

# COMMUNITY SECTOR AND CHILDCARE BROADFORM LIABILITY RENEWAL DECLARATION

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**HOSTSURE**  
UNDERWRITING AGENCY

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### BINDER AGREEMENT

The contract of insurance is arranged by Hostsure Underwriting Agency Pty Ltd (ABN 44 108 154 829, AFSL 268726) ('Hostsure') acting under a binding authority as agent for the Insurer, certain Underwriters at Lloyd's. Hostsure does not act as Your agent.

### YOUR DUTY OF DISCLOSURE

Before You enter into an insurance contract, You have a duty to tell Us anything that You know, or could reasonably be expected to know, may affect Our decision to insure You and on what terms.

You have this duty until We agree to insure You.

You have the same duty before You renew, extend, vary or reinstate an insurance contract.

You are not required to tell Us anything that:

- reduces the risk We insure You for; or
- is common knowledge; or
- We know or should know as an insurer; or
- We waive Your duty to tell Us about.

### If You do not tell Us something

If You do not tell Us anything You are required to, We may cancel Your contract or reduce the amount We will pay You if You make a claim, or both.

If Your failure to tell Us is fraudulent, We may refuse to pay a claim and treat the contract as if it never existed.

### PRIVACY STATEMENT

In this privacy statement the use of 'We', 'Us' and 'Our' means the Underwriters and Hostsure unless specified otherwise.

The privacy statement set out below refers to Hostsure's Privacy Policy in dealing with Your information and processing of Your Policy. This will differ from the privacy policy of Your broker as set out on their website.

We are committed to protecting Your privacy. We are bound by the obligations of the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth). This sets out basic standards relating to the collection, use, storage and disclosure of personal information.

We need to collect, use and disclose Your personal information (which may include sensitive information) in order to consider Your application for insurance and to provide the cover You have chosen, administer the insurance and assess any claim. You can choose not to provide Us with some of the details or all of Your personal information, but this may affect Our ability to provide the cover, administer the insurance or assess a claim.

The primary purpose for Our collection and use of Your personal information is to enable Us to provide insurance services to You.

Personal information will be obtained from individuals directly where possible and practicable to do so. Sometimes it may be collected indirectly (e.g. from Your insurance intermediary or co-insureds). If You provide personal information for another person

You represent to Us that:

- You have the authority from them to do so and it is as if they provided it to Us;
- You have made them aware that You will or may provide their personal information to Us, the types of third parties We may provide it to, the relevant purposes We and the third parties We disclose it to will use it for, and how they can access it. If it is sensitive information We rely on You to have obtained their consent on these matters. If You have not done or will not do either of these things, You must tell Us before You provide the relevant information.

We may disclose the personal information We collect to third parties who assist Us in providing the above services, such as related entities, distributors, agents, insurers, reinsurers and service providers. Some of these third parties may be located outside of Australia. In all instances where personal information may be disclosed to third parties who may be located overseas, We will take reasonable measures to ensure that the overseas recipient holds and uses Your personal information in accordance with the consent provided by You and in accordance with Our obligations under the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth).

In dealing with Us, You consent to Us using and disclosing Your personal information as set out in this statement. This consent remains valid unless You alter or revoke it by giving written notice to Hostsure's Privacy Officer. However, should You choose to withdraw Your consent, We may not be able to provide insurance services to You.

Hostsure's Privacy Policy which is available at [www.hostsure.com.au](http://www.hostsure.com.au) or by calling Hostsure, sets out how:

- Hostsure protects Your personal information;
- You may access Your personal information;
- You may correct Your personal information held by Us;
- You may complain about a breach of the *Privacy Act 1988* (Cth) or Australian Privacy Principles and how Hostsure will deal with such a complaint.

If You would like additional information about privacy or would like to obtain a copy of the Privacy Policy, please contact Our designated Privacy Officer by:

**Postal address:** PO Box A2016, Sydney South NSW 1235

**Phone:** +61 2 9307 6656

**Fax:** +61 2 9307 6699

**Email:** [privacyofficer@steadfastagencies.com.au](mailto:privacyofficer@steadfastagencies.com.au)

You can download a copy of Hostsure's Privacy Policy by visiting [www.hostsure.com.au](http://www.hostsure.com.au)

### DEFINED TERMS

We have capitalised words with special meaning wherever they appear to show that those words have a particular defined meaning. These words are defined in the Definitions section of the Policy.

All questions are to be answered. If there is insufficient space, please attach additional information to this form.

### INSURED'S DETAILS

Name of Insured (incl. all subsidiary companies)					
Contact name					
Phone number		Email address			
Postal address					
Suburb / city		State	Postcode		
Policy number		Expiry date	(DD/MM/YYYY) at 4.00 pm		
Is Your Business registered for GST?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				

### UNDERWRITING INFORMATION

Please provide Your actual total turnover for the previous Period of Insurance.								\$
Please provide Your estimated total turnover for the coming Period of Insurance. Exclude all donations, subscriptions, contributions and any government funding directed to infrastructure or maintenance. (e.g. vehicles, buildings, equipment, fixtures and fittings)								\$
Please provide Your estimated total wages for the coming Period of Insurance.								\$
Please provide details of Your estimated turnover as a percentage per state.	ACT	%	NSW	%	NT	%	QLD	%
	SA	%	TAS	%	VIC	%	WA	%
Have there been any changes to Your Business activities during the previous Period of Insurance?								<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are there any changes to Your Business activities for the coming Period of Insurance?								<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Operation hours / days								
Please advise the number of children You are licensed to care for.								
Do You require cover for contract carers? If "Yes", please advise:								<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Name	Experience					Certification		
Do You organise or manage camps? If "Yes", please advise:								<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Destination	Duration	No. of times per year	No. of participants	Age range				
Do You organise or manage any adventure activities? (e.g. abseiling, rock climbing, canyoning) If "Yes", please advise:								<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Activity	Duration	No. of participants						

**UNDERWRITING INFORMATION** continued

Are all participants (or their guardians) made aware of the dangers before participating?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You ensure that disclaimers are signed prior to participation?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You provide housing or accommodation? If "Yes", please advise:			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
No. of beds	Purpose	Frequency of use	Duration of stays
Will You utilise the services of contractors / subcontractors on a regular or permanent basis during the Period of Insurance?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<i>Please note that should You utilise the services of contractors / subcontractors during the Period of Insurance You must advise Us.</i>			
If "Yes", what services do they provide? (% split by activity)			
Are the contractors / subcontractors self-employed or are they employed by a company?			
Do You utilise the services of a labour hire firm?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
What are the total annual wages paid to contractors / subcontractors?			\$
Do You keep and maintain a written record of their public liability insurance? (This should carry a minimum limit of \$10,000,000 with an authorised insurer)			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You require cover for Criminal Defence Expense Insurance?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You require sexual assault, abuse or molestation cover under this Policy? If "Yes", please complete the Sexual Assault, Abuse or Molestation Addendum			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
<b>SEXUAL ASSAULT, ABUSE OR MOLESTATION ADDENDUM</b>			
<i>Incidents of abuse may only come to light after a long period of time, in some cases many years. Documents containing personal data (as defined in the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth)) should be securely retained "for as long as necessary" (ideally no less than 50 years) to ensure that the documents are available in the event of an allegation of abuse arising.</i>			
How long do You securely retain documents containing personal data?			
Have You obtained prohibited employment declarations from all of Your paid and volunteer employees who are working in child / vulnerable person related employment?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You undertake police checks / Working with Children Checks for all of Your paid and volunteer employees who are working in child / vulnerable person related employment?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You interview and check references for all of Your paid and volunteer employees who are working in child / vulnerable person related employment?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You ask parents of new enrolment children about the child's history at other centres, to provide details of those centres and to disclose any behaviours exhibited by the child previously so that appropriate risk management measures can be implemented?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do You have child / vulnerable person protection guidelines with procedures for dealing with sexual assault, abuse or molestation complaints?			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
How long are adults formally left alone with children / young people / vulnerable persons on a one-on-one basis?			

**UNDERWRITING INFORMATION** continued

SEXUAL ASSAULT, ABUSE OR MOLESTATION ADDENDUM continued	
What activities are conducted whilst caring on a one-on-one basis?	
Do You require retroactive cover prior to the inception date? If "Yes", what date have You held continuous sexual assault, sexual abuse or sexual molestation cover since?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No /     /
Have You ever received complaints relating to molestation / sexual abuse or similar? If "Yes", please provide details on a separate page and attach to this application.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Are You aware of any person who attends or is involved with Your organisation who has previously committed a molestation or child / vulnerable person related abuse offence? If "Yes", please provide details on a separate page and attach to this application.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

**CLAIMS HISTORY**

Detail all claims or incidents that may give rise to a claim, notified to You in the past twelve (12) months. Please include dates and amounts. (If insufficient room continue on a separate sheet)	

**PLEASE CHECK YOUR RENEWAL DECLARATION CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING THE DECLARATION BELOW.**

## **DECLARATION**

I / We declare that:

- 1) I have read and understood my duty of disclosure and the privacy statement contained in the Important Information section of this Renewal Declaration.
- 2) I am authorised to complete and sign this declaration on behalf of all the applicants.
- 3) I confirm that the answers and statements in this Renewal Declaration are true and correct and I have not withheld any information which may affect the decision to accept this Renewal Declaration or the terms and conditions of any insurance provided.
- 4) I understand that up until a contract of insurance is entered into, I am under a continuing obligation to immediately inform Hostsure Underwriting Agency of any change in the particulars or statements contained in this Renewal Declaration or in any attachments.
- 5) I understand that if this Renewal Declaration is accepted, the insurance cover will be subject to the terms and conditions set out in the Policy.
- 6) I acknowledge that the particulars and statements contained in this Renewal Declaration shall form the basis of the contract should a Policy be issued.
- 7) I further acknowledge that Hostsure Underwriting Agency on behalf of the Insurer may decline this Renewal Declaration.
- 8) I consent to Hostsure Underwriting Agency and the Insurer collecting, using and disclosing personal information as set out in the privacy statement. Where I have provided personal information on behalf of another person I have complied with my obligations as set out in the privacy statement.
- 9) I understand that this insurance does not operate until Hostsure issues the Schedule and the premium has been paid (except for any cover provided under an interim insurance contract).
- 10) I understand that the Insurer reserves the right to vary the premium and / or the Policy terms and conditions on receipt of the completed Renewal Declaration.

Your signature

Your name

Date

Your title