

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

**EXCLUSION OF CERTIFIED ACTS OF TERRORISM  
INVOLVING NUCLEAR, BIOLOGICAL, CHEMICAL OR  
RADIOLOGICAL TERRORISM; CAP ON COVERED  
CERTIFIED ACTS LOSSES**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

BUSINESSOWNERS COVERAGE FORM

**SCHEDULE**

The **Exception Covering Certain Fire Losses** (Paragraph B.2.) applies to property located in the following state(s):

Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations.

**A.** The following definition is added with respect to the provisions of this endorsement:

"Certified act of terrorism" means an act that is certified by the Secretary of the Treasury, in accordance with the provisions of the federal Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, to be an act of terrorism pursuant to such Act. The criteria contained in the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act for a "certified act of terrorism" include the following:

1. The act resulted in insured losses in excess of \$5 million in the aggregate, attributable to all types of insurance subject to the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act; and
2. The act is a violent act or an act that is dangerous to human life, property or infrastructure and is committed by an individual or individuals as part of an effort to coerce the civilian population of the United States or to influence the policy or affect the conduct of the United States Government by coercion.

**B. Section I – Property** is amended as follows:

1. The following exclusion is added:

**a. Limited Exclusion Of Certified Acts Of Terrorism**

We will not pay for loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by a "certified act of terrorism". Such loss or damage is excluded regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to the loss. But this exclusion applies only when one or more of the following are attributed to such act:

- (1) The terrorism is carried out by means of the dispersal or application of radioactive material, or through the use of a nuclear weapon or device that involves or produces a nuclear reaction, nuclear radiation or radioactive contamination; or

- (2) Radioactive material is released, and it appears that one purpose of the terrorism was to release such material; or
- (3) The terrorism is carried out by means of the dispersal or application of pathogenic or poisonous biological or chemical material; or
- (4) Pathogenic or poisonous biological or chemical material is released, and it appears that one purpose of the terrorism was to release such material.

When this terrorism exclusion applies in accordance with the terms of Paragraph **B.1.a.(1)** or **B.1.a.(2)**, the terrorism exclusion applies without regard to the Nuclear Hazard Exclusion in this Coverage Form.

## 2. Exception Covering Certain Fire Losses

The following exception to the Exclusion in Paragraph **B.1.** applies only if indicated and as indicated in the Schedule of this endorsement.

If a "certified act of terrorism" excluded under Paragraph **B.1.** results in fire, we will pay for the loss or damage caused by that fire, subject to all applicable policy provisions including the Limit of Insurance on the affected property. Such coverage for fire applies only to direct loss or damage by fire to Covered Property. Therefore, for example, the coverage does not apply to insurance provided under business income and/or extra expense coverage or endorsements that apply to those coverages.

## C. Section II – Liability is amended as follows:

### 1. The following exclusion is added:

This insurance does not apply to:

#### **TERRORISM**

"Any injury or damage" arising, directly or indirectly, out of a "certified act of terrorism". However, this exclusion applies only when one or more of the following are attributed to such act:

- a. The terrorism involves the use, release or escape of nuclear materials, or directly or indirectly results in nuclear reaction or radiation or radioactive contamination; or

- b. The terrorism is carried out by means of the dispersal or application of pathogenic or poisonous biological or chemical materials; or
- c. Pathogenic or poisonous biological or chemical materials are released, and it appears that one purpose of the terrorism was to release such materials.

### 2. The following definition is added:

- a. For the purposes of this endorsement, "any injury or damage" means any injury or damage covered under this coverage form or any applicable endorsement, and includes but is not limited to "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" as may be defined in this coverage form or any applicable endorsement.

## D. Section I – Property and Section II – Liability are amended as follows:

### **CAP ON CERTIFIED TERRORISM LOSSES**

The following limitation applies to coverage for any one or more "certified acts of terrorism" that are not excluded by the terms of the exclusion in Paragraphs **B.1.** and **C.1.** and to any loss or damage that is covered and to which the exception in Paragraph **B.2.** applies.

If aggregate insured losses attributable to terrorist acts certified under the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act exceed \$100 billion in a calendar year and we have met our insurer deductible under the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, we shall not be liable for the payment of any portion of the amount of such losses that exceeds \$100 billion, and in such case insured losses up to that amount are subject to pro rata allocation in accordance with procedures established by the Secretary of the Treasury.

## E. The following provision is added to Section I – Property and Section II – Liability:

The terms and limitations of any terrorism exclusion, or the inapplicability or omission of a terrorism exclusion, do not serve to create coverage for loss or injury or damage that is otherwise excluded under this Policy.