



# Information Bulletin – Comcover Statement of Cover 2020-21

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## Comcover Statement of Cover 2020-21 – Key Changes

The *Comcover Statement of Cover 2020-21* (the Statement of Cover) takes effect from 1 July 2020 and supersedes the *Comcover Statement of Cover 2019-20*. It is important that you, as the Fund Member, carefully read the Statement of Cover and understand the changes that may affect the level and extent of your cover.

The Statement of Cover is a statement of the policy under which Comcover manages and settles claims for funding losses on behalf of Fund Members and the Commonwealth more generally.

As always, your Relationship Manager is available to provide guidance and advice in response to any queries you may have.

Notable changes in the Statement of Cover include:

### CHAPTER 3 – LIABILITY

#### 6. General Liability and Professional Indemnity

- 6(2) The word ‘travellers’ has been removed only from the Liability class to ensure any appointed contractors retain their own Professional Indemnity cover when representing the Commonwealth as a traveller.

### CHAPTER 4 – PROPERTY

#### 9. Property in Transit

- 9(2)(d) Exclusions for property in transit have been aligned with those in the Property section.

### CHAPTER 5 – MOTOR VEHICLE

#### 12. Motor Vehicle

- 12(2)(e) Substitute motor vehicle hire costs increased from \$1,400 to \$2,100.  
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12(2)(g) Inclusion of damaged 'window glass', in addition to breakage of windscreen. This will provide additional cover for damaged windows.

12(5)(a) Payout amount on a damaged hire purchase or leased vehicle increased from 20% to 25% of market value.

#### CHAPTER 6 – PERSONAL ACCIDENT AND TRAVEL

##### **16. Expatriate**

16(4)(h) Clarification that Expatriate cover does not apply where the Expatriate is on annual leave outside of their country of posting.

Note: This is only a summary of the key changes between the 2019-20 and 2020-21 Statement of Cover. This summary is not definitive and decisions relating to coverage in specific circumstances will be determined in accordance with the wording of the Statement of Cover.

If you require any further information, please contact your Relationship Manager at Comcover on 1800 651 540 (selecting option 3).