

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

## **CONDITIONAL EXCLUSION OF TERRORISM INVOLVING NUCLEAR, BIOLOGICAL OR CHEMICAL TERRORISM (RELATING TO DISPOSITION OF FEDERAL TERRORISM RISK INSURANCE ACT)**

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

**1. Applicability Of The Provisions Of This Endorsement**

a. The provisions of this endorsement become applicable commencing on the date when any one or more of the following first occurs. But if your policy (meaning the policy period in which this endorsement applies) begins after such date, then the provisions of this endorsement become applicable on the date your policy begins.

(1) The federal Terrorism Risk Insurance Program ("Program"), established by the Terrorism Risk Insurance Act, has terminated with respect to the type of insurance provided under this Coverage Form; or

(2) A renewal, extension or replacement of the Program has become effective without a requirement to make terrorism coverage available to you and with revisions that:

(a) Increase our statutory percentage deductible under the Program for terrorism losses. (That deductible determines the amount of all certified terrorism losses we must pay in a calendar year, before the federal government shares in subsequent payment of certified terrorism losses.); or

(b) Decrease the federal government's statutory percentage share in potential terrorism losses above such deductible; or

- (c) **Redefine terrorism or make insurance coverage for terrorism subject to provisions or requirements that differ from those that apply to other types of events or occurrences under this policy.**
  - b. **If the provisions of this endorsement become applicable, such provisions:**
    - (1) **Supersede any terrorism endorsement already endorsed to this policy that addresses "certified acts of terrorism" and/or "other acts of terrorism", but only with respect to loss or injury or damage from an incident(s) of terrorism (however defined) that occurs on or after the date when the provisions of this endorsement become applicable; and**
    - (2) **Remain applicable unless we notify you of changes in these provisions, in response to federal law.**
  - c. **If the provisions of this endorsement do NOT become applicable, any terrorism endorsement already endorsed to this policy, that addresses "certified acts of terrorism" and/or "other acts of terrorism", will continue in effect unless we notify you of changes to that endorsement in response to federal law.**
2. The following definition is added and applies under this endorsement wherever the term terrorism is enclosed in quotation marks.
- "Terrorism" means activities against persons, organizations or property of any nature:
- a. That involve the following or preparation for the following:
    - (1) Use or threat of force or violence; or
    - (2) Commission or threat of a dangerous act; or
    - (3) Commission or threat of an act that interferes with or disrupts an electronic, communication, information, or mechanical system; and
  - b. When one or both of the following applies:
    - (1) The effect is to intimidate or coerce a government or the civilian population or any segment thereof, or to disrupt any segment of the economy; or
    - (2) It appears that the intent is to intimidate or coerce a government, or to further political, ideological, religious, social or economic objectives or to express (or express opposition to) a philosophy or ideology.

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

1. The following exclusion is added:

**EXCLUSION OF TERRORISM**

We will not pay for loss or damage caused directly or indirectly by "terrorism", including action in hindering or defending against an actual or expected incident 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 an incident of "terrorism":**

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

**2. Exception Covering Certain Fire Losses**

The following exception to the Exclusion Of Terrorism applies only if indicated and as indicated in the Schedule of this endorsement.

If "terrorism" 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 coverages or endorsements that apply to those coverages.

### 3. Application Of Other Exclusions

When the Exclusion Of Terrorism applies in accordance with the terms of Paragraph 1.a. or 1.b., such exclusion applies without regard to the Nuclear Hazard Exclusion in this Coverage Form.

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

1. The following definition is added and applies under this endorsement wherever the phrase any injury or damage is enclosed in quotation marks:

"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 under this Coverage Form.

2. The following exclusion is added:

#### **EXCLUSION OF TERRORISM**

We will not pay for "any injury or damage" caused directly or indirectly by "terrorism", including action in hindering or defending against an actual or expected incident of "terrorism". "Any injury or damage" is excluded regardless of any other cause or event that contributes concurrently or in any sequence to such injury or damage. **But this exclusion applies only when one or more of the following are attributed to an incident of "terrorism":**

- a. 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

- b. Radioactive material is released, and it appears that one purpose of the "terrorism" was to release such material; or

- c. The "terrorism" is carried out by means of the dispersal or application of pathogenic or poisonous biological or chemical materials; or

- d. Pathogenic or poisonous biological or chemical materials are released, and it appears that one purpose of the "terrorism" was to release such materials.

#### D. 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.