

# **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Whenever a claim form is given to an Insured who lives in any of the states listed below, this "Important Notice" must be attached to the claim form.

### FOR ALASKA RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information may be prosecuted under state law."

#### FOR ARIZONA RESIDENTS

"For your protection Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties."

### FOR ARKANSAS RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison."

#### FOR CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison."

### FOR COLORADO RESIDENTS

"It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance, and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado division of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies."

#### FOR DELWARE RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony."

## FOR DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA RESIDENTS

"WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer for the purpose of defrauding the insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant."

#### FOR FLORIDA RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony of third degree in Florida."

#### FOR HAWAII RESIDENTS

"For your protection, Hawaii law requires you to be informed that presenting a fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit is a crime punishable by fines or imprisonment, or both."

## FOR IDAHO RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly, and with intent to defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony."

## FOR INDIANA RESIDENTS

"A person who knowingly and with intent to defraud an insurer, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information commits a felony."

## FOR KENTUCKY RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly, and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files a statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime."

### FOR LOUISIANA RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison."

#### FOR MAINE RESIDENTS

"It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines or denial of insurance benefits."

## FOR MARYLAND RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly and willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly and willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison."

#### FOR MINNESOTSA RESIDENTS

"Any person who files a claim with intent to defraud or helps commit a fraud against an insurer is guilty of a crime."

## FOR NEW HAMPSHIRE RESIDENTS

"Any person who, with a purpose to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment for insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638:20."

#### FOR NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any false or misleading information is subject to criminal and civil penalties in New Jersey."

#### FOR NEW MEXICO RESIDENTS

"ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN AN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES."

### FOR OHIO RESIDENTS

"Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he or she is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deception statement is guilty of insurance fraud."

## FOR OKLAHOMA RESIDENTS

WARNING: "Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony."

### FOR OREGON RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals, for purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, may be guilty of insurance fraud and may be subject to prosecution for insurance fraud."

## FOR PENNSYLVANIA RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime, and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties."

### FOR PUERTO RICO RESIDENTS

"Any person who, knowingly, and with the intent to defraud, presents false information in an insurance request form, or who presents, helps or has presented a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, will incur a felony, and upon conviction will be penalized for each violation with the fine no less than five thousand (5,000) dollars nor more than ten thousand (10,000) dollars, or imprisonment for a fixed term of three (3) years, or both penalities. If aggravated circumstances prevail, the fixed imprisonment may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years; if attenuating circumstances prevail, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years."

## FOR TENNESSEE RESIDENTS

"It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.

## FOR TEXAS RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison."

## FOR VERMONT RESIDENTS

"Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material, thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act."

## FOR VIRGINIA RESIDENTS

"It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines or denial of insurance benefits."