#### Written Off

The *Insured Bike* being assessed as being both undriveable and damaged beyond the point where it would be economical to fund its repair. In the event that the Insured Person is comprehensively insured, such assessment must be made by their motor insurers. In the event that the Insured Person's motor insurance is not comprehensive, such assessment will be made by Us or (if the Insured Person is not responsible for the accident) by the insurers of the party responsible for the accident.

### Insured Incident

The theft of the Insured Bike or an accident, fire or act of malicious damage involving the Insured Bike which causes the Insured Bike to be Written Off.

### This Policy Will Cover

- 1. Where the Insured Bike has been Written Off as a result of an Insured Incident arising during the Period of Insurance, subject to the Terms and Conditions We will arrange for the supply to You of a Substitute Bike for the duration of the *Hire Period* and *We* will pay the *Bike Hire* Costs provided that the hire has been arranged by Us through a Hire Firm. Where You notify Us at the time that You report an Insured Incident to Us that You wish to opt for an alternative cash payment, We will pay to You the sum of £150.
- 2 The Substitute Bike will be delivered to You as soon as is practically possible and in any event within one working day of Your report of an Insured Incident to Us.
- 3 You may ask for the Substitute Bike to be delivered to You at any convenient place within the mainland of Great Britain.
- 4 If at the time that You report the *Insured Incident* to Us. You advise Us that you wish to opt for a monetary payment as an alternative to Your entitlement to a Substitute Bike. We will arrange to pay You a cheque for £150.

### **This Policy Will Not Cover**

- We will not pay Bike Hire Costs for claims arising out of 1. more than one Insured Incident in any one Period of Insurance.
- 2. We will not be able to supply a Substitute Bike to any person who does not meet the Hire Firm's standard terms and conditions of hire in force at the date when You report the Insured Incident to Us.

- 3. We will not pay Bike Hire Costs incurred before Our written acceptance of a claim or where the Insured Person arranges their own hire.
- 4. We will not supply a Substitute Bike if You are a motorcycle courier or motor trader unless the Substitute Bike is used solely for Your personal use.
- 5. We will not supply a Substitute Bike where the Insured Bike is used for racing, rallies or competitions.
- 6. We will not supply a Substitute Bike where there is any allegation that the Insured Incident arose at a time when the Insured Person had consumed alcohol or illegal drugs.
- 7. We will not supply a Substitute Bike where as a result of the incident You report to Us, the Insured Bike is not Written Off

### General Conditions and Exclusions

- 1. In the event of the theft of the *Insured Bike*, or any other *Insured Incident* which is or may arise from a criminal act, You must, when reporting to Us, provide Us with the name, address and telephone number of the police station to which the crime has been reported and supply the crime reference number which has been allocated by the police.
- 2. The Insured Incident must be reported to Us within 48 hours of occurrence and must be subject to a claim under the Insured Person's own motor policy.
- The Insured Person must abide by the Hire Firm's terms 3 and conditions of hire at all times during the Hire Period.
- 4 The *Insured Person* must pay the insurance excess arising on any claim relating to the Substitute Bike which arises during the Hire Period, or pay a collision damage waiver. Full details of this will be made available before hire commences.
- We will select a Hire Firm for You, and arrange for them to 5 supply a Substitute Bike suitable for Your needs.
- 6. The Insured Person must agree to Our trying to recover the Bike Hire Costs in his or her name from any third party from whom they may be recoverable, including if necessary by issuing and pursuing civil legal proceedings. or including the Bike Hire Costs in any claim for other losses being pursued in the name of the Insured Person.

- 7 We can take over and conduct such a claim and/or proceedings in the Insured Person's name at any time.
- 8. We can negotiate any such claim on behalf of an Insured Person.
- 9 If You opt to receive a monetary payment You will not be entitled to claim for the provision of a Substitute Bike or any other benefit which this Policy may provide. The monetary payment will constitute the conclusion of Your claim, and You will not be entitled to make any further claim under this Policy whether arising from the same Insured Incident or not.
- 10. Any Bike Hire Costs recovered in such a claim must be paid to Us or to Our order.
- 11. You must keep Us fully informed at all times of all matters relating to the Insured Incident and in particular must notify Us immediately if an Insured Bike which has been stolen is recovered or if You receive a cheque in settlement of the value of an Insured Bike.
- 12. This Policy is written in English.
- 13. The parties are free to choose the law applicable to this insurance contract. Unless specifically agreed to the contrary this insurance shall be subject to the Laws of England and Wales.

### Data Protection Act 1998

Please note that any information provided to Motorplus Limited, Qdos Broker & Underwriting Services Limited, UK Underwriting Limited and/or Ageas Insurance Limited will be processed in compliance with the provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998.



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# **Substitute Bike Policy** Wording

# Important Information

This is your Substitute Bike Policy Wording. It includes everything you need to know about your policy.

We suggest you keep this document in a safe place as you will need to refer to it in the event of an accident.

Act guickly after an accident and call our claims unit on

# 0844 888 7364

We are contactable 24 hours a day, all year round

#### Substitute Bike Policy Wording

This Policy has been arranged by Motorplus Limited and Qdos Broker & Underwriting Services Limited and is underwritten by UK Underwriting Limited on behalf of:

Ageas Insurance Limited, Registered in England No. 354568. Registered Office: Ageas House, Tollgate, Eastleigh, Hampshire, SO53 3YA.

Motorplus Limited, Qdos Broker & Underwriting Services Limited, UK Underwriting Limited and Ageas Insurance Limited are authorised and regulated by the Financial Services Authority. This can be checked on the FSA's register by visiting the FSA's website at <u>www.fsa.gov.uk/register</u> or by contacting them on 0845 606 1234.

Subject to the appropriate premium having been paid the Insurer agrees to cover You as set out in this Policy.

Unless expressly stated nothing in this Policy will create rights pursuant to the Contract (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999.

#### What is a Substitute Bike?

Even if You are comprehensively insured, a road accident or the theft of Your bike which causes it to be written off can leave You without suitable transport. Where alternative transport is provided, it will often only be a small courtesy car provided by the repairer.

#### How can we help?

The Motorplus Substitute Bike scheme can provide a suitable bike to keep You on the road where Your own bike is written off after an accident, fire, theft or vandalism.

Furthermore, the bike provided will be an equivalent bike to Your own (to a maximum of 650cc) to enable You to continue Your daily life without unnecessary inconvenience.

Alternatively, you can opt for a car up to 1.4L or a monetary payment of £150 instead of a bike.



#### Making a Claim

PLEASE REMEMBER THAT OUR CLAIMS CENTRE IS OPEN 24 HOURS A DAY THROUGHOUT THE YEAR.

If Your bike is stolen or involved in an accident, fire or is vandalised. write down as many details as possible including the names and addresses of anyone else involved and any information provided by the police.

Let Us know the information as soon as possible, by calling Our Helpline on 0844 888 7364.

If We accept Your claim, We will arrange for the delivery to You of a suitable Substitute Bike, which You can use for the period of time described below.

If Your bike was destroyed in circumstances which were not Your fault, We may seek to recover the costs of providing the Substitute Bike from the responsible party or their insurers. We would normally do this through Our Claims Centre.

#### **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 in the first instance contact:

#### Chief Executive Officer

Motorplus Limited Kircam House Whiffler Road Norwich NR3 2AL

Tel: 01603 420 000 Fax: 01603 420 010

Please ensure Your policy number is quoted in all correspondence to assist a quick and efficient response.

In the event You remain dissatisfied and wish to make a complaint, You can do so by contacting the following:

#### The Customer Relations Manager

UK General Cast House Old Mill Business Park Gibraltar Island Road Leeds LS10 1RJ

Tel: 0845 218 2685 Email:customerrelations@ukgeneral.co.uk 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 €2 million and fewer than ten staff. You may contact the Financial Ombudsman Service at:

#### The Financial Ombudsman Service South Quay Plaza 183 Marsh Wall Docklands London E14 9SR

#### Tel: 0845 080 1800

The above complaints procedure is in addition to Your statutory rights. For further information about Your statutory rights contact Your local authority Trading Standards Service or Citizens Advice Bureau.

#### **Financial Services Compensation Scheme**

Ageas Insurance Limited is covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme. You may be entitled to compensation from the scheme in the unlikely event that Ageas Insurance Limited cannot meet their financial responsibilities. The FSCS will meet 90% of Your claim, without any upper limit. You can obtain further information about compensation scheme arrangements from the FSCS at www.fscs.org.uk, or by phoning 0207 892 7300.

#### Cancellation

We hope You are happy with the cover this Policy provides. However, You have the right to cancel it within 14 days of receiving the Policy, without giving any reasons, by sending Us written notice within the first 14 days of the Policy, or (if later) within 14 days of You receiving the insurance documents. This is known as the "cooling off period". Thereafter any return premium will be discretionary.



#### Definitions

You, Your The person who has taken out this Policy.

You and any other person riding the Insured Bike with Your permission and under the cover of Your motor insurance providing they satisfy the *Hire Firm*'s standard terms and conditions of hire in force at the date of the Insured Incident and also providing that they are resident within the Territorial Limit.

# Insurer

UK Underwriting Limited on behalf of Ageas Insurance Limited. UK Underwriting Limited are an insurers' agent and in the matters of a claim act on behalf of the insurer.

# Insured Bike

The motorcycle specified in the motor insurance policy issued with this Policy.

Period.

### Hire Period

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Hire Firm

Period of Insurance 12 calendar months from the date of inception of this Policy, or until the next expiry date of the motor insurance policy to which this Policy is annexed, whichever period is the less. In the event of cancellation or non-renewal of that motor insurance policy, all cover under this Policy shall cease.

### We. Us. Our

MotorPlus Limited trading as ULR Norwich.

### Insured Person

#### Substitute Bike

A replacement motorcycle selected by Us and having an equivalent engine capacity to the *Insured Bike* but not exceeding 650cc in any event, or alternatively (at Your option) a car having an engine capacity not exceeding 1.4L.

### Bike Hire Costs

The cost of hiring a Substitute Bike for one continuous Hire

The period from the date a Substitute Bike is delivered to You until the earliest of the following dates:

a) the date when You receive a cheque in respect of the value of the Insured Bike; or

the end of the fourteenth day of hire.

A member of *Our* network of approved motorcycle hire companies.

#### Territorial Limit

England, Wales and the mainland of Scotland.