

COMMERCIAL SUBSIDENCE AND LANDSLIP QUESTIONNAIRE

BROKER INFORMATION

Broker _____ Contact person _____
 Fax/Tel number _____ Email address _____

INSURED INFORMATION

Insured name _____ Cell number _____
 Tel number _____ Email address _____
 Risk address _____

Sum insured R _____ Construction _____ City/town _____

1. How long have you lived at the above address _____ years
2. Is the building single or multiple storey Single _____ Multiple _____
3. Age of the building _____ years
4. Has the property had any occurrence of subsidence YES _____ NO _____
 Subsidence means sinking – i.e. the vertical, downward movement of soil. It includes settlement which is a lateral movement.
5. Has the property had any occurrence of heave YES _____ NO _____
 Heave means the upward movement of the soil supporting the building.
6. Has the property had any occurrence of landslip YES _____ NO _____
 Landslip means sliding down of a mass of land. It is in effect a small landslide, and it typically occurs on a slope.
7. Is the property situated in a mining area or within 1 km of any: quarries _____ gravel pits _____ landfill _____
 underground facilities _____ motorway or railway cutting _____ major civil engineering works _____
8. Is the underlying ground Clay _____ Dolomite _____ Granite _____ Other _____
 Clay – Retains water when wet and would cling to shoes, very hard when dry, cool in hot weather
 Dolomite – Limestone
 Granite – Hard crystalline rock
9. Are any visible cracks present at the property YES _____ NO _____
10. Are you aware of any other signs of damage that may be caused by subsidence YES _____ NO _____
11. Is the property built on level ground YES _____ NO _____
12. If NO, have the foundations been reinforced YES _____ NO _____
13. Is the property being, or has it ever been monitored for subsidence YES _____ NO _____
14. Are you aware of any neighboring property having been damaged by subsidence YES _____ NO _____
15. Has any survey mentioned settlement or movement of the buildings (enclose copies) YES _____ NO _____
16. Has the property been flooded due to damaged underground drains in the past 5 years YES _____ NO _____
17. Have there been any other underground drainage problems in the past 5 years YES _____ NO _____
18. How far is the property built from a coastline or cliff _____ metres/km
19. Describe the topography (level, sloping ground) where the building is erected _____

20. When last was the structure altered or extended _____
21. Was this professionally done YES NO
If YES, please give details _____
22. Any other aspect about the construction, etc. we should know about YES NO
If YES, please give details _____

Kindly provide all relevant details and documentation in the event of a history of subsidence, landslip or heave

RISK INFORMATION

Disclosure: You are reminded of the need to disclose all material facts that are likely to affect the acceptance or assessment of this insurance. If you are in any doubt as to what constitutes a material fact, please consult your broker or The Hollard Insurance Company Ltd as failure to disclose or misrepresentation of a relevant fact may invalidate your insurance or result in it not operating fully.

Declaration: I declare that the information supplied in this questionnaire is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, correct and complete and that I have read the note headed "Disclosure". I agree to obtain a geo-technical survey at my own cost, should the Company so require. I understand that subsidence and landslip cover will not be effective until The Hollard Insurance Company Ltd has accepted both the proposal form and this questionnaire. I agree that the completed proposal form and questionnaire shall be the basis of the contract between The Hollard Insurance Company Ltd and myself.

PROTECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION

In order to provide you with insurance, we have to process your personal information. We will share your personal information with other insurers, industry bodies, credit agencies and service providers. This includes information about your insurance, claims and premium payments. We do this to provide insurance services, prevent fraud, assess claims and conduct surveys. We will treat your personal information with caution and have put reasonable security measures in place to protect it. By signing this application for insurance, you agree to the processing and sharing of your personal information.

Signature

Date