

# Welcome to Warranty Assure

Thank you for choosing Warranty Assure. Our fully comprehensive warranty plans have been tailored to ensure that you get the most out of your motoring with minimum inconvenience.

This policy explains how your warranty cover works and the main benefits you can now enjoy with our complete cover.

Please make sure you keep this booklet in your vehicle, you will need it if you need to make a claim. You will find all of the terms and conditions relating to your cover, in particular the vehicle servicing requirements and claims procedure detailed in the 'How to Make a Claim' section.

We wish you many miles of trouble free motoring and hope you enjoy peace of mind knowing that you are fully covered with Warranty Assure.

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If you need to make a claim on your policy, in the first instance call 0845 8727 654

# **Policy Summary**

This policy summary does not contain full details and conditions of your warranty. (These are located in your policy wording)

Where headings are shown in (*purple*), you will find the full details within this booklet. Please refer to the content index for more information regarding each subject.

### Warranty Assure Type of Cover

Warranty Assure covers all aspects of mechanical breakdown for cars and light commercial vehicles up to 3500kg gross vehicle weight. The warranty provides cover for repair or replacement costs, incurred as a result of a breakdown in the UK as defined in the policy wording.

Warranty Assure covers you up to the single claim limit in respect of each claim up to the sum as stated in the policy schedule. The sum will be reduced by the cost of any claim during the period of the warranty.

# **Eligibility**

You are eligible for a vehicle warranty from Warranty Assure if you:

- Own a car or light commercial vehicle up to 3500kg gross weight.
- Are permanently registered in the UK.
- Are insured by a motor insurance policy issued by an insurer authorised in the UK.
- Your vehicle was imported by the manufacturer or its authorised importer into the UK.
- Are not included under the section entitled Excluded Vehicles.
- Your vehicle is not used for any of the usage specified under the section of this cover entitled Excluded Vehicle Uses.
- Your vehicle is not a new vehicle sold without a manufacturer guarantee.

### Significant Benefits & Features:

### **Type of Warranty Cover**

Warranty Assure covers most of the mechanical, electrical and electronic parts of your vehicle that were the manufacturer's original fitment. In addition to this, the following non-mechanical and non-electrical components are also covered:

Air bag system - excluding air bags Alarm system - excluding remote transmitters and key fobs

Casings - following damage caused by any covered component, following breakdown of that component.

Catalytic converter - emission failure only. Heater matrix - cover for sudden core or joint failure.

Oil cooler - cover for sudden core or joint failure.

Radiator - cover for sudden core or joint failure.

Timing belt - breakage of the timing belt.

Working materials - where their replacement is essential due to failure of a covered component.

In the event of a breakdown as defined in the warranty policy wording, the following other benefits are automatically included:

- Vehicle hire Vehicle recovery
- · Overnight expenses and onwards travel
- · Overseas use

# Transfer of Ownership

Warranty Assure allows you to transfer the cover to a new private owner, subject to our approval. If you choose to transfer the policy to a new owner the policy will not be subject to the statutory cancellation period.

# Policy Summary (continued)

# Significant or Unusual Exclusions or Limitations:

#### **Betterment**

You will be required to contribute to the repair or replacement costs in accordance with the table of contributions in the betterment section.

# What Warranty Assure Does Not Cover and General Conditions

- During your warranty period, your vehicle must be serviced in accordance with the manufacturer's requirements. You must keep all service invoices as these will be needed in the event of making a claim.
- Any repair or replacement after a breakdown that can be claimed from your vehicle insurance policy or guarantee.
- Timing belts where no proof is available of the replacement of the timing belt in accordance with the manufacturer's replacement schedule.
- Any loss or damage caused by the use of incorrect fuel.
- Any loss caused by frost or the freezing of liquids unless anti-freeze has been added in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- Warranty claims arising as a result of using the vehicle for any of the Excluded Vehicle Uses.
- Vehicles specifically designed for primary sale in Northern, Southern and Central America.
- Wear and tear and worn out components.
- Repair or replacement of components which have not suffered a breakdown as defined in the policy wording.

 Repair or replacement of components to enable your vehicle to pass the government vehicle testing requirements (MOT).

#### **Duration of Cover**

Warranty Assure are proud to offer a variable duration of cover; we understand that you may need to review your cover periodically to ensure it remains adequate for your needs.

Please refer to your warranty policy schedule which will show the duration of cover applicable.

### **Cancelling Your Policy**

You have the right to cancel Warranty Assure at any time during the policy period.

If you have paid for your cover and you cancel within 14 days of the receipt of the policy, we will make a full refund unless you have made a claim.

If you cancel after the first 14 days of your warranty cover or if you have not paid a premium for the policy, then no refund of your premium will be given. Please refer to the *Cancelling Your Policy* section for full cancellation terms and conditions.

#### **Claim Notification**

It's easy to make a claim, simply telephone our Claims office on 0845 8727 654.

# **Making Yourself Heard**

If for any reason you are unhappy with the service provided by Warranty Assure, please contact our Claims office on 0845 8727 654 or write to:

#### Warranty Assure

Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone Kent, CT20 3UJ

# **Understanding your Warranty Assure Policy**

This policy is administered by Warranty Assure.

Please refer to your policy schedule for confirmation of the cover you have been supplied with or have purchased.

Please read this policy carefully and make sure you understand and fully comply with its terms and conditions.

Failure to do so may jeopardise the payment of any warranty claim which might arise and could lead to the policy becoming void. Please ensure you keep this policy in a safe place so you can read it again if you need to. Your attention is drawn to the complaints procedure in the section entitled Making Yourself Heard.

# The Policy

Your warranty policy is evidence of your contract with us. You should read it Carefully and keep it in a safe place.

In return for having accepted your premium we will, in the event of breakdown occurring in the period of your warranty, provide cover as described in the following pages and referred to in your schedule.

Your policy contains details of the warranty cover you have been supplied with or have purchased, what is excluded from cover and the conditions of this warranty policy.

The policy should be read in conjunction with the policy schedule. This must be kept with the policy and contain your details, details of the vehicle and details of the warranty cover provided to you. Please check that the information contained in the schedule is correct and that it meets your requirements. If it does not, please contact Warranty Assure immediately.

Registered office:

Warranty Assure

Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone

Kent, CT20 3UI

Tel: 0845 8727 654

# **Definitions**

Any word or expression to which a specific meaning has been detailed below and will bear the same meaning throughout this **warranty policy**.

#### Administrator

Means Warranty Assure, who's address is:

Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone Kent, CT20 3UJ

Customer services telephone number: 0845 8727 654

#### Betterment

Means the amount of any **repair cost** or **replacement cost** which **you** may be required to pay depending on the mileage travelled by **your vehicle** since 1st registration.

#### Breakdown

Means the sudden and unforeseen failure of a warranty covered **component** arising from any permanent mechanical, electrical defect, causing sudden stoppage of its function necessitating immediate repair or replacement before its normal operation can be resumed.

#### Claims Address

Means:

Warranty Assure Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone Kent, CT20 3UJ

### • Component(s)

Means any mechanical, electrical or electronic part, which forms part of the vehicle's original specification.

### • Period of Warranty

Means the length of time that this **policy** operates as stated on the **warranty policy** schedule.

### • Repair cost(s)

Means the cost of repair materials, limited by manufacturer's costs prices, and the labour cost of repairing the **component** which has suffered **breakdown** (limited by the Autodata/Manufacturers published times). A labour charge of £50 per hour is the maximum rate payable.

# • Repairer

Means the approved or authorised **repairer** or a business involved in the servicing or repair of motor and light commercial vehicles.

# • Replacement cost(s)

Means the cost of replacement **components** of similar make and quality as the **component** that has suffered **breakdown**, including the labour cost of fitting the new **components**.

# **Definitions** (continued)

### • Single claim limit

Is the maximum amount per claim or event that can be claimed during the **period of the** warranty, please refer to **your policy** schedule for further details.

### • Sum covered by warranty policy

Means the maximum amount that can be claimed during the period of cover.

### The sum under warranty

Will be reduced by the amount of any valid claims during the period of cover, please refer to **your policy** schedule for further details.

#### Total loss

Means any warranty claim where the **sum under warranty** has been paid out by Warranty Assure, or where **your vehicle** has been replaced as a part of a claim due to repair of **component(s)** being deemed uneconomical by Warranty Assure.

#### Vehicle

Means only the **vehicle** as stated on the policy schedule, please refer to the excluded vehicles section for more information.

### Warranty Policy

Means your warranty policy booklet and your warranty which includes any endorsements.

#### We/us/our

Means Warranty Assure......

#### Wear and tear

Means the gradual deterioration associated with the use, age and mileage of the **vehicle**.

#### Worn out

Describes **components** which have reached the end of their normal effective working lives because of their age/or their usage.

#### You/your

Means the policy holder named on the warranty policy schedule.



# What is Covered?

Warranty Assure covers your **vehicle** against **breakdown** in the UK of mechanical and electrical **components** of the vehicle that were the manufacturers original specification except those listed in the 'What is Not Covered' section.

# Mechanical and electrical components include:



**Air Conditioning** 



**Automatic and CVT transmissions** 



**Brakes** 



Clutch

(Excluding burnt out parts and wear and tear)



**Drive** axle



**Electrical system** 



**Engine** 



**Engine management (ECU)** 



Front and rear suspension



**Fuel system** 



Manual gearbox



Steering (incl. power assisted steering)

# In addition the following non-mechanical or non-electrical components are covered:



### Alarm system

Excludes remote transmitters and key fobs.



# Airbag system

All components excluding the air bag.



#### **Casings**

The following casings are only covered if their failure is a direct result of a failure of a covered **component**, this will constitute part of the total claim subject to the **warranty policy** limit:

Cylinder block, cylinder head, gearbox casing, axle housing.

# What is Covered? (continued)



### Catalytic converter

The cost of replacement of **your vehicle's** catalytic converter(s) is covered within the warranty if it follows failure of the exhaust gas to meet the relevant in-service emissions standards, subject to the following:

- The catalytic converter being found to be no longer serviceable.
- The results of the failed test, time and date stamped, being made accessible to the claims office before authorisation is requested.
- 3. The results printed out from a successful test, time and date stamped, following the replacement is submitted to the claims office with the repair invoice.



# Factory fitted anti-lock braking system (ABS)

All components are covered against breakdown excluding pipes, connectors and wiring.



# Factory fitted turbocharger or supercharger

All internal components are covered against breakdown providing they are of original manufacturer's fitment, including the waste gate if this cannot be bought separately.



#### Four Wheel Drive

All components within the transfer box and casing are covered against breakdown excluding pipes, connectors and wiring.



#### Heater matrix

The heater matrix is covered against sudden core or joint failure.



### Oil cooler

The oil cooler is covered against sudden core or joint failure.



#### **Radiator**

The radiator is covered against sudden core or joint failure.



# Timing belt

If the timing belt has been changed in accordance with the time or mileage requirements specified by the manufacturer (receipt required) it will be covered against mechanical **breakdown**.



# Wheel bearings

Front and rear wheel bearings.



# Working materials

Should any authorised repair to any of the above **components** require essential replacement or topping up of lubricants, oils or coolant or replacement of the oil filter these shall be covered as part of the total claim, within the **warranty policy** limits.

# **Warranty Policy limits**

Please refer to **your policy** schedule for the **single claim limit** applicable to **your** warranty policy.

Any warranty claim is subject to the **single claim limit**, conditions and exclusions set out in this **policy**.

Please note: Warranty Assure does not cover failure due to **wear and tear** or impact damage.

# **Betterment**

Warranty Assure provides a **policy** of indemnity. The purpose of this warranty is to place **you** in the same financial state after a loss as **you** were before the loss occurred.

Therefore Warranty Assure requires **you** contribute to the **repair cost** or **replacement cost** in accordance with the table below. This will be dependent on the distance travelled by **your vehicle** since first registration.

Distance travelled by <b>your vehicle</b> since first registration at <b>breakdown</b>	Contribution <b>you</b> are required to make to any <b>repair cost</b> or <b>replacement cost</b>
Up to 60,000 miles travelled from first registration	No contribution required
60,001 to 70,000 miles travelled from first registration	10% of any repair cost or replacement cost
70,001 to 80,000 miles travelled from first registration	20% of any repair cost or replacement cost
80,001 to 90,000 miles travelled from first registration	30% of any repair cost or replacement cost
90,001 to 100,000 miles travelled from first registration	40% of any repair cost or replacement cost
Over 100,001 miles travelled from first registration	50% of any repair cost or replacement cost

# **Other Benefits**

Warranty Assure also includes the following benefits, subject to the General Conditions, Claim Conditions and What is Not Covered by this warranty policy.

Warranty Assure provide the benefits below within the **single claim limit**. Following a **breakdown**, **you** will have to pay the bill and provide **us** with a bona fide VAT receipt as part of a valid claim.

# Vehicle Recovery

Warranty Assure covers **vehicle** recovery to the nearest **repairer** following **breakdown** of any **component** of the **vehicle** covered by this warranty subject to a maximum of £50 (including VAT) per **breakdown**. However, the method of recovery must prevent any further damage to the **vehicle**.

#### Vehicle Hire

If your vehicle suffers a breakdown and the manufacturer's standard repair time is in excess of 8 hours, Warranty Assure will pay a contribution of up to £30 (including VAT) per day for a maximum of 7 days towards the cost of hiring a similar vehicle. In this situation, the hire period is to begin no earlier than 24 hours after the breakdown occurring.

# Other Benefits (continued)

A contribution towards vehicle hire is specifically excluded when **your vehicle** is off the road and repairs are unable to commence or be completed due to non-availability of parts, space or labour, with the exception of repairs involving the replacement of engine and gearbox assemblies in the event that they have to be ordered from the Supplier.

Please note Warranty Assure will not pay for:

- Hire costs within the first 24 hours following breakdown.
- Hire costs in excess of the 7 day allowance.
- Charges incurred for fuel, collision damage waiver, insurance or other fees.

We cannot be held responsible should hire be refused for any reason.

# Overnight Expenses and Onward Travel

In the event that authorised repair or replacement of a **component** cannot be completed on the day of **breakdown**, necessitating an unscheduled overnight stay Warranty Assure will pay up to a total of £100 including VAT towards overnight accommodation. The overnight expenses limit of £100 including VAT is on a room only basis per **breakdown**.

Alternatively Warranty Assure will, at **our** discretion, pay up to a total of £100 including VAT towards onward travel to **your** original destination.

#### Overseas Use

Warranty Assure policies cover overseas use for a maximum of 60 days continual use during the total period of the warranty, subject to the following:

- Warranty Assure must be notified and an authorisation reference obtained before any work is carried out and will not cover any repair or replacement after a breakdown that can be claimed from the vehicle insurance policy, breakdown cover or guarantee.
- You must pay the repairer and claim reimbursement direct from us by sending the Claims office a receipted invoice.
- The other terms, conditions and exclusions of this warranty policy.
- 4. The **repair cost** or **replacement cost** will be reimbursed at the exchange rate applicable on the date **you** paid the **repairer**.

### **Transfer Request**

Subject to Warranty Assure approval, this **policy** may only be transferred with the **vehicle** direct to a new private owner.

Application must be made to Warranty Assure at the time of the change of ownership. Warranty Assure will charge for this service. Please refer to the Transfer of Ownership section for further details

Under no circumstances can this warranty be transferred to another **vehicle** or to/via any member of the motor trade.

If the warranty is transferred to a new owner the warranty policy will not be subject to the statutory cancellation period.

# What is Not Covered?

The following are excluded from Warranty Assure Cover:

- Any Bodywork, panels, paint, exterior and Interior trim, bright work, glass of any description, entertainment and communications systems, remote control transmitters and receivers, tyres, exhaust system and manifold, wiper blades, brake linings, discs and drums, belts not specifically listed, batteries, wiring, printed circuits and bulbs.
- Any costs related to adjustments or diagnostic work.
- Any costs incurred in excess of or outside the liability of this warranty. It is your responsibility to meet any repairer charges in excess of, or rejected as not being our liability.
- Any costs resulting from using your vehicle for any usage in the Excluded Vehicle Uses section.
- Any costs arising from depreciation or diminution in the value of the vehicle.
- You are not covered for any other costs that are indirectly caused by the event which led to your claim, unless specifically stated as covered in this warranty policy.
- Any liability where the vehicle is found to be unfit for the purpose, for which it was intended, is not as described or is not of satisfactory quality.
- Any faults in workmanship, materials or repairs paid for by us on your behalf.
- Any failure of mountings, fixings of any description i.e. nuts and bolts, etc.
- Any Loss or damage to any computer or other equipment, data processing service product,

- microchip, microprocessor, integrated circuit, embedded chip or similar device, computer software program or process or any other' electrical or electronic system directly or indirectly caused by computer viruses.
- Any failure or fear of failure or inability of any equipment or any computer programme, whether or not you own it, to recognise or to interpret correctly or process any date as its true calendar date, or to continue to function correctly beyond that date.
- Any replacement or repair costs where damage is due to an uncovered component failure.
- Any service items including but not limited to: distributor cap, gaiters, boots, rotor arm, condensers, points, high tension leads, spark plugs, wiper blades, filters, bulbs, belts, pipes, joints and seals.
- Any anti-freeze, fluids and grease, fuel or oils (unless replacement is necessary following the breakdown of a component which forms part of a valid claim accepted by Warranty Assure).
- Any cost of supplying items not covered under this policy which are required to be replaced as part of an authorised claim under this policy.
- Any damage to the vehicle or its component(s):
- Where the fault or damage occurred due to the vehicle being driven following the initial failure.
- Caused by fire, theft or attempted theft, impact, any road traffic accident, accidental damage, lack of lubrication or fluids, damage caused during recovery, or by failure of mountings and fixings of any description.

# What is Not Covered? (continued)

- Caused by frost, corrosion, contamination, or the freezing of any liquids, or caused by the use of incorrect fuel, or a grade of fuel or lubricant not recommended by the manufacturer of the vehicle.
- Of any nature arising directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, due to any misuse, act or omission which is wilful, unlawful or negligent on your part.
- Caused by carbonised, burnt, pitted and sticking valves.
- Incurred whilst **your vehicle** is outside the UK for more than 60 days consecutively.

# Air conditioning and climate control

The receiver drier and costs over £50 inclusive of VAT in respect of re-gassing the air-conditioning system in the event of **breakdown** necessitating the system to be re-gassed. Routine maintenance or re-gassing is not covered.

#### **Automatic transmission**

Burnt or worn out clutches or brake bands.

# **Brake parts**

Failure due to corrosion or seizure.

### Catalytic converter

Repair costs or replacement costs if breakdown of the catalytic converter is due to impact or other accidental damage, loose or noisy baffles within the catalytic converter or as a result of contamination due to the use of incorrect fuel.

# Clutch component

The renewal of any clutch **component** due to being burnt out, incorrect adjustment, misuse or **wear and tear**.

### Cylinder head

Cracks, skimming and de-coking of the cylinder head.

### **Electrical parts**

Glow and heater plugs.

### **Engine**

Decarbonising, reseating, sticking or burnt out valves and seats, decoking and external oil leaks.

### **External linkage**

Joints or swivel pins.

### Factory fitted multi-media pack

Hi-fi remote control unit, headphones, discs for CD and DVD players and LCD screen pixelisation are excluded.

#### Final drive

Gaiters and boots.

#### Fuel lines

The clearing of fuel lines, filters, carburettors and pumps.

### **Fuel system**

Fuel leakage, failure of piping, seals and any damage or costs incurred by the use of the incorrect type or grade of fuel and/or contamination of the fuel system.

#### Oil leaks

Internal and external.

# **Steering parts**

Gaiters and boots.

# Timing belt

Where no proof is available of the replacement of the timing belt in accordance with the manufacturer's replacement schedule.

# What is Not Covered? (continued)

#### **VAT**

Where you are VAT registered.

#### Wear and tear

Generally, and worn out components.

### Wheel alignment including:

Wheel balancing and adjustments to suspension.

### Damage to the vehicle or its component(s)

Caused by the use of oil and/or lubricants not specifically recommended by the **vehicle** manufacturer.

# The repair costs or replacement costs of components:

- Which were faulty or had suffered a breakdown prior to commencement of the policy.
- Where the repair, replacement, loss, damage or liability is claimable on a more specific warranty or guarantee.

- Necessitated due to inherent faulty design, manufacturing fault or following a recall by the manufacturer.
- The replacement or adjustment of any parts to enable your vehicle to pass a Department of Transport MOT test or to meet current emission legislation.
- Where the breakdown was caused by, or occurred to, any modification from the manufacturer's specification, any accessory or equipment not fitted and supplied with the vehicle at the time of manufacture and any experimental equipment whether or not supplied by the manufacturer.
- Where damage is due to an uninsured component failure.

# **Excluded Vehicles**

The following **vehicles** and usages are excluded from cover provided by Warranty Assure unless specifically stated otherwise in **your** policy schedule:

#### Vehicles:

- Modified from the manufacturer's specification.
- Which include any experimental equipment, whether or not supplied by the manufacturer.
- Owned temporarily or otherwise (resulting from trade-in or acquisition for the purposes of resale) by a lease company or business formed for the purposes of selling or servicing motor vehicles.

- Designed to carry more than eight people including the driver.
- · Over 3500kg gross weight.
- Which are classified as non-passenger cars, caravans, kit cars or replica cars.
- Specifically designed for primary sale in Northern, Southern and Central America.
- Powered by Electric, Hybrid, Fuel Cell or Liquid Petroleum Gas (LPG).
- Powered by rotary engine.

# **Excluded Vehicle Uses**

Any **vehicle** used for competition, trial (other than treasure hunts), track days, rally, racing, pace making or off road use. Any **vehicle** used for

hire or reward, transportation of goods, driving school, and delivery courier and emergency or recovery services.

# **Claims and Conditions**

You must comply with the following conditions and instructions to have the full protection of your policy. If you do not comply with them we may, at our option:

- Cancel your warranty policy.
- Refuse to deal with your warranty claim.
- Reduce the amount of the warranty claims payment.

If **breakdown** occurs please help the **Claims office** by reporting **your** claim according to the following procedure.

All claims must be made as soon as reasonable and in any case, no more than 15 working days after the **breakdown** has occurred.

# **Prevent Further Damage**

In the event of any incident, **breakdown** or operation of a warning hazard light, **you** must not drive the **vehicle** further.

#### Fraud

**You** must not act in a fraudulent manner. If **you**, or anyone acting for **you**:

 Make a claim under the policy knowing the claim to be false or fraudulently exaggerated in any respect.

- Make a statement in support of a claim, knowing the statement to be false in any respect.
- Submit a document in support of a claim, knowing the document to be forged or false in any respect.
- Make a claim in respect of any loss or damage caused by your wilful act, or with your connivance.

### Warranty Assure will:

- · Not pay the claim.
- Not pay any other claim which has been made or will be made under the policy.
- At our option declare the policy void.
- Be entitled to recover from you the amount of any claim already paid under the policy.
- · Not make any return of premium.
- Inform the police of the circumstances.

### Subrogation

We may at our sole option take any steps in your name against any person to recover any money we pay in settlement of your claim. You must give us all assistance necessary.

# **How to Make a Claim**

Before any work is undertaken, **you** are required to contact Warranty Assure so that the claims procedure can be fully explained to **you**.

# The claim notification telephone number is 0845 8727 654.

Calls may be recorded and monitored.

### **Warranty Assure Claims Authorisation**

For claims authorisation, the **repairer** must confirm:

- Your policy number and vehicle details.
- The exact mileage of your vehicle at the time of breakdown.
- The cause of **breakdown** and:
- Provide an itemised **repair cost** estimate.
- Provide a full service history from inception of cover.

### **Payment of Authorised Repairs**

In most circumstances there will be no need for **you** to pay the **repairer**, as **we** will pay them directly up to the authorised **repair cost** or **replacement cost**.

If we are paying the repairer direct they must send the Warranty Assure Claims office an itemised repair invoice stating the claim authority number. They will be reimbursed up to the authorised repair cost or replacement cost. You will be liable for any costs incurred in excess of or outside of the liability of this warranty.

Occasionally a **repairer** will ask for payment directly from **you**. Where **you** have paid the **repairer**, and **we** have authorised **your** claim in advance, **we** will reimburse **you** up to the

authorised **repair cost** or **replacement cost** if **you** send the **Claims office** the receipted and itemised invoice.

In the event of **breakdown** outside of the UK:

- You must contact Warranty Assure and obtain a claims authorisation number before any work is undertaken.
- You must ensure the claims authorisation number appears on all paperwork and correspondence received from the repairer, failure to do this will jeopardise the claim.
- 3. You must pay the repairer and claim reimbursement direct from us by sending the Claims office a receipted claim invoice.
- All other terms, conditions and exclusions of this warranty and the general conditions and exclusions of this policy apply.
- 5. The **repair cost** or **replacement cost** will be reimbursed at the exchange rate applicable on the date **you** paid the **repairer**.

If requested by the **Claims office**, copies of service invoices should be attached to the repair invoice when set for payment..

### **Unauthorised Repair or Replacement**

Should you decide to give permission to the repairer to commence work, without obtaining an authorisation number from Warranty Assure's Claims office, you do so in the full knowledge that we reserve the right not to meet your claim because you have denied us our right under this warranty policy to agree cover, inspect the vehicle and manage costs prior to its repair. You will have to pay the bill in full and submit to the Claims office for consideration.

# How to Make a Claim (continued)

#### When You Collect Your Vehicle

If **you** are aware, or believe, that the repair is not satisfactory do not accept **your vehicle** and advise the **Claims office** immediately.

#### Cause of Breakdown Uncertain?

If the cause of the **breakdown** is uncertain, dismantling work may be necessary.

- If this reveals that the breakdown is covered by this policy and the claim is duly authorised, we will pay the dismantling costs.
- If work reveals that the breakdown is not covered, you must pay the costs incurred.

Only **you** may give permission for dismantling work and **you** do so in the knowledge that **you** will be responsible for the costs incurred if the fault is not covered.

This warranty policy does not cover any costs related to diagnostic work.

For claims involving a catalytic converter, details must be provided to Warranty Assure's Claims office to include tests conducted showing the failure of your vehicle to pass an exhaust gas emissions test prior to replacement along with the result of the successful re-test after the replacement of the catalytic converter to your vehicle, both tests must be time and date stamped.

For all claims involving a timing belt **breakdown**, we require proof that the timing belt has been changed in accordance with the time or mileage requirements specified by **your vehicle** manufacturer. A copy invoice for the change of the timing belt will be required showing the date of timing belt change and the odometer reading of **your vehicle** at this time.

If your claim is covered by Warranty Assure's policy, verbal authorisation will be given by the Claims office to carry out the repair. A claims authority number will be issued with an authorised repair cost, which is the most we will pay for the repair.

Authorisation of repairs will remain valid for 90 days.

If any part of **your** claim is declined you may request the reason in writing, please contact Warranty Assure's **Claims office**.

### Use of an Engineer

At notification of any claim, or following receipt of the estimate, Warranty Assure reserves the right to:

- Instruct an engineer to inspect your vehicle before authorising any claim.
- Inspect any insured components which have been removed, together with any original documentation, within one calendar month after any repair or replacement has been authorised or carried out.

When this right is exercised Warranty Assure shall have no liability for any loss incurred by **you** arising from any possible delay.

Any decision on liability will be withheld until the engineer's report is received.

# Salvage

Warranty Assure accept no liability for the disposal of **your vehicle** or any parts of it in any event.

### Components

We reserve the right to supply **components** and use guaranteed original equipment manufacturer (OEM), factor, reconditioned or exchange units in the repair of **your vehicle**.

# **General Conditions**

You must comply with the following conditions to have the full protection of your warranty policy. If you do not comply with them we may, at our option:

- Cancel the warranty policy.
- Refuse to deal with your warranty claim.
- Reduce the amount of the claims payment.

### 1. Servicing Requirements

Your vehicle must be serviced at a repairer in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations detailed in the vehicle servicing handbook within a tolerance of 30 days or 1,000 miles whichever occurs first, of the stipulated service interval and using only the manufacturer's recommended grade and specification of oil. It is your responsibility to establish your vehicle manufacturer's servicing schedules and to comply with them by both time and mileage whichever is sooner.

# 2. Timing Belts

The timing belt on **your vehicle** must be changed in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations within a tolerance of 30 days or 1,000 miles whichever occurs first, of the stipulated change interval. It is **your** responsibility to establish **your vehicle** manufacturers timing belt change schedule and to comply with it by both time and mileage whichever is sooner.

You should obtain acceptable proof that this work has been carried out as you will need to produce this in the event of a claim. Acceptable proof will be a copy invoice for the change of the timing belt showing the date the timing belt was changed and the odometer reading of your vehicle.

#### 3. Vehicle Checks

Between services **you** must ensure that the regular **vehicle** checks are carried out, as recommended by the manufacturer and stated in the servicing handbook, for example: fluid level checks.

### 4. Changes In Your Circumstances

You must notify us immediately of any change which may affect this warranty and in particular any of the following: change of address, change of registration number, change of use and change of ownership of the vehicle.

We will then advise you of any change in terms.

# 5. Vehicle Registration

Your vehicle must be permanently registered in the UK during the period of the warranty policy and insured by a motor insurance policy issued by an insurer authorised in the UK during the period of insurance.



# **Cancelling Your Policy**

### **Statutory Cancellation Rights**

If you received this policy free of charge you may cancel this policy at any time. You must tell us by writing to:

#### Warranty Assure

Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone Kent, CT20 3UJ

If you have paid for the warranty cover and you cancel within 14 days of the receipt of the policy, we will make a full refund. You should contact Warranty Assure who will arrange the refund.

There is no refund of warranty premium in the event of a claim being made regardless of the amount.

### **Cancellation Outside The Statutory Period**

**You** may cancel this **policy** at any time by providing prior written notice to:

#### Warranty Assure

Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone Kent, CT20 3UI

If **you** cancel this warranty after the first 14 days of receipt of the **warranty policy** documentation no premium refund will be given.

### **Cancellation By Us**

We reserve the right to cancel the warranty policy by providing 21 days prior written notice by registered post to your last known address.

There is no refund of warranty premium in the event of claim. However in all other cases **we** will retain an amount of premium in proportion to the time **you** have been on cover and refund the balance to **you**.



# **Making Yourself Heard**

If you have cause for complaint, it is important you know Warranty Assure are committed to providing you with an exceptional level of service and customer care. We realise that things can go wrong and there may be occasions when you feel that we have not provided the service you expected. When this happens, we want to hear about it so that we can try to put things right.

#### Who to Contact

The most important factors in getting **your** complaint dealt with as quickly and efficiently as possible are:

- To be sure **you** are talking to the right person
- That **you** are giving them the correct information.

When you contact Warranty Assure:

- Please give **us your** name and a contact telephone number.
- Please quote your warranty policy number and type of policy you hold.
- Please explain clearly and concisely the reason for your complaint.

Warranty Assure will then begin investigating **your** complaint.

If you wish to provide written details, the following checklist has been prepared for you to use when drafting your letter.

- Head **your** letter 'COMPLAINT'.
- Give **your** full name, post code and contact telephone number(s).
- Quote the type of warranty policy and your policy number.
- Explain clearly and concisely the reason(s) for **your** complaint.

The letter should be sent to the person dealing with **your** complaint along with any other material required.

We expect that the majority of complaints will be quickly and satisfactorily resolved when this procedure is followed correctly.

### Warranty Assure's Promise to You

- · Acknowledge written complaints promptly.
- · Investigate quickly and thoroughly.
- Keep you informed of progress.
- Do everything possible to resolve your complaint.
- Learn from our mistakes.
- Use information from complaints to continuously improve **our** service.

Calls are recorded and monitored.

#### **Data Protection Act**

Details of **you** and **your** warranty cover will be held by **us** and subject to the provisions of the Data Protection Act 1998. **We** may send it in confidence for processing to other companies within KAP Motor Group. By taking out this policy **you** consent to such use of **your** personal data.

# Service Record

Please see General Conditions section in the policy wording where it applies to cover selected by you. If **you** do not keep to the servicing requirements or **you** cannot prove **you** have done so, **your** selected covers may not be valid.

The only acceptable proof of servicing is the detailed VAT invoice from a **repairer** which shows the servicing date, mileage and shows the

full cost of parts, labour and correct manufacturer grade of oil used.

If **you** record the details below, **you** know when **your** next service is due.

This page may not be accepted as proof of servicing.

First Service	
Date:	Your 2nd service is due on:
Mileage:	or at miles
	(whichever is sooner)

Second Service		
Date:	Your 3rd	service is due on:
Mileage:	or at	miles
		(whichour is cooper)

Third Service	
Date:	Your 4th service is due on:
Mileage:	or at miles (whichever is sooner)

Fourth Service		
Date:	Your 5th serv	vice is due on:
Mileage:	or at	miles
		(whichever is sooner)

Fifth Service	
Date:	Your 6th service is due on:
Mileage:	or at miles (whichever is sooner)

Sixth Service		
Date:	Your 7th ser	vice is due on:
Mileage:	or at	miles (whichever is sooner)

Seventh Service	
Date:	Your 8th service is due on:
Mileage:	or at miles (whichever is sooner)

Eighth Service		
Date:	Your 9th ser	vice is due on:
Mileage:	or at	miles (whichever is sooner)

Ninth Service	
Date:	Your 10th service is due on:
Mileage:	or at miles
	(whichever is sooner)

Tenth Service	
Date:	Your 11th service is due on:
Mileage:	or at miles (whichever is sooner)

# **Transfer of Ownership Request**

Should **you** sell **your vehicle** to another person, excluding a motor trader, the unexpired portion of the policy can be transferred to the new owner.

Unfortunately it is not possible to transfer this warranty to a motor trader. Transfer to the new owner can only occur if, as at the date of the transfer request, **you** have complied with all terms and conditions of this **warranty policy**, in particular the General Conditions relating to servicing and the change of any timing belts fitted to the **vehicle**.

#### All You Need To Do

Fill in the details as set out below and return the complete warranty policy document within 14 days of assuming ownership. The transfer is subject to an administration charge of £35 including VAT. Please send this amount with the application form, and evidence of servicing. Cheques/Postal Orders should be made payable to Warranty Assure.

#### Warranty Assure

Unit 10, Ross Way Folkestone Kent, CT20 3UJ The new owner will then be sent a policy document complete with a new warranty policy schedule to cover the unexpired period of the original cover. Any documentation supplied as evidence of servicing will be returned to the new owner.

### Important Note To The New Owner

Please ensure that the General Conditions relating to servicing and the change of any timing belts fitted to the **vehicle** under this policy have been adhered to. If they have not, the cover under this policy will be invalid.

If the **warranty policy** is transferred to a new owner the policy will not be subject to the statutory cancellation period.





# Transfer of Ownership Request Form

Policy Number:	Registration Number:
New Owners Surname:	Initials:
Address:	
Address:	
Postcode:	Recorded Mileage at Date of Transfer:
Telephone Number:	Date of Transfer:
I enclose Service History and Cheque/PO, value &	35.00 including VAT made out to Warranty Assure.
Policyholders Signature:	Date:
New Owners Signature:	Date:
By signing this transfer request form I accept all ti	he terms and conditions of this policy.



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