

# COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION INSURANCE PLAN

Community living insurance made easy





Policy benefits and proposal form for lot owners and commercial buildings

# **Community living insurance**

CHU's Community Association Insurance Plan provides Bodies Corporate and lot owners with a unique degree of protection over their assets and potential liabilities.

There are numerous insurance benefits under the CHU Community Association Insurance Plan including:

- ► Extra cover benefits

  CHU provide the only tailored

  Community Association product

  available in the current market

  which includes an extensive range

  of additional and special benefits.
- Affordable, competitively priced cover with lower premiums It makes good sense to combine all lots under the same policy so you can enjoy lower premiums.
- No gaps cover You will be covered on an 'accidental loss or damage' basis in contrast to the more common alternative of a 'defined events' policy.
- Convenience Claims and premium payments are arranged simply through one contact, one insurance provider.

- Rapid claims settlement By insuring with CHU you will have access to our fast-tracked claims settling process which is easy for you, fast and professional.
- Claims conflict elimination
  One insurance plan, one provider,
  will eliminate the potential claims
  conflict that arises between
  insurers when common property
  and lot owners' residences
  are insured individually.
- ► Security and peace of mind
  Having all the insurances
  together in one policy reduces
  the risk of one owner failing or
  forgetting to insure, potentially
  putting other owners at a
  financial risk particularly where
  common walls are involved

For further information please contact your nearest CHU office overleaf.

This information represents a summary of the benefits only, and should be read in conjunction with the Policy Wording and Product Disclosure Statement. This document can be downloaded from www.chu.com.au or for further information please contact your nearest CHU office – details overleaf.

# made easy with CHU

What risks are involved when a lot owner's home isn't protected under the community association insurance plan?

## No insurance

The risk of lot owners or residents not being insured and suffering a serious loss is a real concern. Lack of insurance could result in owners not having funds to repair or rebuild their home - a significant worry for everyone in the community.

# Multiple insurers means more exclusions and complexities

Where widespread damage to the lots/residences and community areas occurs and there are multiple insurers, each individual insurer will appoint a different loss adjuster. This has potential for confusion and conflict as the various policies will have different covers, limits, exclusions and conditions.

# Failure to renew

Having all lots included in one policy eliminates the risk of individual owners forgetting to renew their policy. This is particularly important when residences have common walls and a loss occurs requiring the rebuilding of that common wall.

# **About CHU**

CHU is Australia's leading strata insurance specialist dealing in nothing else but insurance for strata and community title. In fact...

- ✓ CHU created the very first strata insurance plan in Australia in 1978
- CHU looks after more than 100,000 strata schemes nationally
- ✓ All CHU policies are backed by the strength of QBE Insurance (Australia) Limited
- Outstanding claims service; fast, efficient and second to none
- CHU has full knowledge and expertise of the legislative requirements and market needs for this type of insurance

CHU's strata products and services protect the assets of the Bodies Corporate and community beyond the minimum legislative requirements and in the process, makes life **simpler**, **easier and more efficient** for all involved with insurance matters.

To apply for this cover, please fill out the attached supplementary proposal form and return to your nearest CHU office overleaf.

# Proposal community association insurance plan supplementary proposal: lot owners homes and commercial buildings

# Policy 10 and Policy 11

Lot Owner(s)	
Situation of property to be insured	
Address	Postcode
Your Lot No Name/ number of your Community scheme or plan	
Your Postal address	Postcode
Mortgagee/s (if any)	
Period of insurance from / / to Expiry date of Con	nmunity Association Policy
Section cover	Sum insured
A ☐ <b>Home</b> ☐ <b>Commercial Building</b> (Please insert a ✓ to indicate occupancy.)	\$
Rent / Temporary Accommodation*	15% of above sum insured
B Liability to others	\$
C Machinery breakdown	\$
D Catastrophe insurance	\$
Rent / Temporary Accommodation – extended cover*	15% of above sum insured
* If you require percentages higher than those shown, please contact us.	
Questionnaire – these questions must be answered by the Lot Owner(s)	
Year Home/Commercial Building built?	
Who occupies the Home/ Commercial Building?    Lot Owner    Tenant	
$ \begin{tabular}{lll} Walls & $\square$ Brick/Conc & $\square$ Hardiplank & $\square$ Timber & $\square$ Other & $\square$ Roof \\ \end{tabular}$	□Tiles □Iron □Other
If a Commercial Building, describe the occupancy	
During the past 5 years have you had any insurance declined, an excess or special cond for loss or damage, or suffered loss or damage which would have been covered by this	· ·
If Yes, provide details such as date, name of Insurer, reason for declinature etc., cause a	nd monetary amount of loss.

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

### insurers

Policies issued by CHU Underwriting Agencies Pty Ltd ABN 18 001 580 070 AFS Licence No: 243261 on behalf of the insurers:- QBE Insurance (Australia) Limited ABN 78 003 191 035 82 Pitt Street Sydney NSW 2000 (AFS Licence No: 239545) QBE Workers Compensation (NSW) Limited - Agent for the NSW WorkCover Scheme ABN 83 564 379 108 004

# your duty of disclosure

The law requires you to tell us everything you know (or could reasonably be expected to know in the circumstances) which is relevant to our decision to insure you and the terms on which we insure you. You must also honestly answer any questions we ask of you.

This duty applies before you enter into a contract with us, that is, before we accept your application and also before each time you alter or renew your policy. Each person named as the Insured has the same duty. Also be sure to notify us of any changes that affect your policy.

# Non-disclosure

If you do not tell us everything that is relevant, we may:

- reduce or refuse to pay a claim;
- cancel your policy; or
- if you act fraudulently, avoid the policy from its beginning.

# you don't need to tell us anything which:

- reduces the risk;
- is common knowledge;
- we already know, or ought to know in the ordinary course of our business; or
- we indicate we do not want to know.

If you are not sure that something is relevant, it is best to disclose it anyway.

# excesses - explanatory notes

Whenever an Excess Number and amount is shown in the Schedule, You have to pay or contribute the stated amount for each loss arising out of or consequent upon that numbered Event.

The Event to which the number refers is:

- Damage by water or liquid, including exploratory costs incurred in locating the source of damage, caused by the bursting, leaking, discharging or overflowing of tanks, apparatus or pipes.
- Damage by water or liquid, other than that caused by the bursting, leaking, discharging or overflowing of tanks, apparatus or pipes.
- 3. Breakage of or damage to glass or mirrors.
- 4. Storm and/or tempest.
- 5. Any Event of any kind.
- 6. Damage to electric motors.
- 7. Malicious acts, vandalism, graffiti.
- 8. Impact caused by road Vehicles or animals.
- 9. Burglary or theft or any attempt thereat.

Norkers compensation wages declaration -	· (applicable in	ı NSW, WA,	TAS and A	ACT only)
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No. of employees:	lotal wages paid (not including those paid to contractors): \$		
Signed:	Date:		

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