Our Performance Bicycle insurance has been designed for cycling enthusiasts that might belong to a club, take part in sportives or charity rides. We understand the need to keep you rolling

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# WELCOME TO YOUR YELLOW JERSEY PERFORMANCE BICYCLE INSURANCE POLICY WORDING

This document is a legally binding contract of Insurance between you and us. Complete pre-contractual and contractual information about the product is provided in the schedule and the statement of facts.

We agree to insure you under the terms, conditions and exceptions contained in this policy wording, the schedule. You are insured for any liability, loss or damage that occurs during any period of insurance for which you have paid, or agreed to pay a premium. This insurance is governed by English law.

Please check that the contract is suitable for **your** needs. **We** rely on the information **you** gave **us** being correct and complete. If it is not correct or complete **you** may not be covered by this insurance. **You** must tell **us** about changes in the information **you** gave **us** immediately. For a summary of cover please refer to the product summary document.

# IMPORTANT CLAIMS INFORMATION

We will pay the cost of repair or pay the cost of replacement as new or at our discretion will arrange for repair or replacement to be effected. Our liability shall not exceed the lower of the sum insured detailed on your schedule or the value of the pedal cycle(s) or accessories, helmets and/or clothing less any excess as indicated under the claims excess section.

You must accept that we may appoint a specialist, including carbon restoration experts, to investigate any claim on our behalf.

You must retain any damaged property for inspection unless we have advised otherwise.

In the event of theft, attempted theft, vandalism or malicious acts you must notify the police immediately and obtain a crime reference number.

You may be asked to supply the following items in the event of a theft claim; the remains of an **approved lock**, a purchase receipt for the **approved lock** and all keys for the **approved lock**.

Claims submitted more than 28 days after the incident taking place will not be accepted.

If you underinsure your pedal cycle, we will proportionately reduce any claims settlement (i.e. the insured value you have chosen is less than the value of the pedal cycle).

# IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CALL OUR CLAIMS LINE MON-FRI BETWEEN 9-5: 0333 003 0600

Upon settlement of a claim for loss or damage where the **pedal cycle** has been recovered or is deemed a total loss we have the right to take and keep possession of any part or the entire **pedal cycle** and deal with the salvage in a reasonable manner, but **you** shall not abandon any **pedal cycle** to **us**. In the instance of a **pedal cycle** being recovered it is **your** responsibility to notify **us**.

# IMPORTANT POLICYHOLDER ADVICE: IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT - REMEMBER THE FOLLOWING:

- Always exchange details with the other drivers/cyclists, including names, addresses, registration numbers and Insurer names and policy numbers.
  Obtain witness details, including those of passengers in any vehicle involved.
- If you have a camera available, and it is safe to do so, take photos of the vehicle positions before they are moved and the vehicle damage, as they may assist with establishing liability.
- Do not discuss whose fault the accident was or accept any responsibility.
- If anybody is injured or you do not exchange details at the scene, then report the matter to the police within 24 hours.
- Do not answer directly any correspondence received from any representatives of the other parties involved.
- Ensure your claim is submitted to Yellow Jersey Claims via the on-line client area within 28 days.
- All incidents, no matter how minor they may seem should be reported.

## IF YOU ARE INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT WHICH IS NOT YOUR FAULT

- Under no circumstances should you instruct your own lawyer as our legal expenses provider will not pay any costs incurred without prior agreement.
- Once your claim is submitted, if an advisor believes the accident is not your fault, we will arrange a legal expert to contact you who will help claim back uninsured losses and including claiming compensation for any injuries.
- Ensure no contact is made with anyone else regarding claiming back your losses or compensation for personal injury until you hear from us.

## GO TO THE YELLOW JERSEY WEBSITE TO SUBMIT A CLAIM: https://www.yellowjersey.co.uk/claims/

A team of experienced handlers will manage **your** claim and provide appropriate professional advice to progress **your** claim as swiftly as possible with minimum inconvenience to all involved. Remember that it is a condition of **your** policy to provide all information and assistance **we** may require during the course of **our** investigations. Failure to do so may result in unnecessary delays and expense being incurred or **your** claim not being paid.

# CANCELLATION

Cancellation within the initial 14-day period - you may cancel the insurance, without giving reason, by sending us written notice within 14 days of the commencement date or (if later) within 14 days of you receiving your contractual documentation. We will make a charge equal to the period of cover you have had. We will not refund any premium if you have made a claim.

Cancellation after the initial 14-day period – whilst you may cancel this insurance after the 14-day cooling off period no refund of premium will be payable.

We may cancel the insurance by sending you 7 days' notice to your last known address. We will refund the part of your premium which applies to the remaining period of insurance (as long as you have not made a claim).

## COMPLAINTS PROCEDURE

It is the intention to give you the best possible service but if you do have any questions or concerns about this insurance or the handling of a claim you should follow the complaints procedure below:

#### Complaints regarding:

1. SALE OF THE POLICY - Yellow Jersey, Prospero, 73 London Road, Redhill, Surrey, RH11LQ | Tel: 0333 003 0046 | Email: support@YellowJersey.co.uk.

2. CLAIMS - Davies Group Customer Care, PO Box 2801, Stoke-on-Trent, ST4 9DN | Tel: 0344 856 2015 | Email: customer.care@davies-group.co.uk. In all correspondence please state the scheme name Yellow Jersey.

3. LEGAL EXPENSES (SECTION 5) - Customer Relations Department, ARAG plc, 9 Whiteladies Road, Clifton, Bristol, BS8 1NN | TEL: 0117 917 1561 | EMAIL customerrelations@arag.co.uk (hours of operation are 9am - 5pm, Monday to Friday excluding bank holidays. For our mutual protection and training purposes, calls may be recorded).

If it is not possible to reach an agreement, you have the right to make an appeal to the Financial Ombudsman Service. This also applies if you are insured in a business capacity and have an annual turnover of less than £2million and fewer than ten staff. You may contact the Financial Ombudsman Service at: The Financial Ombudsman Service, Exchange Tower, London, E14 9SR | Tel: 0300 123 9 123 | Email: <u>complaint.info@financial-ombudsman.org.uk</u>. The above complaints procedure is in addition to your statutory rights as a consumer. For further information about your statutory rights contact your local authority Trading Standards Service or Citizens Advice Bureau.

# COVER SUMMARY

This section is intended to provide a summary of the main coverage and exclusions of the ultimate bicycle insurance policy and is not personalised to **your** specific individual needs. **You** should refer to the main sections of the policy wording, **your** statement of fact and **schedule** for complete pre-contractual and contractual information.

Please take the time to carefully check **your** documentation to ensure **you** have provided the correct details, chosen the correct level of cover and fully understand **your** obligations pre-contract and throughout **your** policy period. Please contact **us** if **you** have any questions, or to amend the details we hold.

Section	Cover	Excess	Significant Exclusions
Pedal cycles	are covered for theft, malicious damage & accidental damage, as disclosed on the schedule <u>only</u> , up to a maximum total sum insured of £30,000 with a maximum sum per pedal cycle of £5,000.	per claim is 10% capped at £100.	Theft or malicious damage of wheels and/or power meter devices when away from the insured location unless the pedal cycle itself is stolen or damaged. Cover in race events.
Pedal cycle accessories	are covered up to £250 as standard and then as disclosed on the schedule. The value of accessories and pedal cycles cannot exceed a total of £30,000.	per claim is 10% capped at £100.	Accidental damage to accessories unless the pedal cycle is damaged at the same time. Bike boxes. Theft or malicious damage of accessories when away from the insured location unless the pedal cycle is stolen or damaged Cover in race events.
Additional wheelsets	are covered up to the amount shown on the schedule.	per claim is 10% capped at £100.	Theft or malicious damage of additional wheels when away from the insured location unless the pedal cycle itself is stolen or damaged. Cover in race events.
Helmet and clothing	is an optional cover of £250, £500, £1,000, £1,500 or £2,000 and covers any specialist triathlon or cycling articles of clothing including wetsuits, eyewear, footwear or headgear.	per claim is 10% capped at £100.	Any damage to helmet and clothing unless the pedal cycle itself is damaged at the same time. Cover in race events.
Taxi reimbursement (annual policies only)	covers up to £150 for the cost of a taxi to transport you and <b>your</b> pedal cycle to various destinations as outlined in the policy wording.	Nil	Claims totalling more than £450 in any one period. More than 3 claims in any one period Losses arising outside of the territorial limits. Losses arising from policies purchased for less than 365 days.
Public liability	up to £2,000,000 for you and your family members whilst riding a pedal cycle listed in your schedule. The named policyholder is also covered under this section on any other pedal cycle.	NII	Family members under age 16 or over age 85. Liability arising from family members using any pedal cycle other than those listed on your schedule Cover in race events.
Family cover	covers your pedal cycle(s) when loaned to family members.	n/a	
Personal accident	up to the amounts below subject to conditions outlined in the policy wording: Loss of Limb £7,500. Loss of Sight £7,500. Death £7,500. Permanent Total Disablement £15,000. Dental Treatment up to £500. Physiotherapy up to £500.	Nil	Family members under 16 and over 85. Losses arising from policies purchased for less than 365 days. Any pre-existing condition. Cover in race events. Only one section of cover can be claimed on.
Legal expenses	are covered up to £100,000 per claim.	Nil	Injuries that develop gradually or that do not arise from physical injury. Claims arising outside of the UK.

# WHERE AM I COVERED?

This insurance covers **you** in Europe for all risks, which means all sections of cover under this policy are extended to include claims occurring anywhere the Europe for a maximum of 30 days per trip. Cover in **sportives / charity events** is included but cover in **Race events** is excluded. Legal expenses for injuries that occur outside of the UK are excluded.

# DEFINITIONS

The following words or phrases have the same meaning whenever they appear in this document, the schedule and endorsements. These words are highlighted by the use of bold print.

Abandonment, Abandoned - when a pedal cycle is left in a location other than the insured location for more than 12 consecutive hours.

Accident / accidental - a sudden and unexpected event which happens by chance during the period of insurance

Accessories - pedal cycle related equipment owned by you and used in conjunction with the pedal cycle disclosed on the schedule which are not essential to its operation, including but not limited to, saddle bags, bike computers, bottle cages,

bottles and additional wheels owned by you and not disclosed as part of the pedal cycle

Adult - person who has reached the age of 18 years.

Appointed Advisor - the solicitor or other advisor appointed by ARAG to act on behalf of you

 $\ensuremath{\text{Approved Lock}}$  - a lock which at the time of purchase by  $\ensuremath{\text{you}}$  was specified in the Master Locksmiths Association (MLA) 'Sold Secure' list of pedal cycle locks and which at the time of the purchase by you was appropriate to the value of your pedal cycle.

Bike Box - luggage developed specifically for the carriage of a pedal cycle or pedal cycle wheels, either owned or in your custody, care or control for the carriage of your own pedal cycle or pedal cycle wheels.

Bodily injury - death or identifiable physical injury resulting solely and independently from an accident.

Collective Conditional Fee Agreement - a legally enforceable agreement entered into on a common basis between the **appointed advisor** and **us** to pay his or her professional fees on the basis of 100% "no-win no-fee".

Commencement Date - the date your cover starts as shown on the schedule.

Common Carrier - a person or company that transports goods or people for any person or company and that is responsible for any possible loss of the goods during transport.

Conditional Fee Agreement - a legally enforceable agreement entered into between you and appointed advisor for paying their professional fees on the basis of 100% "nowin no-fee".

Endorsement(s) - any terms and conditions additional to this insurance and specified on the schedule.

Evidence of Ownership - original purchase receipt, showing the date, price paid, details of the pedal cycle and approved lock including name and address of seller(s), or other evidence which clearly demonstrates ownership.

Family - parents, spouse, partner, son, daughter or siblings, who permanently live with you.

#### Forcible and Violent Entry -

entry evidenced by visible damage to the fabric of the building or vehicle at the a) point of entry

damage caused to an immovable object or approved lock. b)

Helmets and Clothing - any specialist triathlon or cycling articles of clothing including wetsuits, eyewear, footwear or headqear.

#### Immovable Object -

- a) An object which cannot be undone or removed unless using extreme force. b) An object from which the pedal cycle cannot be lifted, either over or under, without having broken the approved lock.
- A properly fixed motor vehicle pedal cycle rack which is locked to the vehicle.
- A pedal cycle rack supplied expressly for the purpose of securing pedal cycles which cannot be undone or removed unless using extreme force, including those found at rail stations, city centres and places of work.

Insured Location - the location stated in the schedule where the pedal cycle is usually kept which shall mean:

- A house built of brick, concrete or stone and roofed with slate, tiles or a multi a) layered roof.
- An outbuilding or garage built of brick, concrete or stone and roofed with slate, b) tiles, corrugated steel, asbestos or multi layered roof, which is attached to or within the boundaries of a private house and is privately accessed.
- A privately accessed shed which is securely locked at all times, within the C) boundaries of the property in which you normally reside.
- A self-contained flat within a brick, concrete or stone building with a slate, tiled d) or multi lavered roof.
- A self-contained lockable private room in either your normal place of work or the halls of residence of a university in which you normally reside
- A communal room or hallway in a brick, concrete or stone building with a slate, tiled or multi-layered roof, in which you normally reside or is your normal place of work.
- A communal outbuilding built of brick, concrete or stone and roofed with slate, tiles, corrugated steel, asbestos or multi-layered roof within the boundaries of the building in which you normally reside, including but not limited to underground car parks.
- Cover is extended to any temporary residence such as a holiday cottage/home, guesthouse, hotel or like for a maximum period of 30 days at any one time during the period of insurance, providing your section of the temporary residence is self-contained and lockable.

Insured Person - the person named in the schedule as the insured.

Loss of Limb(s) - physical severance or complete and irrecoverable loss of use of one or both hands at or above the wrist or of one or both feet at or above the ankle.

#### Legal Costs & Expenses -

- a) Reasonable legal costs, fees and disbursements reasonably and proportionately incurred by the appointed advisor on the Standard Basis, and agreed in advance by us or Fixed Recoverable Costs. The term "Standard Basis" can be found within the Court's Civil Procedure Rules Part 44.
- b) Other side's costs and disbursements where you have been ordered to pay them or pay them with our agreement.

Loss of Sight - complete and irrecoverable loss of sight in both eyes.

Malicious Damage - the intentional damage caused by a third party.

Overnight - a continuous period in excess of six hours during the hours of darkness Pedal Cycle(s) - any bicycle, tricycle, tandem or trailer cycle powered by human pedalling and/or battery which is not subject to the requirements of the Road Traffic

Act and as disclosed on the schedule, including all components, equipment upgrades, or cycle related equipment which form part of the pedal cycle and are essential to its operation and which are owned by you or for which you are legally responsible.

Period of Insurance - the period for which this policy is in force as shown on the schedule

Permanent Total Disablement - disablement which entirely prevents the insured person from attending to any remunerative occupation and which after a period of 12 months from the date of disablement is, in the opinion of a medical referee, beyond possibility of improvement.

Race Events - Cover is provided for claims arising out of the use of your pedal cycle in any organised race including but not limited to: crits, triathlons, MTB races, CX races

Reasonable Prospects of Success - a greater than 50% chance of you successfully pursuing the claim and of enforcing any judgment that might be obtained.

Schedule - the document showing the details of the insured person, the cover provided and any endorsements that apply.

Self-contained - no shared facilities and a separate lockable entrance under your sole control.

Small Claims Court - a court in England & Wales that hears a claim falling under the small claims track in the County Court as defined by Section 26.6 (1) of the Civil Procedure Rules 1999: a court in Scotland that uses the simple claims procedure as set out by the Courts Reform (Scotland) Act 2014, a court in Northern Ireland where the sum in dispute is less than £3,000.

Sportives / Charity Events - Cover is provided for claims arising out of the use of your pedal cycle in any organised event with the exception of race events Sum Insured - the amount set out on the schedule.

Territorial Limits - Europe, which includes the continent of Europe, all countries west of the Ural Mountains, islands in the Mediterranean, Madeira, the Azores and Iceland, but not including Egypt, Israel, Morocco and Tunisia.

Terrorism - an act, or the threat of an act, by any person or group of persons, whether acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organisation or government, that:

- a) Is committed for political, religious, ideological or similar purposes; and
- b) Is intended to influence any government or to put the public, or any section of the public, in fear; and C)
  - i. involves violence against one or more persons; or
  - ii. involves damage to property; or
  - iii. endangers life other than that of the person committing the action; or iv. creates a risk to health or safety of the public or a section of the public; or
  - v. is designed to interfere with or to disrupt an electronic system.

Unattended - whilst the pedal cycle is not being used or held by you or an adult who is entrusted with its safe keeping

United Kingdom, UK - England, Scotland, Wales, the Channel Islands, Isle of Man and Northern Ireland.

Unoccupied Insured Location - an insured location as defined in a) a house and d) as self-contained flat, which is a furnished dwelling, but has not been lived in for more than 30 consecutive days

Value - may be defined by using one of the following circumstances:

- a) The price in GBP which you paid to purchase a new or second hand pedal cycle including the sum of any parts which you purchased and which form part of vour pedal cvcle (including VAT).
- b) The price in GBP which you paid to purchase new or second hand pedal cycle accessories, bike boxes, helmets and clothing (including VAT).
- For vintage or antique pedal cycles and accessories, which are of particular worth due to their age, style or collectability, the sum shown in any valuation you provide to us, provided that such valuation is less than three years old and has been provided by a vintage cycle retailer or other suitably qualified valuation expert.
- d) The undiscounted replacement cost for a pedal cycle which when purchased as new benefited from a significant and one-off discount.
- e) For custom builds the price paid for the sum of the parts excluding labour costs.

We/Us/Our - the insurers named in the schedule of insurance. For sections 1-4, this refers to Yellow Jersey on behalf Tradewise Insurance Services Ltd. Section 5 refers to ARAG plc on behalf of AmTrust Europe Limited.

You/Your - the insured person named on the schedule or a member of your family who is a resident of the United Kingdom.

# SECTION 1: THEFT, MALICIOUS DAMAGE AND ACCIDENTAL DAMAGE

### 1. Theft or malicious damage from the insured location

What is Covered We will at our option, repair to its prior level of functionality or replace, any part, or, if beyond economic repair, replace the damaged part or all of the pedal cycle with the same or a similar article of like kind, functionality and guality up to the sum insured shown in the schedule subject to the value of the pedal cycle. We may use specialist suppliers for repair or replacement chosen by us.

#### Accessories and helmets and clothing are covered up to the sum insured as shown in

the schedule and subject to the value.

- What is not Covered
- The first 10% of any claim up to a maximum of £100.
- Theft or malicious damage when a pedal cycle is permanently stored outside and not inside Insured 2. location c) or q).
  - 3. Theft or malicious damage when a pedal cycle is stored outside, on the public highway, in third party storage
  - 4. A bike box
  - 5 Theft or malicious damage from the insured location unless involving forcible and violent entry and you have complied with Security Requirement 1.
  - Theft or malicious damage when the pedal cycle is locked to an immovable object by an approved 6 lock unless the key and a receipt for the purchase of the approved lock demonstrating the make and model, or the remains of the approved lock are provided in support of any claim 7

  - 9. Theft of any accessories, helmets and/or clothing from the insured location as described in f) communal hallway and g) communal outbuilding, unless the pedal cycle itself is stolen at the same time
  - Theft or malicious damage when your pedal cycle is secured by a lock which is only approved for use 10. with a pedal cycle with a lower value than your pedal cycle.

#### 2. Theft, loss or malicious damage when away from the insured location What is Covered What is not Covered

We will at our option, repair to its prior level of functionality or replace, any part, or, if beyond 2 economic repair, replace the damaged part or all of 3. the pedal cycle with the same or a similar article of 4. like kind, functionality and quality up to the sum 5. insured shown in the schedule subject to the value of the pedal cycle. We may use specialist suppliers for

repair or replacement chosen by us.

Accessories and helmets and clothing are covered up to the sum insured as shown in

the schedule and subject to the value.

#### Cover included at Sportives / Charity Events

Loss by an airline after 21 days from the date the incident was reported to the airline.

#### 3. Theft or malicious damage when from a vehicle What is Covered

We will at our option, repair to its prior level of functionality or replace, any part, or, if beyond economic repair, replace the damaged part or all of the pedal cycle with the same or a similar article of like kind, functionality and quality up to the sum insured shown in the schedule subject to the value of the pedal cycle. We may use specialist suppliers for repair or replacement chosen by us

Accessories and helmets and clothing are covered up to the sum insured as shown in the schedule and subject to the value.

Cover included at Sportives / Charity Events

#### 4. Accidental damage

#### What is Covered

We will at our option, repair to its prior level of functionality or replace, any part, or, if beyond economic repair, replace the damaged part or all of the pedal cycle with the same or a similar article of like kind, functionality and quality up to the sum insured shown in

the schedule subject to the value of the pedal cycle. We may use specialist suppliers for repair or replacement chosen by us. We may use carbon repair specialists to evaluate structural damage

Accessories and helmets and clothing are covered up to the sum insured as shown in the schedule and subject to the value.

Cover included at Sportives / Charity Events

- Theft or malicious damage from an unoccupied insured location. 8. Unexplained theft or malicious damage.
- - The first 10% of any claim up to a maximum of £100 1.
- Cover at race events is excluded.
  - A bike box.
  - Theft or malicious damage unless you have complied with Security Requirement 2
  - Theft or malicious damage when the pedal cycle is locked to an immovable object by an approved lock unless the key and a receipt for the purchase of the approved lock demonstrating the make and model, or the remains of the approved lock are provided in support of any claim. Theft or malicious damage following abandonment. 6
  - Theft or malicious damage by a person or persons to whom the pedal cycle is entrusted.
  - 8 Theft or malicious damage when loaned or hired out by you to any person, other than a member of your family.
  - 9 Unexplained theft or malicious damage
  - 10. Loss by a common carrier other than an airline.
  - Any malicious damage claims for marring, scratching, denting or cosmetic changes. 11.
  - 12. Any accessories, helmets and/or clothing, unless the pedal cycle itself is stolen or damaged at the same time
  - Theft of **pedal cycle** wheels and or power meter devices unless stolen at the same time as the 13. entire pedal cycle.
  - Theft or malicious damage when your pedal cycle is secured by a lock which is only approved for use 14 with a pedal cycle with a lower value than your pedal cycle.

## What is not Covered

- The first 10% of any claim up to a maximum of £100. 1
- 2 Cover at race events is excluded.
- 3. A bike box.
- 4 Theft or malicious damage when you have not complied with Security Requirement 3.
- 5. When access to the vehicle has not been made by forcible and violent entry
- Theft or malicious damage when loaned or hired out by you to any person, other than a member of your 6. family.
- 7. Unexplained theft or malicious damage.
- Theft or malicious damage following abandonment. 8
- 9 Theft or malicious damage when the pedal cycle is secured by a lock which is only approved for use with a cycle with a lower value than the pedal cycle.

#### What is not Covered

- 1. The first 10% of any claim up to a maximum of £100.
- Accidental damage sustained when being used in race events is excluded. 2
- 3 A bike box.
- When accidental damage is sustained in transit when handed to a recognised transport provider, 4
- unless securely packaged in a bike box and a receipt obtained.
- 5 Accidental damage when loaned or hired out by you to any other person, other than a member of your family
- Any accidental damage following abandonment. 6.
- 7. Any accidental damage claims for marring, scratching, denting or cosmetic changes.
- 8. Any accidental damage claims for a pedal cycle frame unless there are visible signs of structural damage
- 9 Any gradually operating cause including but not limited to damage caused by wear and tear, wet or dry rot, atmospheric or climatic conditions, frost, insects, vermin, corrosion, rust, dust, contamination, change in colour of finish, chemical reaction, marring, scratching, denting, cosmetic changes, dampness, dryness, shrinkage or evaporation.
- 10. Mechanical or electrical breakdown or defect or electronic malfunction.
- 11 Failure to use or maintain the pedal cycle in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 12. Faulty or defective design, materials or workmanship or latent defect and defects in operation.
- 13. Any accessories, helmets and/or clothing, unless the pedal cycle itself is damaged at the same time.

## SECURITY REQUIREMENTS APPLICABLE TO SECTION 1

Wherever an **approved lock** is required to be used the lock will need to have been tested by Sold Secure and the **value** of the **pedal cycle** will determine the level of the **approved lock you** will need:

Pedal cycle(s) up to the value of £1,500 require a Sold Secure Silver-rated lock.

Pedal cycle(s) exceeding a value of £1,500 require a Sold Secure Gold rated lock.

#### 1. SECURITY REQUIREMENTS AT THE INSURED LOCATION

- Malicious damage, or theft of the property insured whilst at the **insured location** shall only be covered in circumstances where the **pedal cycle** is: a) At an **insured location**; as described in a), d), e) and h), the **pedal cycle** DOES NOT need to be secured through the frame by an **approved lock** to an
- Immovable object, however any home security devices must be in operation and all final exit doors and accessible windows must be locked.
  b) At an insured location as described in b) and c) you have complied with the following security requirements:
  - all external doors must be secured by a minimum of a 5-lever mortice deadlock to BS3621 standard or a CEN Grade 3 closed shackle padlock, or
    the pedal cycle must be secured through the frame by an approved lock to an immovable object within the building.
- c) At an **insured location** as described in f) and g) the **pedal cycle** must be secured through the frame by an **approved lock** to an **immovable object** within the building.

#### 2. SECURITY REQUIREMENTS WHERE THE PEDAL CYCLE IS AWAY FROM THE INSURED LOCATION

- Malicious damage or theft of the pedal cycle whilst away from the insured location shall only be covered in circumstances where:
- a) The pedal cycle is not left unattended; or
- b) The pedal cycle is left unattended, but secured to an immovable object by an approved lock through the frame and any access to the pedal cycle is affected by forcible and violent entry.
- c) The **pedal cycle** is not **abandoned**.

#### 3 SECURITY REQUIREMENTS FOR VEHICLES WHERE THE PEDAL CYCLE IS IN OR ON A VEHICLE

Theft whilst the **pedal cycle** is in or on a vehicle shall only be covered in circumstances where:

- a) All doors, windows and other openings of the vehicle are left closed, securely locked and properly fastened.
- b) Access to the pedal cycle and/or accessories must have been affected by forcible and violent entry.
- c) Any security devices installed in the vehicle are in operation.
- d) The pedal cycle is stored out of sight, (wherever possible).
- e) The **pedal cycle** is secured to a roof or bike rack using the key operated locking mechanism of the rack and where the rack is secured to the vehicle and left for no longer than 1 hour.
- f) The pedal cycle is secured to a roof or bike rack through the frame to the rack by an approved lock and where the rack is secured to the vehicle and left for no longer than 12 consecutive hours.
- g) Any vehicle used must have; a valid motor insurance; a valid MOT certificate (where applicable); current road tax (where applicable); and all windows and locks that are capable of rendering the vehicle secure.
- h) The pedal cycle is not abandoned.

## SECTION 2: PERSONAL ACCIDENT

#### What is Covered

We will pay the amount shown below if at any time whilst you are using a pedal cycle within the territorial limits, suffer bodily injury following an accident.

The amounts we will pay under this section are:

- a) Loss of Limb £7,500.
- b) Loss of Sight £7,500.
- c) Death £7,500.
- d) Permanent Total Disablement £15,000.
- e) Dental Treatment we will pay you up to £500 for the costs and expenses that are reasonably and necessarily incurred for the repair of your natural teeth arising from an accident.
- f) Physiotherapy sessions if you sustain a bodily injury within the period of insurance, we will pay you the costs and expenses up to £500 of physiotherapy fees that are reasonably and necessarily incurred for all bodily injuries arising from the same accident if notified to us within 28 days of the accident.

Benefits under this section shall be payable to **you** or **your** nominees, and shall be limited to a maximum of £15,000 per person.

Cover included at Sportives / Charity Events

#### What is not Covered

- 1. Any accident not involving the use of a pedal cycle by you.
- 2. Cover in race events is excluded.
- 3. Anyone under age 16 or over age 85
- 4. Permanent total disablement benefit for anyone over age 65.
- 5. Suicide, attempted suicide or intentional self-injury or deliberate exposure to exceptional danger (except in an attempt to save human life), or insanity or **your** own criminal act, or being under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
- 6. When directly or indirectly resulting from stress, trauma or psychiatric illness.
- 7. Any benefit when your death, injury or loss does not occur within 30 days of the accident.
- 8. You being under the influence of alcohol or non-prescribed drugs, or abusing prescribed drugs where there is sufficient evidence to conclude that the use of alcohol or drugs contributed to an **accident**, **bodily injury** or criminal act.
- Any surgery or treatment that is not medically necessary, cosmetic surgery, reversing cosmetic surgery, or any corrective treatment needed as a result of previous cosmetic surgery.
- 10. Any benefit when **you** cannot prove to **us** that the **permanent total disablement** has continued for 12 months from the date of the **accident** and in all probability, will continue for the remainder of **your** life.
- 11. More than one benefit per policy under this section per period of insurance.
- 12. Any pre-existing condition.
- 13. Losses arising from any **pedal cycle** insurance policy which was purchased for a policy term of less than 365 days.
- 14. Any injury arising from your use of a pedal cycle to participate in stunts.
- 15. Dental treatment where written proof from **your** dental practitioner has not been provided, stating the **bodily injury** and justifying the requirement for dental fees to be incurred privately rather than utilising the care provided by the UK National Health Service.
- 16. Dental treatment that is purely cosmetic or for aesthetic purposes, e.g.:
  - a. any treatment **you** elect to have, such as crowns, bridges, inlays and onlays, which are not clinically necessary.
  - b. replacement of silver-coloured fillings with white fillings.
  - d. tooth whitening, including bleaching and laser whitening, veneers or orthodontic treatment
  - 17. For physiotherapy sessions:

a. where written proof from **your** medical practitioner has not been provided, stating the **bodily injury** and justifying the requirement for physiotherapy fees to be incurred privately rather than utilising care provided by the UK's National Health Service b. any treatment beyond 6 months of the **bodily injury** 

- c. more than one claim for the same **accident.**
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#### SECTION 3: PUBLIC LIABILITY What is Covered

We will in respect of the amount shown on the schedule which you become legally liable for, pay for accidental bodily injury, death, disease or accidental damage to any person or accidental damage to third party property which arises from your use of or ownership of a pedal cycle providing you are a resident of the United Kingdom.

The named policyholder is also covered under this section whilst riding any pedal cycle not listed in the schedule, within the territorial limits.

The total amount payable includes reasonable defence costs and expenses incurred by you with our written consent in connection with any liability insured.

Cover included at Sportives / Charity Events.

#### SECTION 4: TAXI REIMBURSEMENT What is covered:

If you suffer an accident, vandalism, or an irreparable breakdown to your pedal cycle within the territorial limits and it occurs more than one mile from the insured location, we will pay up to £150 for the cost of a taxi to transport you and your pedal cycle (if appropriate) to:

- 1. The nearest suitable cycle repair shop or
- 2. The nearest appropriate railway station or
- The nearest car rental agency or 3
- 4. The nearest overnight accommodation or
- 5. The insured location, if closer

Cover included at Sportives / Charity Events

#### What is not Covered

- Any member of your family under age 16 or over age 85.
- 2. Liability arising from any member of your family using a pedal cycle other than those listed in your schedule
- 3. Cover in race events is excluded.
- 4. Liability arising from loss or damage to property which belongs to you or is in your care custody or control.
- 5. Where you are entitled to indemnity from another source.
- 6. When punitive, exemplary or aggravated damages are awarded against you.
- 7. Any liability for bodily injury, loss or damage.
- a. to your employees or members of your family or household or to their property. b.arising out of the ownership, possession, use or occupation of land or buildings. c. arising out of the ownership, possession or use of motorised vehicles, yachts or motorised waterborne craft, airborne craft of any description, animals or firearms and weapons.
- Anyone being carried on the **pedal cycle** other than **you**. 8
- 9. Any liability not involving the use of a pedal cycle.
- 10. Any liability arising out of the use of a pedal cycle outside the territorial limits.

#### What is not covered:

- 1. Any costs other than the taxi fare to transport you and your pedal cycle to your onward destination
- 2. Any claim where photographic evidence of the broken pedal cycle has not been provided
- 3. Any incident within a mile, by public highway from the insured location.
- 4. Any incident where the pedal cycle is being used for a use not specified in the design and manufacturers specifications, or arising directly out of the unreasonable use of the pedal cycle on unsuitable terrain.
- 5. Ferry and toll charges
- 6. The cost of parts, components, lubricants or materials, food, drinks, telephone calls, or other incidental expenses
- 7. Damage to tyres by road punctures capable of being repaired by cycle emergency kit available to you at the time of the incident.
- 8. More than three claims in any one period of insurance.
- 9. Claims totalling more than £450 in any one period of insurance.
- 10. Whilst the pedal cycle is being used outside the territorial limits.
- 11. Losses arising from policies purchased for less than 365 days.

# SECTION 5: LEGAL EXPENSES

#### What is covered

- This policy will help you if an event which is another party's fault:
- a) damages your pedal cycle and/or personal property in or on it, and/or
- b) injures or kills you whilst on your pedal cycle.

The insurer will pay your legal costs & expenses up to £100,000 (for all claims arising from or relating to the same original cause including the cost of appeals) provided that:

- You have paid the insurance premium. 1
- 2 You keep to the terms of this policy and cooperate fully with us. The accident happens in the territorial limits.
- 3.
- 4. The claim:
  - i) always has reasonable prospects of success
    - ii) is reported to us
      - during the period of insurance
      - as soon as possible after the accident
- Unless there is a conflict of interest, you always agree to use the appointed advisor chosen by us in any claim:
  - i) to be heard by the small claims court, and/or
  - ii) before proceedings need to be issued
- The claim falls under the jurisdiction of a court in the UK. 6
- You enter into a conditional fee agreement (unless the appointed advisor has entered into a collective conditional fee agreement) where legally permitted.

#### What is not covered

The insurer will not cover any claim arising from or relating to:

- Legal costs & expenses incurred before we accept a claim or without our 1. written aareement.
- 2 A contract
- Defending any claim other than appeals against you. 3.
- An accident that happens before the start of the policy. 4.
- 5. Fines, penalties or compensation awarded against you.
- A group litigation order. 6

# CONDITIONS THAT APPLY TO SECTION 5 -LEGAL EXPENSES

Where the **insurer's** risk under this policy has increased due to **your** failure to keep to these conditions the **insurer** can cancel **your** policy, refuse a claim or withdraw from an ongoing claim. The **insurer** also reserves the right to claim back **legal costs & expenses** from **you** if this happens.

#### 1. Your responsibilities

- You must:
  - a) Tell us immediately of anything that may make it more costly or difficult for the appointed advisor to claim back losses.
- b) Cooperate fully with us, give the appointed advisor any instructions we require, keep them updated with progress of the claim and not hinder them.
  c) Take reasonable steps to claim back legal costs & expenses and, where recovered, pay them to the insurer.
- d) Keep legal costs & expenses as low as possible.
- e) Allow the **insurer** at any time to take over and conduct in **your** name, any claim.
- 2. Freedom to choose an appointed advisor
  - a) In certain circumstances as set out in 2. b) below, you may choose an appointed advisor. In all other cases no such right exists and we shall choose the appointed advisor.
  - b) If we agree to start proceedings or there is a conflict of interest, you may choose a suitably qualified appointed advisor. Unless there is a conflict of interest, this right does not apply where your claim is to be dealt with by the small claims court, and we shall choose the appointed advisor.
  - c) Where you wish to exercise your right to choose, you should write to us with your preferred representative's contact details.
  - d) If you dismiss the appointed advisor without good reason, or withdraws from the claim without our written agreement, or if the appointed advisor refuses to continue acting for you with good reason, the cover will end immediately. We reserve the right to appoint another appointed representative in accordance with 2. b) and c) above.

#### 3. Consent

You must agree to us having sight of the appointed advisor's file relating to your claim. You are considered to have provided consent to us or our appointed agent to have sight of your file for auditing and quality control purposes.

#### 4. Settlement

- a) The **Insurer** can settle the claim by paying the reasonable value of **your** claim.
- b) You must not negotiate, settle the claim or agree to pay legal costs & expenses without our written agreement.
- c) If you refuse to settle the claim following advice to do so from the **appointed advisor** the **insurer** may refuse to pay further **legal costs & expenses**. **Barrister's opinion**

We may require you to obtain and pay for an opinion from a barrister regarding the merits or value of the claim. If the opinion supports the you, then the insurer will reimburse the reasonable costs of that opinion. If that opinion conflicts with advice obtained by us, then the insurer will pay for a final opinion which shall be binding on the you and us. This does not affect your right under Condition 6 below.

#### 6. Disputes

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If any dispute between **you** and **us** arises from this policy, **you** can make a complaint to **us** as described in the Complaints Procedure and **we** will try to resolve the matter. If **we** are unable to satisfy **your** concerns **you** can ask the Financial Ombudsman Service to arbitrate over the complaint.

#### 7. Cancellation

You may cancel this Section of the policy only if you cancel your policy in its entirety.

# EXCLUSIONS THAT APPLY TO THE WHOLE POLICY

#### This policy does not cover the following:

- 1. Whilst a pedal cycle is used otherwise in accordance with all applicable local laws.
- 2. Cover at race events.
- 3. Whilst using a pedal cycle for 'hire & reward', e.g. courier services or the carriage of paying passengers.
- 4. The full cost of your claim where you have insured your pedal cycle for less than its value.
- 5. Professional or semi-professional athletes deriving part or all of their income from activities involving the use of a **pedal cycle** (examples of which but not limited to cyclist, triathlete or duathlete)
- 6. Any claim when using a pedal cycle outside of the Europe.
- 7. Any act of fraud or dishonesty by you or anyone acting on your behalf.
- 8. War, invasion, terrorism, acts of foreign enemies, hostilities (whether or not war has been declared), civil war, rebellion, revolution, insurrection, military or usurped power.
- 9. Ionising radiation or contamination by radioactivity from any nuclear fuel, or from any nuclear waste from burning nuclear fuel.
- 10. Radioactive, toxic, explosive or other hazardous properties of any explosive nuclear assembly or nuclear component thereof.
- 11. Pressure waves from aircraft or other aerial devices travelling at supersonic speeds.
- 12. Suicide, attempted suicide or deliberate injury to yourself or putting yourself in unnecessary danger (unless trying to save human life).
- 13. Solvent use, being under the influence of drugs or alcohol, except those prescribed by a registered doctor, or drugs which have been prescribed by a registered doctor and not those prescribed for drug addiction.
- 14. Engaging in any criminal act.
- 15. Any claim where evidence of ownership cannot be provided for the pedal cycle or the approved lock.
- 16. Natural disasters.
- 17. Financial Default.
- 18. Epidemic or Pandemic.
- 19. Pollution or threat of pollutant release.

## **GUIDANCE NOTES**

Sections 1-4 of this insurance are underwritten by Tradewise Insurance Services Ltd, Link House, 300 Southbury Road, Enfield, Middlesex, EN11TS who are authorised and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority.

Section 5 Legal Expenses is administered by ARAG plc under a binding authority agreement with the insurer AmTrust Europe Limited.

# SEVERAL LIABILITY NOTICE

The subscribing insurers' obligations under contracts of insurance to which they subscribe are several and not joint and are limited solely to the extent of their individual subscriptions. The subscribing insurers are not responsible for the subscription of any co-subscribing insurer who for any reason does not satisfy all or part of its obligations.

## FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPENSATION SCHEME

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. This depends on the type of business and the circumstances of the claim. A claim is protected for 90%, without any upper limit. 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.

# DATA PROTECTION NOTICE

This document contains important information relating to the details you have given us. This notice should also be shown to anyone else that is insured under this policy. This section draws to your attention the systems we have in place which allow us to detect and prevent fraudulent claims.

# FRAUD PREVENTION AND DETECTION

In order to prevent and detect fraud we draw to your attention in accordance with Data Protection Legislation, the fact that we may at any time record and monitor telephone calls for the purpose of detecting fraud & deception. We may also pass your details through any number of data sharing/fraud prevention Agencies such as Hunter and CIFAS.

Your Insurance cover details may be added to the Claims and Underwriting Exchange Register, run by the Insurance Database Services Ltd and the Insurance Anti-Fraud and Theft Register, run by the Association of British Insurers. It is a condition of **your** policy that **you** must tell **us** about any incident (such as **accident** or theft) whether or not it gives rise to a claim as soon as possible. We will pass information relating to it on to these Agencies. If **you** or anyone acting on **your** behalf gives **us** false or inaccurate information and **we** suspect fraud, all benefits under this policy will be void. The matter will be recorded with the above Agencies and pursued in accordance with the law.

We may share information about you with our associated and subsidiary companies. Other organisations may also use and search these records in their effort to combat fraud and undertake credit searches.

The **company** wishes to make it clear that the vast majority of honest Policyholders suffer as a result of a few. **Our** aim is to provide the best possible service to the genuine customer. Through the use of these systems and certain interview techniques, **we** are able to address fraud in such a manner that enables **us** to keep premiums competitive.

## PRIVACY NOTICE RELATING TO SECTION 5 - LEGAL EXPENSES ONLY

This is a summary of how ARAG collect, use, share and store personal information. To view the full privacy statement, please see visit www.arag.co.uk.

#### Collecting personal information

ARAG may be required to collect certain personal or sensitive information which may include name, address, date of birth and if appropriate medical information. We will hold and process this information in accordance with all relevant data protection regulations and legislation. Should we ask for personal or sensitive information, we undertake that it shall only be used in accordance with our privacy statement. We may also collect information for other parties such as suppliers we appoint to process the handling of a claim.

#### Using personal or sensitive information

The reason we collect personal or sensitive information is to fulfil **our** contractual and regulatory obligations in providing this insurance product, for example to process premium or handle a claim. To fulfil these obligations, we may need to share personal or sensitive information with other organisations. We will not disclose personal or sensitive information for any purpose other than the purpose for which it was collected. Please refer to **our** full privacy statement for full details.

#### Keeping personal information

We shall not keep personal information for any longer than necessary.

#### Your rights

Any person insured by this policy has a number of rights in relation to how **we** hold personal data including; the right to a copy of the personal date **we** hold; the right to object to the use of personal data or the withdrawal of previously given consent; the right to have personal data deleted. For a full list of privacy rights and when **we** will not be able to delete personal data please refer to **our** full privacy statement.