# **Claims Form**

# Financial Lines



#### Notification of claim or circumstances out of which a claim may arise

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

- · Please read the Claim Form fully before answering the questions.
- The Claim Form is to be signed by the Insured or their authorised representative.
- **All questions must be answered in the Claims Form.** If any questions are incomplete or not answered, DUAL Australia may return the Claims Form to you and ask for it to be re-submitted.
- Please use additional sheets if necessary and attach copies of relevant documentation. Relevant documentation includes but is not limited to copies of your retainer, any written demands, or court documents.
- · If you have any questions in relation to the completion of the Claim Form, please contact your insurance advisor or broker.
- Please do not admit any wrong doing to any third parties, make any offers of settlement without our consent, or disclose the details of your insurance policy with DUAL Australia.

### What type of information is required?

- 1. The Insured's name and contact details
- 2. Policy details
- 3. Claimant's details (ie. the party requesting compensation)
- 4. Details of the claim/circumstance, including your views on liability and the potential value (\$) of the claim/circumstance.

For further guidance, please see Appendix 1 for a list of documents we require in order for you to lodge certain Financial Lines claims.

Section 1	Details of the Insured			
Full Name of the	Insured Name:			
	sured:			
	nd position:			
Phone No.:				
Section 2	Policy Details			
Policy No.:				
Policy Period:				
1. Are there any other insurance policies that may be applicable to this notification?  Yes [ ] No [				

If YES, please provide the following details:				
Policy Holder:				
Insurer:				
Type of Insurance:				
Period of Insurance:				
2. Has the matter been notified to that insurer?	Yes [ ]	No [ ]		
Section 3 Claimant details				
<ol> <li>Full name of the Claimant(s) or potential Claimant(s) (i.e. the party / parties making th or the firm / company):</li> </ol>	e claim or potential cla	im against you		
Section 4 Details of the Claim or Circumstances				
1. What is the precise nature of the claim (i.e. the Claimant's allegations) or the fact or circumstance that might give rise to a claim? Please elaborate on the following:				
a. On what date did you first become aware of the claim or the fact or circumstance:	s which may give rise to	a claim?		
b. What is the amount being claimed (if known)?				
c. What are your comments in response to the claim or the fact or circumstances the	at may give rise to a cla	im?		
d. In your opinion, how could this matter be best resolved?				
Was the claim or the intimation of a claim made verbally:	Yes [ ]	No [ ]		
If YES, please provide details including the date of the verbal claim or intimation:				
3. Was the claim or the intimation of a claim made in writing?	Yes [ ]	No [ ]		
Have you received a written demand?	Yes [ ]	No [ ]		
If YES, please attach a copy of this together with any correspondence relating to the written	n demand.			
If you answered YES, please confirm the date you received the written demand:				

4. Have proceedings been issued against you?	Yes [ ]	No [ ]
If YES, please attach a copy of the court documents together with any correspondence relation	ng to the proceedings	
Section 5 Details of the Insured's Response		
Are there any other parties which may have contributed to the claim or circumstance which may give rise to a claim?	Yes [ ]	No [ ]
If YES, please provide details:		
2. Have you obtained legal representation to act on your behalf?	Yes [ ]	No [ ]
If YES, please provide details of their name, firm, address and charge out rates:		
If NO, please note that you should not obtain legal representation without DUAL's prior conconditions).	sent (please see poli	cy terms and
Section 6 Declaration		
The undersigned declares that the statement and particulars provided in connection with the written or oral) are true and that no material facts have been misstated or suppressed after that should any of the information given by us alter, the undersigned will give immediate no that DUAL Australia may use and disclose our personal information in accordance with the 'Fundersigned agrees that this Claim Form, together with all other information supplied to us,	enquiry. The undersig tice thereof. The unde Privacy Collection Stat	ned agrees ersigned agrees ement'. The
Full Name:		
Position:		
Your Signature: Date: /	/	

IT IS IMPORTANT THE UNDERSIGNED OF THE DECLARATION ABOVE IS FULLY AWARE OF THE SCOPE OF THIS CLAIM SO THAT THESE QUESTIONS CAN BE ANSWERED CORRECTLY. IF IN DOUBT, PLEASE CONTACT THE BROKER OR AGENT, SINCE NON-DISCLOSURE MAY AFFECT AN INSURED'S RIGHT OF RECOVERY UNDER THE POLICY.

We recommend that you keep a record of all information supplied (including copies of this Claim Form and correspondence). Please submit a copy of this completed Claim Form and supporting attachments to <a href="mailto:claims@dualaustralia.com.au">claims@dualaustralia.com.au</a>.

#### **Privacy Collection Statement**

We are committed to protecting your privacy and complying with the Privacy Act 1988 (Cth) ('Privacy Act').

We use your information to assess the risk of providing you with insurance, provide quotations, issue policies and assess and manage claims, on behalf of the insurers we represent. If you do not provide us with full information, we may not be able to provide insurance or assess and manage a claim. If you provide us with information about someone else, you must obtain their consent to do so.

We may provide your personal information to the insurer we represent, insurance regulators and other insurance bodies as required by law. We may also provide your information to your broker and any third party claims service providers (such as

claims management companies, parties repairing or replacing the subject matter, loss adjusters and appointed law firms (and the like)). If a recipient is not regulated by laws which protect your information in a way that is similar to the Privacy Act, we will take reasonable steps to ensure that they protect your information in the same way we do or seek your consent before disclosing your information to them. We do not trade, rent or sell your information.

Our Privacy Policy contains more information about how to access and correct the information we hold about you and how to make a privacy related complaint, including how we will deal with it. By providing us with your personal information, you consent to its collection and use as outlined above and in our Privacy Policy. Ask us for a copy of our Privacy Policy via email at <a href="mailto:privacy@dualaustralia.com.au">privacy@dualaustralia.com.au</a> or access it via our website using the following <a href="mailto:link.">link</a>.

#### **APPENDIX 1**

We require certain information to assess indemnity, liability and quantum in relation to the claim. Examples of the types of information we require includes (based on the type of claim):

#### **Crime:**

- Police Reports
- · Loss Assessors Reports
- Audit Reports
- · Internal investigation Reports
- · Statements from Witnesses
- Any Signed Confessions
- Account Statements
- · Receipts and Invoices
- · Cheque Requisitions and Cheques
- Money Orders and Cash Receipts

#### **Employment Practices Breach:**

- Contract of Employment
- · Copy of the Claimant's Termination Notice (if applicable)
- · Fair Work Australia Application (Applicant's Response)
- · Your response to the allegations or dispute (Employers Response)
- · Copies of itemised legal bills and retainer (If the Insured has obtained its own legal representation)
- · Copies of any FWA judgement and Deed of Settlement

#### **Tax Audit Costs:**

- · Letter from the ATO or regulatory authority notifying you of the audit
- $\cdot$   $\;$  Letter from the ATO or regulatory authority confirming the audit has been completed
- Copies of itemised invoices from the Company's Accountant