

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

**NEW YORK CHANGES-CANCELLATION AND NONRENEWAL**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

CAPITAL ASSETS PROGRAM (OUTPUT POLICY) COVERAGE PART  
COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART  
COMMERCIAL INLAND MARINE COVERAGE PART  
COMMERCIAL PROPERTY COVERAGE PART  
CRIME AND FIDELITY COVERAGE PART  
EQUIPMENT BREAKDOWN COVERAGE PART  
FARM COVERAGE PART  
LIQUOR LIABILITY COVERAGE PART  
PRODUCTS/COMPLETED OPERATIONS LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

**A.** Paragraphs **1.**, **2.**, **3.** and **5.** of the **Cancellation** Common Policy Condition are replaced by the following:

**1.** The first Named Insured shown in the Declarations may cancel this entire policy by mailing or delivering to us advance written notice of cancellation.

**2. Cancellation Of Policies In Effect**

**a. 60 Days Or Less**

We may cancel this policy by mailing or delivering to the first Named Insured written notice of cancellation at least:

- (1)** 30 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for any reason not included in Paragraph **A.2.a.(2)** below.
- (2)** 15 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for any of the following reasons:
  - (a)** Nonpayment of premium, provided however, that a notice of cancellation on this ground shall inform the first Named Insured of the amount due;
  - (b)** Conviction of a crime arising out of acts increasing the hazard insured against;
  - (c)** Discovery of fraud or material misrepresentation in the obtaining of the policy or in the presentation of a claim;
  - (d)** After issuance of the policy or after the last renewal date, discovery of an act or omission, or a violation of any policy condition, that substantially and materially increases the hazard insured against, and that occurred subsequent to inception of the current policy period;
  - (e)** Material physical change in the property insured, occurring after issuance or last annual renewal anniversary date of the policy, that results in the property becoming uninsurable in accordance with our objective, uniformly applied underwriting standards in effect at the time the policy was issued or last renewed; or material change in the nature or extent of the risk, occurring after issuance or last annual renewal anniversary date of the policy, that causes the risk of loss to be substantially and materially increased beyond that contemplated at the time the policy was issued or last renewed;
  - (f)** Required pursuant to a determination by the Superintendent that continuation of our present premium volume would jeopardize our solvency or be hazardous to the interest of our policyholders, our creditors or the public;
  - (g)** A determination by the Superintendent that the continuation of the policy would violate, or would place us in violation of, any provision of the Insurance Code; or

(h) Where we have reason to believe, in good faith and with sufficient cause, that there is a probable risk of danger that the insured will destroy, or permit to be destroyed, the insured property for the purpose of collecting the insurance proceeds. If we cancel for this reason, you may make a written request to the Insurance Department, within 10 days of receipt of this notice, to review our cancellation decision. Also, we will simultaneously send a copy of this cancellation notice to the Insurance Department.

**b. For More Than 60 Days**

If this policy has been in effect for more than 60 days, or if this policy is a renewal or continuation of a policy we issued, we may cancel only for any of the reasons listed in Paragraph **A.2.a.(2)** above, provided:

- (1) We mail the first Named Insured written notice at least 15 days before the effective date of cancellation; and
- (2) If we cancel for nonpayment of premium, our notice of cancellation informs the first Named Insured of the amount due.

3. We will mail or deliver our notice, including the reason for cancellation, to the first Named Insured at the address shown in the policy and to the authorized agent or broker.

5. If this policy is cancelled, we will send the first Named Insured any premium refund due. If we cancel, the refund will be pro rata. If the first Named Insured cancels, the refund may be less than pro rata.

However, when the premium is advanced under a premium finance agreement, the cancellation refund will be pro rata. Under such financed policies, we will be entitled to retain a minimum earned premium of 10% of the total policy premium or \$60, whichever is greater. The cancellation will be effective even if we have not made or offered a refund.

**B.** The following is added to the **Cancellation** Common Policy Condition:

7. If one of the reasons for cancellation in Paragraph **A.2.a.(2)** or **D.2.b.(2)** exists, we may cancel this entire policy, even if the reason for cancellation pertains only to a new coverage or endorsement initially effective subsequent to the original issuance of this policy.

**C.** The following conditions are added:

**1. Nonrenewal**

If we decide not to renew this policy we will send notice as provided in Paragraph **C.3.** below.

**2. Conditional Renewal**

If we conditionally renew this policy subject to:

- a. A change of limits;
- b. A change in type of coverage;
- c. A reduction of coverage;
- d. An increased deductible;
- e. An addition of exclusion; or
- f. Increased premiums in excess of 10%, exclusive of any premium increase due to and commensurate with insured value added or increased exposure units; or as a result of experience rating, loss rating, retrospective rating or audit;

we will send notice as provided in Paragraph **C.3.** below.

**3. Notices Of Nonrenewal And Conditional Renewal**

a. If we decide not to renew this policy or to conditionally renew this policy as provided in Paragraphs **C.1.** and **C.2.** above, we will mail or deliver written notice to the first Named Insured shown in the Declarations at least 60 but not more than 120 days before:

- (1) The expiration date; or
- (2) The anniversary date if this is a continuous policy.

b. Notice will be mailed or delivered to the first Named Insured at the address shown in the policy and to the authorized agent or broker. If notice is mailed, proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice.

- c. Notice will include the specific reason(s) for nonrenewal or conditional renewal, including the amount of any premium increase for conditional renewal and description of any other changes.
  - d. If we violate any of the provisions of Paragraph **C.3.a.**, **b.** or **c.** above by sending the first Named Insured an incomplete or late conditional renewal notice or a late nonrenewal notice:
    - (1) And if notice is provided prior to the expiration date of this policy, coverage will remain in effect at the same terms and conditions of this policy at the lower of the current rates or the prior period's rates until 60 days after such notice is mailed or delivered, unless the first Named Insured, during this 60-day period, has replaced the coverage or elects to cancel;
    - (2) And if the notice is provided on or after the expiration date of this policy, coverage will remain in effect at the same terms and conditions of this policy for another policy period, at the lower of the current rates or the prior period's rates, unless the first Named Insured, during this additional policy period, has replaced the coverage or elects to cancel.
  - e. If you elect to renew on the basis of a late conditional renewal notice, the terms, conditions and rates set forth in such notice shall apply:
    - (1) Upon expiration of the 60-day period, unless Subparagraph (2) below applies; or
    - (2) Notwithstanding the provisions in Paragraphs **d.(1)** and **d.(2)**, as of the renewal date of the policy if the conditional renewal notice was sent at least 30 days prior to the expiration or anniversary date of the policy.
  - f. We will not send you notice of nonrenewal or conditional renewal if you, your authorized agent or broker or another insurer of yours mails or delivers notice that the policy has been replaced or is no longer desired.
- D.** The following provisions apply when the Commercial Property Coverage Part, the Farm Coverage Part or the Capital Assets Program (Output Policy) Coverage Part is made a part of this policy:
- 1. Items **D.2.** and **D.3.** apply if this policy meets the following conditions:
    - a. The policy is issued or issued for delivery in New York State covering property located in this state; and
    - b. The policy insures:
      - (1) For loss of or damage to structures, other than hotels or motels, used predominantly for residential purposes and consisting of no more than four dwelling units; or
      - (2) For loss of or damage to personal property other than farm personal property or business property; or
      - (3) Against damages arising from liability for loss of, damage to or injury to persons or property, except liability arising from business or farming; and
    - c. The portion of the annual premium attributable to the property and contingencies described in **1.b.** exceeds the portion applicable to other property and contingencies.
  - 2. Paragraph **2.** of the **Cancellation** Common Policy Condition is replaced by the following:
    - 2. Procedure And Reasons For Cancellation**
      - a. We may cancel this entire policy by mailing or delivering to the first Named Insured written notice of cancellation at least:
        - (1) 15 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for nonpayment of premium, provided however, that a notice of cancellation on this ground shall inform the first Named Insured of the amount due; or
        - (2) 30 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for any other reason.
      - b. But if this policy:
        - (1) Has been in effect for more than 60 days; or
        - (2) Is a renewal of a policy we issued;
 we may cancel this policy only for one or more of the following reasons:
        - (1) Nonpayment of premium, provided however, that a notice of cancellation on this ground shall inform the first Named Insured of the amount due;
        - (2) Conviction of a crime arising out of acts increasing the risk of loss;

- (3) Discovery of fraud or material misrepresentation in obtaining the policy or in making a claim;
- (4) Discovery of willful or reckless acts or omissions increasing the risk of loss;
- (5) Physical changes in the covered property that make that property uninsurable in accordance with our objective and uniformly applied underwriting standards in effect when we:
  - (a) Issued the policy; or
  - (b) Last voluntarily renewed the policy;
- (6) The Superintendent of Insurance's determination that continuing the policy would violate Chapter 28 of the Insurance Law; or
- (7) Required pursuant to a determination by the Superintendent of Insurance that the continuation of our present premium volume would be hazardous to the interests of our policyholders, our creditors or the public.

3. The following are added:

**a. Conditional Continuation**

Instead of cancelling this policy, we may continue it on the condition that:

- (1) The policy limits be changed; or
- (2) Any coverage not required by law be eliminated.

If this policy is conditionally continued, we will mail or deliver to the first Named Insured written notice at least 20 days before the effective date of the change or elimination. We will mail or deliver our notice to the first Named Insured's last mailing address known to us. If notice is mailed, proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice. Delivery of the notice will be the same as mailing.

**b. Nonrenewal**

If, as allowed by the laws of New York State, we:

- (1) Do not renew this policy; or
- (2) Condition policy renewal upon:
  - (a) Change of limits; or
  - (b) Elimination of coverage;

we will mail or deliver written notice of nonrenewal or conditional renewal:

- (a) At least 45 days; but
- (b) Not more than 60 days;

before the expiration date of the policy. We will mail or deliver our notice to the first Named Insured's last mailing address known to us. If notice is mailed, proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice. Delivery of the notice will be the same as mailing.

**E.** The following is added to the Farm Property – Other Farm Provisions Form – Additional Coverages, Conditions, Definitions, the Commercial Property Coverage Part and the Capital Assets Program (Output Policy) Coverage Part:

When the property is subject to the Anti-arson Application in accordance with New York Insurance Department Regulation No. 96, the following provisions are added:

If you fail to return the completed, signed and affirmed anti-arson application to us:

- 1. Or our broker or agent within 45 days of the effective date of a new policy, we will cancel the entire policy by giving 20 days' written notice to you and to the mortgageholder shown in the Declarations.
- 2. Before the expiration date of any policy, we will cancel the policy by giving written notice to you and to the mortgageholder shown in the Declarations at least 15 days before the effective date of cancellation.

The cancellation provisions set forth in **E.1.** and **E.2.** above supersede any contrary provisions in this policy including this endorsement.

If the notice in **E.1.** or **E.2.** above is mailed, proof of mailing will be sufficient proof of notice. Delivery of the notice will be the same as mailing.

**F.** The following applies to the Commercial Property Coverage Part, the Farm Coverage Part and the Capital Assets Program (Output Policy) Coverage Part:

Paragraphs **f.** and **g.** of the **Mortgageholders** Condition are replaced by the following:

**f. Cancellation**

- (1) If we cancel this policy, we will give written notice to the mortgageholder at least:
  - (a) 10 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for your nonpayment of premium; or
  - (b) 30 days before the effective date of cancellation if we cancel for any other reason.
- (2) If you cancel this policy, we will give written notice to the mortgageholder. With respect to the mortgageholder's interest only, cancellation will become effective on the later of:
  - (a) The effective date of cancellation of the insured's coverage; or
  - (b) 10 days after we give notice to the mortgageholder.

**g. Nonrenewal**

- (1) If we elect not to renew this policy, we will give written notice to the mortgageholder at least 10 days before the expiration date of this policy.
- (2) If you elect not to renew this policy, we will give written notice to the mortgageholder. With respect to the mortgageholder's interest only, nonrenewal will become effective on the later of:
  - (a) The expiration date of the policy; or
  - (b) 10 days after we give notice to the mortgageholder.

**G.** The following provisions apply when the following are made a part of this policy:

Commercial General Liability Coverage Part  
Employment-Related Practices Liability Coverage Part  
Farm Liability Coverage Form  
Liquor Liability Coverage Part  
Products/Completed Operations Liability Coverage Part

1. The aggregate limits of this policy as shown in the Declarations will be increased in proportion to any policy extension provided in accordance with Paragraph **C.3.d.** above.
2. The last sentence of Limits Of Insurance does not apply when the policy period is extended because we sent the first Named Insured an incomplete or late conditional renewal notice or a late nonrenewal notice