# **Home Emergency Insurance**

### **Insurance Product Information Document**

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**Product Name: Essentials** 

This document is a summary of the key information relating to the Insurance Contract. Full details on the contract, product and terms and conditions can be found in your policy documentation. If you have chosen a boiler service, it doesn't form part of the insurance but details can be found in your policy documentation.

#### What is this type of insurance?

This policy provides cover to meet the needs of a property owner who wants to protect against the costs associated with the breakdown of their boiler and central heating system.



#### What is insured?

 Mains Gas Boiler and Central Heating System £2,000 combined

#### Optional cover you have not chosen

- Plumbing £2,000
- Electrics £2,000
- Boiler Replacement £2,500
- Internal Drains and Waste Pipes £2,000
- External Drains £2,000
- Water Supply Pipes £2,000
- Gas Supply Pipes £2,000
- Taps and Toilets £2,000
- Priority Helpline



### What is not insured?

- Gas fires, back boilers, alternative, green, renewable energy or dual-purpose systems.
- Damage caused by sludge, scale or other debris in the central heating system or boiler.
- Electric central heating systems.
- Any problems caused by freezing.
- Business losses or loss of earnings.
- X Faults that arose before you asked for cover.
- Damage caused by leaks.
- Repair or replacement of the boiler should the engineer determine that it is beyond economical repair or if new manufacturer approved spare parts are not available for boilers 7 years old or over.
- Boilers over 45kW or deemed commercial boilers by their manufacturers.
- X Steel or iron pipes linked to the central heating system.



#### Are there any restrictions on cover?

- You can't make a claim for the first 30 days after your initial policy start date. For the first 3 months after the initial policy start date we will only pay a maximum of £300 for any one claim under the Central Heating Boiler section.
- ! We will not pay for the costs of any work or any investigative work not authorised by us in advance.
- ! Engineers may stop a repair if subject to abuse or if the repair is hazardous.



#### Where am I covered?

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This product provides cover in England, Wales, Scotland and the Isle of Wight.

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## What are my obligations?

- The policy does not cover landlords or tenants, you must be the owner of the home.
- You must tell us before you change the boiler or if you no longer require cover at the address shown on your schedule.
- You must take all reasonable steps to avoid damage and keep everything covered by this policy in good condition. If you have a breakdown or failure, you should act quickly to avoid more damage, e.g. switch off the gas, electricity or water.
- If a leak from internal pipework is discovered and is not easily accessible, the leak must be traced and exposed prior to the engineer's attendance.
- You must pay the premium shown on the policy schedule.
- You must pay the excess (if shown on your schedule) for each new claim before we send an engineer. This is non-refundable.



# When and how do I pay?

You pay for your policy, either annually or by 12 monthly instalments, by Direct Debit.



#### When does the cover start and end?

You can't make a claim until 30 days after your initial policy start date, as there's a claim exclusion period. See your schedule for your policy start date.



### How do I cancel the contract?

If you wish to cancel your policy please contact OVO:

By telephone: 0330 102 8905

By email: hi@ovoenergy.com

By post: PO Box 81429, LONDON, N17 1LD

See terms and conditions for more information on cancellation fees

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