability – we'll cover an award for bodily injury if you are liable as a landlord under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015  As a landlord you have responsibilities under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015. If you fail to meet these responsibilities and a judgment due to accidental bodily injury is made against you under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015, we'll cover the award you have to pay. We'll do this as long as you have met the cover requirements above and your home is tenanted.	11
Cover Option — Premier Property owner's liability — we'll cover your legal liability if you cause loss, damage, or injury	What we won't pay under Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability  We won't pay for any punitive or exemplary damages awarded against you.  We won't pay for legal liability:  • for loss to property that you own or that is under your control  • arising from:  — any business, profession, or employment, except where cover is provided under 'Landlord's liability' above  — the ownership, possession or use of any mechanically propelled vehicle, trailer, aircraft, or boat  — the ownership and/or possession of any animals, other than domestic pets.  Limits on what we'll pay for Property owner's liability and	11	What we won't pay under Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability  We won't pay for any punitive or exemplary damages awarded against you.  We won't pay for legal liability:  • for loss to property that you own or that is under your control  • arising from:  — any business, profession, trade, or employment, except where cover is provided under 'Landlord's liability' above  — any other activity for financial reward whether for profit or not  — the ownership, possession or use of any mechanically propelled vehicle, trailer, aircraft, or boat  — the ownership or possession of any animals, other than domestic pets.	11
	Landlord's liability  For any one event, we'll pay:  • for loss to someone else's property, up to \$2,000,000		Limits on what we'll pay for Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability For any one event, we'll pay:	

• for *bodily injury*, up to \$1,000,000. • for loss to someone else's property, up to \$2,000,000 The most we'll pay for all legal liabilities for an award, damages • for *bodily injury*, up to \$1,000,000. and reparation is a combined total of \$2,000,000 during any period of insurance. The most we'll pay during any period of insurance is a combined total of \$2,000,000 for all legal liabilities for: If you have other insurance with us that may cover liability for an award (relating to the Health and Safety at Work Act the same event, we'll still only pay up to the limits above. 2015) damages We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay reparation. damages Where you're legally liable to pay damages, and we've given you If you have other insurance with us that may cover liability for the our agreement in writing beforehand, we'll also pay your legal same event, we'll still only pay up to the limits above. defence costs and expenses incurred. We won't pay legal defence costs and expenses in relation to an offence, or when you're We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay legally liable to pay reparation. damages Where you're legally liable to pay damages, and we've given you We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay our written agreement beforehand, we'll also pay your legal an award defence costs and expenses incurred. We won't pay legal defence Where you're legally liable to pay an award under the Health and costs and expenses in relation to an offence, or when you're Safety at Work Act 2015, and we've given you our agreement in legally liable to pay reparation. writing beforehand, we'll also pay your legal defence costs and expenses incurred. We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay an award Where you're legally liable to pay an award under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015, and we've given you our written agreement beforehand, we'll also pay your legal defence costs and expenses incurred. Cover Option -Retaining walls — we'll cover walls that retain land 12 Retaining walls — we'll cover walls that retain land 12 Premier We'll pay up to \$80,000 for loss to retaining walls for any one We'll cover *loss* to retaining walls. This includes your share in event. This includes your share in retaining walls that you jointly Retaining walls - we'll retaining walls that you jointly own with other property owners. cover walls that retain own with other property owners. To be covered, the retaining walls must meet all the following land To be covered, the retaining walls must meet all the following criteria. • Be complete — we don't cover retaining walls unless they were criteria. • Be complete — we don't cover retaining walls if they were complete, reasonably maintained, and functioning as intended incomplete or were not functioning or reasonably maintained immediately before the loss occurred. • Have the sole purpose of retaining land (meaning their purpose when the loss occurred. • Have the sole purpose of retaining land (meaning their purpose doesn't include repelling water of any kind). doesn't include repelling water of any kind). • Had all necessary permits, consents, and certificates from local • Have all necessary permits, consents, and certificates from local authorities when they were built, and whenever they were authorities. altered.

• Have been damaged in a single *accidental* event — we don't cover gradual damage to retaining walls.

We'll pay for the cost of repairing the wall to the condition it was in immediately before the *loss*.

We'll also pay for the following things if they are directly necessary for the work to the retaining wall or part of the retaining wall that has suffered *loss*.

- Gaining access to the wall.
- Stabilising the soil.
- Providing footings and drainage materials.

## We may pay more for retaining walls if they're valued over \$80,000

We may pay more than \$80,000 to repair retaining walls, if:

- when making a claim you give us a valuation for your property, issued by a qualified valuation or construction expert or professional, like a quantity surveyor, qualified valuer, or builder
- the valuation was done before the *loss*
- the valuation separately identifies the replacement value for all retaining walls
- your *sum insured* reflects the total replacement value for your *home* as shown in the valuation.

If all the above circumstances apply, we'll pay up to the value of the retaining walls identified in the valuation.

#### How we define replacement value

When we say replacement value in this benefit, we mean the amount that would be required to completely rebuild your *home* to the *replacement condition* if your *home* was totally destroyed.

Any amount we pay under this benefit, we'll pay out of your *sum* insured.

• Have been damaged in a single *accidental* event — we don't cover gradual damage to retaining walls.

We'll pay for the following things if they are directly necessary for the work to the retaining wall or part of the retaining wall that has suffered loss:

- gaining access to the wall
- stabilising the soil
- providing footings and drainage materials.

We'll repair or rebuild the retaining wall to the *replacement* condition.

We won't pay for any undamaged parts of the retaining wall.

The most we'll pay for *loss* to retaining walls is \$80,000 for any one event.

## We may pay more for retaining walls if they're valued over \$80,000

We may pay more than \$80,000 to repair or replace retaining walls, if:

- when making a claim you give us a valuation for your property, issued by a qualified valuation or construction expert or professional, like a quantity surveyor, qualified valuer, or builder
- the valuation was done before the *loss*
- the valuation separately identifies the replacement value for all retaining walls
- your *sum insured* reflects the total replacement value for your *home* as shown in the valuation.

If all the above circumstances apply, we'll pay up to the value of the retaining walls identified in the valuation.

### How we define replacement value

When we say replacement value in this benefit, we mean the amount that would be required to completely rebuild your *home* to the *replacement condition* if your *home* was totally destroyed.

			We'll top up the cover provided by NHC  If loss to retaining walls arises from natural hazard, we'll pay this benefit in addition to cover provided under the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023 (the NHI Act).  Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (NHC) must have done both of the following:  • accepted liability for your claim for damage to the retaining wall  • already paid the maximum entitlement under the NHI Act for the loss.  Any amount we pay under this benefit, we'll pay out of your sum	
Cover Option – Premier Stolen keys — we'll pay to replace stolen or lost keys and re-set keypads	Stolen keys — we'll pay to replace stolen or lost keys and re-set keypads We'll pay reasonable costs to change or replace locks and keys or change the electronic keypad's entry code, if any of the following happen.	13	insured.  Stolen keys — we'll pay to replace stolen keys and re-set keypads  We'll pay reasonable costs to change or replace locks and keys or change the electronic keypad's entry code, if any of the following happen.	13
Cover Option – Premier SumExtra	SumExtra — we may pay more than the sum insured Under this benefit, if the replacement cost for your home is more than the sum insured, we'll pay one of the following.  • The part of the replacement cost that exceeds the sum insured, if the loss arises from any cause we cover other than natural disaster.  • Up to an extra 10% of the sum insured towards the replacement cost if the loss arises from natural disaster.	13	SumExtra — we may pay more than the sum insured Under this benefit, if the replacement cost for your home is more than the sum insured, we'll pay one of the following.  • The part of the replacement cost that exceeds the sum insured, if the loss arises from any cause we cover other than natural hazard.  • Up to an extra 10% of the sum insured towards the replacement cost if the loss arises from natural hazard.	13
Cover Option – Premier SumExtra	Conditions for qualifying for SumExtra 6. You may have increased the size or improved the quality of your home since you obtained your written estimate of costs. In this case, you must have increased the sum insured in line with the increase in the rebuilding cost of your home. If you haven't, we'll pay only up to an extra 10% of your sum insured. That's regardless of whether the loss is caused by natural disaster or any other event we insure against.	14	Conditions for qualifying for SumExtra 6. You may have increased the size or improved the quality of your home since you obtained your written estimate of costs. In this case, you must have increased the sum insured in line with the increase in the rebuilding cost of your home. If you haven't, we'll pay only up to an extra 10% of your sum insured. That's regardless of whether the loss is caused by natural hazard or any other event we insure against.	14

Cover Option – Premier Optional benefit – the additional cover you can choose - Landlord's extension — for tenanted properties Loss of rent due to loss covered by this policy	Loss of rent due to loss covered by this policy We'll pay or reimburse you for loss of rent if your home is uninhabitable for either of the following reasons.  • Loss covered by this policy, or that would be covered by this policy but is instead covered by EQC because of the Earthquake Commission Act 1993.  • Prevention of access to the home by government or local authorities which is initiated during the period of insurance because of possible or impending damage to an otherwise safe or sanitary home.	16	Loss of rent due to loss covered by this policy We'll pay or reimburse you for loss of rent if your home is uninhabitable for any of the following reasons.  Loss covered by this policy.  Loss that would be covered by this policy but is instead covered by Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission because of the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023.  Prevention of access to the home by government or local authorities which is initiated during the period of insurance because of possible or impending damage to an otherwise safe or	16
Cover Option - Restricted	Cover Option – Restricted  If your schedule shows you have Cover Option – Restricted, we'll cover you for specific types of loss to your home at the address on your schedule. Any loss must happen during the period of insurance and arise only from the following events.  • Natural disaster.	17	sanitary home.  Cover Option – Restricted  If your schedule shows you have Cover Option – Restricted, we'll cover you for specific types of loss to your home at the address on your schedule. Any loss must happen during the period of insurance and arise only from the following events.  • Natural hazard.	17
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Cover Option – Restricted Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable	Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable  If you own and live in your home, we'll cover your reasonably incurred extra costs for temporary accommodation if you can't live in your home because it is uninhabitable due to:  • loss this policy covers  • loss to the home that happens during the period of insurance, that is covered entirely by the Earthquake Commission   We'll cover up to 12 months of temporary accommodation. We may choose to remove the 12-month limit if there's a widespread natural disaster.  For any one event, we'll pay up to 5% of your sum insured on your schedule or \$50,000, whichever is greater.	18	Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable  If you own and live in your home, we'll cover your reasonably incurred extra costs for temporary accommodation if you can't live in your home because it is uninhabitable due to:  • loss this policy covers  • loss to the home that happens during the period of insurance, that is covered entirely by Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards  Commission (NHC)   We'll cover up to 12 months of temporary accommodation. If a natural hazard causes a widespread event, we may choose to remove the 12-month limit.  For any one event, we'll pay up to 5% of your sum insured on your schedule or \$50,000, whichever is greater.	18

Cover Option – Restricted Alternative accommodation — we'll pay for temporary accommodation if your home is uninhabitable	Situations where this benefit won't apply This benefit will never apply if: • your home is not uninhabitable (other than when authorities stop you from accessing your home as outlined above) • we haven't agreed in writing that it's necessary for you to move out of your home while it's repaired or rebuilt • the loss covered by the Earthquake Commission is only loss to land.	18	Situations where this benefit won't apply This benefit will never apply if: • your home is not uninhabitable (other than when authorities stop you from accessing your home as outlined above) • we haven't agreed in writing that it's necessary for you to move out of your home while it's repaired or rebuilt • the loss covered by NHC is only loss to land.	18
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	The total you receive for natural disaster is limited to your sum insured The most you will receive for loss caused by natural disaster from EQC and us combined is your sum insured.  All other policy terms and conditions apply to this benefit, along with the basis for settling claims.		<ul> <li>tennis courts.</li> <li>An additional excess of \$5,000 applies to amounts we pay for these parts of your home.</li> <li>The total you receive for loss caused by natural hazard is limited to your sum insured</li> <li>The most you will receive for loss caused by natural hazard from NHC and us combined is your sum insured.</li> <li>All other policy terms and conditions apply to this benefit, along with the basis for settling claims.</li> </ul>	
Cover Option — Restricted Property owner's liability	Landlord's liability As a landlord you have responsibilities under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015. If you fail to comply with these and a judgment is made against you under the Act, we'll pay an award due to accidental bodily injury. We'll do this as long as you have met the cover requirements above and your home is tenanted.	19	Landlord's liability – we'll cover an award for bodily injury if you are liable as a landlord under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015  As a landlord you have responsibilities under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015. If you fail to meet these responsibilities and a judgment due to accidental bodily injury is made against you under the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015, we'll cover the award you have to pay. We'll do this as long as you have met the cover requirements above and your home is tenanted.	20
Cover Option — Restricted Property owner's liability — we'll cover your legal liability if you cause loss, damage, or injury	What we won't pay under Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability  We won't pay for any punitive or exemplary damages awarded against you.  We won't pay for legal liability:  • for loss to property that you own or that is under your control  • arising from:  – any business, profession, or employment, except where cover is provided under 'Landlord's liability' above  – the ownership, possession or use of any mechanically propelled vehicle, trailer, aircraft, or boat  – the ownership and/or possession of any animals, other than domestic pets.	19/20	What we won't pay under Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability  We won't pay for any punitive or exemplary damages awarded against you.  We won't pay for legal liability:  • for loss to property that you own or that is under your control  • arising from:  - any business, profession, trade, or employment, except where cover is provided under 'Landlord's liability' above  - any other activity for financial reward whether for profit or not  - the ownership, possession or use of any mechanically propelled vehicle, trailer, aircraft, or boat  - the ownership or possession of any animals, other than domestic pets.	20
Cover Option — Restricted Property owner's liability — we'll cover your legal liability if you	Limits on what we'll pay for Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability  For any one event, we'll pay:  • for loss to someone else's property, up to \$2,000,000  • for bodily injury, up to \$1,000,000.	20	Limits on what we'll pay for Property owner's liability and Landlord's liability  For any one event, we'll pay:  • for loss to someone else's property, up to \$2,000,000  • for bodily injury, up to \$1,000,000.	20 & 21

cause loss, damage, or	The most we'll pay for all legal liabilities for an award, damages			
injury	and reparation is a combined total of \$2,000,000 during any period of insurance.		The most we'll pay during any <i>period of insurance</i> is a combined total of \$2,000,000 for all legal liabilities for:	
	If you have other insurance with us that may cover liability for		<ul> <li>an award (relating to the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015)</li> </ul>	
	the same event, we will still only pay up to the limits above.		• damages	
	the same event, we win still only pay up to the limits above.		• reparation.	
	We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay		- reparation.	
	damages		If you have other insurance with us that may cover liability for the	
	Where you're legally liable to pay damages, and we've given you our agreement in writing beforehand, we'll also pay your legal		same event, we will still only pay up to the limits above.	
	defence costs and expenses incurred. We won't pay legal defence		We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay	
	costs and expenses in relation to an offence, or when you're		damages	
	legally liable to pay reparation.		Where you're legally liable to pay damages, and we've given you our written agreement beforehand, we'll also pay your legal	
	We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay		defence costs and expenses incurred. We won't pay legal defence	
	an award		costs and expenses in relation to an offence, or when you're	
	Where you're legally liable to pay an <i>award</i> under the Health and		legally liable to pay reparation.	
	Safety at Work Act 2015, and we've given you our agreement in			
	writing beforehand, we'll also pay your legal defence costs and expenses incurred.		We also pay legal defence costs if you are legally liable to pay an	
	expenses incurred.		award	
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			agreement beforehand, we'll also pay your legal defence costs	
			and expenses incurred.	
Cover Option –	Retaining walls — we'll cover walls that retain land	20	Retaining walls — we'll cover walls that retain land	21
Restricted	We'll pay up to \$15,000 for <i>loss</i> to retaining walls for any one		We'll cover loss to retaining walls. This includes your share in	
Retaining walls — we'll	event. This includes your share in retaining walls that you jointly		retaining walls that you jointly own with other property owners.	
cover walls that retain land	own with other property owners.		To be covered, the retaining walls must meet all the following criteria.	
	To be covered, the retaining walls must meet all the following		• Be complete — we don't cover retaining walls unless they were	
	criteria.		complete, reasonably maintained, and functioning as intended	
	• Be complete — we don't cover retaining walls if they were		immediately before the <i>loss</i> occurred.	
	incomplete, or were not functioning or reasonably maintained when the <i>loss</i> occurred.		• Have the sole purpose of retaining land (meaning their purpose doesn't include repelling water of any kind).	
	Have the sole purpose of retaining land (meaning their purpose)		Had all necessary permits, consents, and certificates from local	
	doesn't include repelling water of any kind).		authorities when they were built, and whenever they were	
	Have all necessary permits, consents, and certificates from local		altered.	
	authorities.		• Have been damaged in a single accidental event — we don't	
			cover gradual damage to retaining walls.	

	Have been damaged in a single accidental event — we don't cover gradual damage to retaining walls.		We'll pay for the following things if they are directly necessary for the work to the retaining wall or part of the retaining wall that has suffered <i>loss</i> :	
	We'll pay for the cost of repairing the wall to the condition it was in immediately before the <i>loss</i> .		<ul> <li>gaining access to the wall</li> <li>stabilising the soil</li> <li>providing footings and drainage materials.</li> </ul>	
	We'll also pay for the following things if they are directly necessary for the work to the retaining wall or part of the retaining wall that has suffered <i>loss</i> .  • Gaining access to the wall.		We'll repair or rebuild the retaining wall to the <i>replacement</i> condition.	
	Stabilising the soil.     Providing footings and drainage materials.		We won't pay for any undamaged parts of the retaining wall.	
	Any amount we pay under this benefit, we'll pay out of your <i>sum insured</i> .		The most we'll pay for <i>loss</i> to retaining walls is \$15,000 for any one event.	
			We'll top up the cover provided by NHC	
			If <i>loss</i> to retaining walls arises from <i>natural hazard</i> , we'll pay this benefit in addition to cover provided under the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023 (the NHI Act).	
			Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (NHC) must have done both of the following:	
			accepted liability for your claim for damage to the retaining wall	
			• already paid the maximum entitlement under the NHI Act for the <i>loss</i> .	
			Any amount we pay under this benefit, we'll pay out of your <i>sum insured</i> .	
Cover Option – Restricted SumExtra — we may pay more than the sum insured	SumExtra — we may pay more than the sum insured Under this benefit, if the replacement cost for your home is more than the sum insured, we'll pay one of the following.  • The part of the replacement cost that exceeds the sum insured, if the loss arises from any cause we cover other than natural disaster.  • Up to an extra 10% of the sum insured towards the replacement cost if the loss arises from natural disaster.	21	SumExtra — we may pay more than the sum insured Under this benefit, if the replacement cost for your home is more than the sum insured, we'll pay one of the following. • The part of the replacement cost that exceeds the sum insured, if the loss arises from any cause we cover other than natural hazard. • Up to an extra 10% of the sum insured towards the replacement cost if the loss arises from natural hazard.	21 & 22

	Conditions for qualifying for SumExtra You will qualify for SumExtra if all of the following apply. 6. You may have increased the size or improved the quality of your home since you obtained your written estimate of costs. In this case, you must have increased the sum insured in line with the increase in the rebuilding cost of your home. If you haven't, we'll pay only up to an extra 10% of your sum insured. That's regardless of whether the loss is caused by natural disaster or any other event we insure against.		Conditions for qualifying for SumExtra You will qualify for SumExtra if all of the following apply. 6. You may have increased the size or improved the quality of your home since you obtained your written estimate of costs. In this case, you must have increased the sum insured in line with the increase in the rebuilding cost of your home. If you haven't, we'll pay only up to an extra 10% of your sum insured. That's regardless of whether the loss is caused by natural hazard or any other event we insure against.	
Cover Option – Restricted Optional benefit – the additional cover you can choose - Landlord's extension — for tenanted properties	Loss of rent due to loss covered by this policy We'll pay or reimburse you for rent you lose if your home is uninhabitable for either of the following reasons.  • Loss covered by this policy, or that would be covered by this policy but is instead covered by EQC because of the Earthquake Commission Act 1993	22	Loss of rent due to loss covered by this policy We'll pay or reimburse you for rent you lose if your home is uninhabitable for any of the following reasons.  Loss covered by this policy.  Loss that would be covered by this policy but is instead covered by Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission because of the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023	23
Exclusions — things we don't cover		23	Asbestos We won't cover any loss caused by, arising from, or in any way connected to asbestos.  We also won't cover legal liability resulting from any direct, indirect, or potential exposure to asbestos.  However, we'll pay the cost to remove asbestos from the home during repairs or rebuilding if we have accepted a claim for loss or damage to your home.  We'll only cover the removal of asbestos from the immediate area of the home that has suffered the loss or damage.	24
Exclusions — things we don't cover	Damage during cleaning, repair, renovation, or restoration We won't cover any loss caused by any cleaning process, renovation, repair, or restoration – but this only excludes the property that has undergone that process.  This exclusion doesn't limit cover under the 'New building work' benefit.	24	Damage during cleaning, repair, renovation, or restoration We won't cover any loss caused by any cleaning process, renovation, repair, or restoration – but this only excludes: • the part of the home that has directly undergone that process • any other part of the home in any way physically connected to the part of the home that has undergone that process.	25

	However, if there's resulting <i>loss</i> to other parts of the <i>home</i> caused by the excluded <i>loss</i> , we'll cover it (unless it's excluded under another part of this policy).		This exclusion doesn't limit cover under the 'New building work' benefit.  However, if there's resulting <i>loss</i> to other parts of the <i>home</i> caused by any cleaning process, renovation, repair, or restoration, we'll cover it (unless it's excluded under another part of this policy).	
Exclusions — things we don't cover	Deliberate or reckless acts  We won't cover any loss, damage, or liability in any way connected with you or anyone else this policy covers, acting or failing to act, in a way that is:  • deliberate  • intentional  • knowing  • wilful  • reckless.  This exclusion applies whether the act or failure to act was criminal or not.	25	Criminal or reckless activity We won't cover any loss, damage, cost, or liability in any way connected with: • criminal activity involving anything this policy covers, unless you prove that you didn't have reason to suspect that criminal activity was happening • any deliberate, intentional, knowing, wilful or reckless act, or failure to act, whether criminal or otherwise, committed by you, or anyone this policy covers.	25
Exclusions – things we don't cover	Illegal drug contamination We'll provide some cover if you have Cover Option – Premier If your schedule shows you have Cover Option – Premier, this exclusion doesn't apply in either of the following circumstances. • Your home is tenanted, and we cover you under the 'Methamphetamine contamination' benefit. • You normally live in your home, and loss is caused by unknown people entering your home without your permission while it's unattended (but not unoccupied). We'll extend the 'Methamphetamine contamination' benefit to cover the loss, and this exclusion won't apply to that cover. The normal limit for what we pay for the 'Methamphetamine contamination' benefit won't apply. Instead, we'll pay within the sum insured.	26	Illegal drug contamination  We'll provide some cover if you have Cover Option – Premier  If your schedule shows you have Cover Option – Premier, this exclusion doesn't apply in either of the following circumstances.  Your home is tenanted, and we cover you under the 'Methamphetamine contamination' benefit.  You normally live in your home, and loss is caused by unknown people entering your home without your permission while it's unattended (but not unoccupied). We'll extend the 'Methamphetamine contamination' benefit to cover the loss, and this exclusion won't apply to that cover. The limit for what we pay for the 'Methamphetamine contamination' benefit won't apply. Instead, we'll pay within the sum insured.	27
Exclusions – things we don't cover	Land We won't cover any of the following.  Land.  Loss to land.  Repairing or stabilising land so you can repair or rebuild your home.  Treating land so it's suitable for repairing or building your home.	26	Land We won't cover any of the following.  Land.  Loss to land.  Repairing or stabilising land so you can repair or rebuild your home.  Treating land so it's suitable for repairing or building your home.	27

	<ul> <li>Any costs in any way connected with stabilising or making improvements to land, or erecting or upgrading any improvements to land, which are needed to prevent or reduce loss to the home.</li> <li>Loss that is in any way connected with subsidence, settling, ground heave, shrinkage, or erosion.</li> <li>Loss in any way connected with land, where you know the land needs repair or you know the land poses a threat to the home.</li> <li>Loss in any way connected with the condition of the land if you, or a previous owner of the home, have received money from the Earthquake Commission to repair the land, but not done so.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>Any costs in any way connected with stabilising or making improvements to land, or erecting or upgrading any improvements to land, which are needed to prevent or reduce loss to the home.</li> <li>Loss that is in any way connected with subsidence, settling, ground heave, shrinkage, or expansion.</li> <li>Loss that is in any way connected with erosion arising from action of wind or water. Erosion includes but is not limited to:         <ul> <li>erosion landslides</li> <li>coastal erosion</li> <li>bank erosion</li> <li>sheet erosion.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Loss in any way connected with land, where you know the land needs repair or you know the land poses a threat to the home.</li> <li>Loss in any way connected with the condition of the land if you, or a previous owner of the home, have received money from Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (previously referred to as the Earthquake Commission) to repair the land, but not done</li> </ul>	
Exclusions – things we don't cover	Lifting or moving your home  We won't cover loss that is in any way connected with lifting or moving your home.	26	Lifting, moving, or relocating your home  We won't cover loss that is in any way connected with lifting or moving your home (including while in transit or storage, and while placed on temporary blocks or supports before, during, or after relocation).	28
Exclusions – things we don't cover	Mechanical or electrical breakdown We won't cover loss caused by either: • mechanical or electrical breakdown • inability to operate any mechanical or electrical device this policy covers. This exclusion doesn't apply to loss caused by actual burning out as a direct result of an accidental external cause, or if the loss arises from: • impact • earthquake or flood • fire or lightning • an external power surge that originated outside of the home	27	We also won't cover any costs associated with relocating your home.  Mechanical or electrical breakdown We won't cover loss caused by either: • mechanical or electrical breakdown • inability to operate any mechanical or electrical device this policy covers. This exclusion doesn't apply to loss caused by actual burning out as a direct result of an accidental external cause, or if the loss arises from: • impact • earthquake or flood • fire or lightning • an external power surge that originated outside of the home	28

<ul> <li>malicious acts.</li> <li>Natural disaster</li> <li>We won't cover loss in any way connected with any of these:</li> <li>earthquakes or natural landslips</li> <li>volcanic eruptions or hydrothermal activity</li> <li>tsunami</li> <li>fire resulting from any of the above.</li> <li>This exclusion doesn't limit cover under the 'Natural disaster' benefit.</li> <li>Sanctions</li> <li>We do not provide any cover or benefit, or pay anything in connection with your policy, including any premium refund, if doing so may breach or risk exposure to any of the following.</li> <li>Sanctions, prohibitions, or restrictions under United Nations resolutions.</li> </ul>	27	<ul> <li>malicious acts.</li> <li>Natural hazard</li> <li>We won't cover loss in any way connected with any of these:</li> <li>earthquakes or natural landslides</li> <li>volcanic activity or hydrothermal activity</li> <li>tsunami</li> <li>fire resulting from any of the above.</li> <li>This exclusion doesn't limit cover under the 'Natural hazard' or 'Retaining walls' benefits.</li> <li>Sanctions</li> <li>We won't provide any cover, service, or benefit, or pay anything in connection with your policy, including any premium refund, if</li> </ul>	28
We won't cover <i>loss</i> in any way connected with any of these:  • earthquakes or natural landslips  • volcanic eruptions or hydrothermal activity  • tsunami  • fire resulting from any of the above.  This exclusion doesn't limit cover under the 'Natural disaster' benefit.  Sanctions  We do not provide any cover or benefit, or pay anything in connection with your policy, including any <i>premium</i> refund, if doing so may breach or risk exposure to any of the following.  1. Sanctions, prohibitions, or restrictions under United Nations resolutions.		We won't cover loss in any way connected with any of these:  • earthquakes or natural landslides  • volcanic activity or hydrothermal activity  • tsunami  • fire resulting from any of the above.  This exclusion doesn't limit cover under the 'Natural hazard' or 'Retaining walls' benefits.  Sanctions  We won't provide any cover, service, or benefit, or pay anything in connection with your policy, including any premium refund, if	
doing so may breach or risk exposure to any of the following.  1. Sanctions, prohibitions, or restrictions under United Nations resolutions.			
2. Trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of New Zealand, Australia, the United Kingdom, the United States of America, or the European Union.		doing so may breach or risk exposure to any of the following.  1. Penalties, sanctions, prohibitions, proscriptions, preventions, or restrictions under United Nations resolutions.  2. Sanctions, proscriptions, preventions, laws or regulations of New Zealand, Australia, the United Kingdom, the United States of America, or the European Union.	
Some events in the first 72 hours of this policy We won't cover any <i>loss</i> that happens during the first 72 hours of the policy, if the <i>loss</i> is caused by storm, <i>flood</i> , landslip, bush fire or volcanic activity.	28	Some events in the first 72 hours of this policy We won't cover any loss that happens during the first 72 hours of the policy, if the loss is caused by storm, flood, landslide, bush fire or volcanic activity.	29
This exclusion only applies when you first take out this policy.  This exclusion doesn't apply if either:  this policy starts immediately after another policy that insures your home against storm, flood, landslip, bush fire or volcanic activity  you took out this policy when you first bought your home.		This exclusion only applies when you first take out this policy.  This exclusion doesn't apply if either:  • this policy starts immediately after another policy that insures your home against storm, flood, landslide, bush fire or volcanic activity  • you took out this policy when you first bought your home.	
Different types of excess can apply  More than one type of excess could apply — the specific circumstances of your claim will determine the total value of the excess you need to pay. If more than one type of excess applies, they'll apply cumulatively — they'll be added together to reach the total excess. Any amount shown on your schedule or described in this policy wording as an excess could apply.  The following additional excesses apply, unless the loss arises	31	Different types of excess can apply  More than one type of excess could apply — the specific circumstances of your claim will determine the total value of the excess you need to pay. If more than one type of excess applies, they'll apply cumulatively — they'll be added together to reach the total excess. Any amount shown on your schedule or described in this policy wording as an excess could apply.  The following additional excesses apply, unless the loss arises	32
7	Trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of New Zealand, Australia, the United Kingdom, the United States of America, or the European Union.  Some events in the first 72 hours of this policy We won't cover any loss that happens during the first 72 hours of the policy, if the loss is caused by storm, flood, landslip, bush fire or volcanic activity.  This exclusion only applies when you first take out this policy. This exclusion doesn't apply if either:  This policy starts immediately after another policy that insures your home against storm, flood, landslip, bush fire or volcanic activity  You took out this policy when you first bought your home.  Different types of excess can apply More than one type of excess could apply — the specific circumstances of your claim will determine the total value of the excess you need to pay. If more than one type of excess applies, they'll apply cumulatively — they'll be added together to reach the total excess. Any amount shown on your  Schedule or described in this policy wording as an excess could	28 28 29 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20	preventions.  2. Trade or economic sanctions, laws or regulations of New Zealand, Australia, the United Kingdom, the United States of America, or the European Union.  Some events in the first 72 hours of this policy We won't cover any loss that happens during the first 72 hours of the policy, if the loss is caused by storm, flood, landslip, bush fire or volcanic activity.  This exclusion only applies when you first take out this policy. This exclusion doesn't apply if either:  • this policy starts immediately after another policy that insures your home against storm, flood, landslip, bush fire or volcanic activity.  This exclusion doesn't apply if either:  • this policy starts immediately after another policy that insures your home against storm, flood, landslide, bush fire or volcanic activity  • you took out this policy when you first bought your home.  Different types of excess can apply  More than one type of excess could apply — the specific circumstances of your claim will determine the total value of the excess you need to pay. If more than one type of excess applies, they'll apply cumulatively — they'll be added together to reach the total excess. Any amount shown on your schedule or described in this policy wording as an excess could apply.  The following additional excesses apply, unless the loss arises

	<ul> <li>\$250 for each event, if you let your home to tenants other than you.</li> <li>\$1,000 for each event, if you make your home available to anyone for casual use in return for any form of payment.</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>\$250 for each event, if you let your home to tenants other than you.</li> <li>\$1,000 for each event, if you make your home available to anyone for casual use in return for any form of payment.</li> </ul>	
Cover Option – Premier How we settle your claim under	We'll pay up to \$50,000 for roads, lanes, and bridges We'll pay up to \$50,000 for your share of incurred costs during the period of insurance, for loss to any private:  • road  • lane  • right-of-way  • access way  • bridge and its associated guttering, drains, piping, cables, and lighting, including a bridge within the residential boundaries of the property your home is on.	33	We'll pay up to \$50,000 for roads, lanes, and bridges We'll pay up to \$50,000 for your share of incurred costs during the period of insurance, for loss to any private: • road • lane • right-of-way • access way • bridge, including a bridge within the residential boundaries of the property your home is on • guttering, drains, piping, cables, and lighting associated with any of the above.  We'll pay if the structures listed above provide access to a driveway that you own or share with other homeowners and you are responsible for.  We'll top up the cover for bridges provided by NHC If loss to a bridge arises from natural hazard, we'll pay up to the \$50,000 limit above, in addition to the cover provided by the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023 (the NHI Act).  Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (NHC) must have done both of the following: • accepted liability for your claim for damage to the bridge • already paid the maximum entitlement under the NHI Act for the loss.	34
Cover Option - Restricted There are some limits on what we'll pay	We'll pay up to \$50,000 for roads, lanes, and bridges We'll pay up to \$50,000 for your share of incurred costs during the period of insurance, for loss to any private: • road • lane • right-of-way • access way	37	We'll pay up to \$50,000 for roads, lanes, and bridges We'll pay up to \$50,000 for your share of incurred costs during the period of insurance, for loss to any private: • road • lane • right-of-way • access way • bridge, including a bridge within the residential boundaries of the property your home is on	39

	bridge and its associated guttering, drains, piping, cables, and lighting, including a bridge within the residential boundaries of the property your home is on.		<ul> <li>guttering, drains, piping, cables, and lighting associated with any of the above.</li> <li>We'll pay if the structures listed above provide access to a driveway that you own or share with other homeowners and you are responsible for.</li> <li>We'll top up the cover for bridges provided by NHC</li> <li>If loss to a bridge arises from a natural hazard event, we'll pay up to the \$50,000 limit above in addition to the cover provided under the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023 (the NHI Act).</li> <li>Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (NHC) must have done both of the following:</li> <li>accepted liability for your claim for damage to the bridge</li> <li>already paid the maximum under the NHI Act for the loss.</li> </ul>	
What your responsibilities are	Tell us if anything changes  Tell us straight away if there's a change that could affect your cover, our decision to insure you, or the premium we charge.  Some examples of when you might need to do this are:  • you make structural changes or additions to your home  • you sell your home, or buy a new one  • you're going to leave your home unoccupied  • you or someone living with you is convicted of a criminal offence.  If you're not sure whether something is important, tell us anyway. If you don't keep us up to date, we can refuse a claim, or reduce any claim payment, or avoid the policy.	40	Tell us if anything changes  Tell us straight away if there's a change that could affect your cover, our decision to insure you, or the premium we charge.  Some examples of when you might need to do this are:  • you make structural changes or additions to your home  • you sell your home, or buy a new one  • you're going to leave your home unoccupied  • you or someone living with you is convicted of a criminal offence  • Toka Tū Ake Natural Hazards Commission (NHC) has provided:  • you with written notice of cancellation of cover for your home  • you with written notice of limitation of liability for future damage to your home  • the Registrar-General of Land with written notice of cancellation or limitation of liability and a certificate of cancellation or limitation of liability has been registered on the record of title for your home.  If you're not sure whether something is important, tell us	43
			anyway. If you don't keep us up to date, we can refuse a claim, or reduce any claim payment, or <i>avoid</i> the policy.	

Policy conditions and	Your premium	43	Your premium	46
other important	Your <i>premium</i> is the payment you make in exchange for your		Your <i>premium</i> is the payment you make in exchange for your	
information	insurance cover. Your <i>premium</i> is detailed on your policy		insurance cover. Your <i>premium</i> is detailed on your policy	
	schedule. You will pay your premium monthly or annually,		documentation. You will pay your <i>premium</i> monthly or annually,	
	depending on the policy you have chosen.		depending on the policy you have chosen.	
Policy conditions and	We may change the terms of this policy	44	We may change the terms of this policy	47 &
other important	If we can no longer obtain or retain full reinsurance protection		If we can no longer obtain or retain full reinsurance protection	48
information	from any <i>natural disaster</i> this policy covers, we may change the		from any <i>natural hazard</i> this policy covers, we may change the	
	terms of this policy including the <i>excess</i> .		terms of this policy including the <i>excess</i> .	
	We'll send a letter or e-mail to the latest address we have for		We'll send a letter or e-mail to the latest address we have for	
	you, or to your insurance adviser. The change takes effect at 4.00		you, or to your insurance adviser. The change takes effect at 4.00	
	pm on the 14th day after we send the letter.		pm on the 14th day after we send the letter.	
	How GST applies when we pay a claim		How GST applies when we pay a claim	
	Dollar figures for benefits, excesses, and limits to items in this		In this policy, GST is included in dollar figures for:	
	policy include GST. However, we'll pay GST that is paid or payable		• benefits	
	on top of the sum insured.		• excesses	
			<ul> <li>limits to items.</li> </ul>	
			However, we'll pay GST that is paid or payable on top of the sum	
			insured.	
			Benefit limits that are based on a percentage of the sum insured	
			Where a benefit limit refers to a percentage of your <i>sum insured</i> ,	
			this is based on your <i>sum insured</i> excluding GST.	
Policy conditions and	How Government EQC cover works when you insure more than	45	How Government Natural Hazards Cover works when you insure	48
other important	one site		more than one site	
information	If your policy covers property at more than one named location,		If your policy covers property at more than one named location,	
	each location is considered a separate insurance policy for the		each location is considered a separate insurance policy for the	
	purposes of the Earthquake Commission Act 1993.		purposes of the Natural Hazards Insurance Act 2023.	
	Award (in respect of the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015)	46	Award (relating to the Health and Safety at Work Act 2015)	50
	Any of the following imposed by a New Zealand Court in relation		Any of the following imposed by a New Zealand Court in relation	
	to prosecution against you under the Health and Safety at Work		to prosecution against you under the Health and Safety at Work	
	Act 2015:		Act 2015:	
	• damages		• damages	
	• restitution		• restitution	
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	• compensation		• compensation	

Definitions	Contents Contents doesn't include any of the following.  • Mechanically propelled vehicles, trailers, caravans, or aircraft (except ride-on mowers and other domestic garden appliances, children's motorcycles under 50cc, electric wheelchairs and electric mobility aids, drones while they are not in use, and remote-controlled scale models).  • Vehicle accessories in or on a vehicle.  • Vehicle keys or vehicle remote controls.  • Entertainment and communications systems that are in or on a vehicle, including any parts that attach to these systems.  • Navigation systems or radar detectors in or on a vehicle, including any parts that attach to them.   • Any animal.  • The home.  • Drones while they are in use.	46	Contents Contents doesn't include any of the following.  • Mechanically propelled vehicles, trailers, caravans, or aircraft (except ride-on mowers and other domestic garden appliances, children's battery-powered or mechanically propelled motor toys up to 50cc, electric wheelchairs and electric mobility aids, drones, and remote-controlled scale models).  • Vehicle accessories in or on a vehicle.  • Vehicle keys or vehicle remote controls.  • Entertainment, navigation, and communications systems and radar detectors that are in or on a vehicle, including any parts that attach to these systems.   • Any animal.  • The home.	50 & 51
Definitions	Drone(s) Any unmanned, unpiloted or remotely operated aerial device.	50	Drone(s) Any aerial device that's unmanned, unpiloted, and remotely operated that is compliant with, and used in accordance with, the Civil Aviation Rules.	51
Definitions	Home Home includes the following items which are owned by you, used for residential purposes, and located within the residential boundaries of the address.  • Each additional self-contained dwelling unit that's capable of being lived in and is intended by you to be, or actually is the home of one or more persons (if your schedule specifically indicates that the home includes additional dwelling units)  • Solar panels.  • Any driveways, paths, patios, bridges, paving, and tennis courts.	48	Home Home includes the following items which are owned by you, used for residential purposes, and located within the residential boundaries of the address.  • Each additional self-contained dwelling unit capable of being lived in, and that you intend to be lived in, or that is being lived in by one or more persons (if your schedule specifically shows these additional dwelling units as part of your home)  • Solar power systems.  • Any driveways, paths, patios, bridges, paving, tennis courts, and permanently installed artificial grass or turf.	52
Definitions	Natural disaster  An earthquake, natural landslip, volcanic eruption, tsunami, or hydrothermal activity — or fire resulting from any of these. It does not include a gradual or slow-moving natural landslip.	50	Natural hazard(s)  An earthquake, natural landslide, volcanic activity, tsunami, or hydrothermal activity — or fire resulting from any of these. It does not include a gradual or slow-moving natural landslide.	54

	Residential boundaries  The part of the land the home dwelling sits on, which you, members of your family, or your tenants mainly use for residential purposes.  Residential boundaries doesn't include any part of the land:  • which is used for commercial or farming purposes  • that's more than 150 metres away from a dwelling or garage used for residential purposes, if the home is on a property larger than 10,000 square metres and isn't serviced by a dedicated town mains water supply.	51	Residential boundaries  The part of the land the home dwelling sits on, which you, members of your family, or your tenants mainly use for residential purposes.  Residential boundaries doesn't include any part of the land:  • which is used for commercial or farming purposes  • that's more than 150 metres away from a dwelling or garage used for residential purposes, if the home is both:  - on a property larger than 10,000 square metres  - not serviced by a dedicated town mains water supply.	55
Definitions	Similar items Items in the home with a similar nature, use, colour, texture,		Similar items Items in the home with a similar nature, use, colour, texture,	55
	material, or design and includes items which form part of a set.		material, or design. This includes items which form part of a set.	
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