

Proposal Form for Surveyors & Estate Agents

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Professional Indemnity

This form has been designed to be completed and signed electronically.

Once completed please save it and send it back to: enquiries@heraindemnity.co.uk

Or if you prefer to print and send the form, please post to:

Hera Indemnity First Floor Offices, 1 Mulgrave Chambers 26-28 Mulgrave Road Sutton Surrey SM2 6LE



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Important Notes

- A. Answer every question fully. If necessary attach separate sheets with information which can be incorporated into your declaration. As your policy approaches renewal date it is important that the details we hold about you are kept up to date and all material facts about the risk are declared.
- B. A Principal, Partner, Director or Member of the firm must complete the proposal and make all the necessary enquiries of their fellow Partners, Directors, Members and Employees.
- C. Wherever we ask questions on this declaration about you or your firm we mean you, your Partners, Directors, Members or Employees or any former Partners, Directors, Members or Employees of any firm for which cover is required under this insurance.
- D. Individuals forming a Limited Liability Partnership (LLP) are known as Members.
- E. The Insurance Act 2015 requires you to make a fair presentation of the risk. An insured, and their agents, are under a duty to disclose all material facts and circumstances to an insurer. You should carry out a search of the information held by you and the firm, and present the information in a clear and accessible format. The Act also places a duty of disclosure on brokers. As your brokers, we are obliged to disclose any material information relating to you and the firm that we are aware of, and which you may not have included in your presentation. Please ensure that the information you provide in this proposal is complete and can be easily interpreted and understood by the insurer.
- F. Certain professional bodies and/or regulators have specific requirements as to the cover you are required to purchase, including but not limited to the limit of indemnity an affiliated firm or member must carry. If you or your firm are regulated by or affiliated with any professional body or similar organisation, it is your responsibility to ensure that the cover you purchase is sufficient both for your needs and to satisfy the requirements of your professional body/regulator.

Your Firm

Name(s) of firm(s) to be insured: (See important note C)			
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Firm's Principal Address:			
		Postcode	
Contact information			
Telephone:	Fax:		
Mobile:	Email:		
Branch offices:			
When was the firm first established:			

Names of all Partners, Directors or Members (Include your own details if you are a Sole Practitioner)	Date of Birth	Period of time as a Partner, Director or Member	Professional Qualifications	Date Qualified

How many staff does your firm presently employ (excluding Partners, Directors or Members)?

Professionally Qualified	Technical	All Others

ls any Director, Partner, Member or Fee Earner regulated by a professional body? e.g. The RICS		No	

If "Yes" please provide the name(s) of the professional body or bodies (see important note F)

What percentage of your gross fees was paid to sub-consultants last year?		 	%
Do you require any sub-consultants to be indemnified under your insurance?	Yes	No	
Do you use any sub-consultants who do not hold their own professional indemnity insurance?	Yes	No	
If 'Yes' to any of the above please provide details in the 'Additional Information' section of this form.			

Your Fee Income

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Provide details of your gross fees (excluding VAT) received in the last financial year and your estimated fees for the forthcoming year

	Last Completed Financial Year	Current/Forthcoming Financial Year (estimate)
United Kingdom		
Channel Islands or Isle of Man		
USA or Canada		
Elsewhere		
Total Fees		

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Your Business Activities

Architectural Work		%	
A	Fine Art	%	
Auctioneering	Other	%	
Building Surveying		%	
	Structural Surveys	%	
Commercial Survey/Valuation	Valuations - for Lending	%	
	Valuations - Non-Lending	%	
	Commercial	9/	
Estate Agency	Investment Agency/Property Investment	9/	
	Residential	%	
Income and Financial Comission	Financial Services	%	
Insurance and Financial Services	General Insurance Agent	%	
Land Survey/Valuation Reports		%	
Planning and Development (Where there are no detailed plans)			
Principal Designer/ CDM Coordinator (Under CDM regulations)			
	Employer's Agent	%	
Project Management	Project Co-ordination	9/	
	Project Management	%	
	Facilities Management	9/	
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Property Management	Rating & Rent Reviews	9	
	Residential Letting	9	
Quantity Survaying	Other Services	9/	
Quantity Surveying	Pre and Post Contract Services	%	
	Energy Assessments	9/	
	Lending Institution Valuations	%	
Residential Survey/	Other Valuations - Non-Lending	9	
Valuation/Inspection	Partial Surveys (Homebuyers etc.)	%	
	Pre-Sale Home Inspections	%	
	Structural Surveys	%	
All other business activities (please st	ate)	%	
	Total	100%	

Details of 'all other business activities'

For all rent reviews and lease renewals undertaken in the last three years, please specify:

Largest commercial rent review/lease renewal	
Average commercial rent review/lease renewal	
Largest residential rent review/lease renewal	
Average residential rent review/lease renewal	

If you have undertaken any Quantity Surveying, Architectural Work, Project Co-ordination and/or Employer's Agent work in the last 3 years then please specify the three largest contracts

Start/Finish Date	Description and Location	Total Contract Value	Your Fees	Services Provided by Your Firm

If you expect to be providing any Quantity Surveying, Architectural Work, Project Co-ordination and/or Employer's Agent services in the coming year then please specify the three largest anticipated contracts

Period of Contract	Description and Location	Total Contract Value	Your Fees	Services Provided by Your Firm

Survey & Valuation Work

Have you ever undertaken any Survey reports and/or provided any property valuations for any purpose?	Yes	No	
Have you ever undertaken a Survey that included a Valuation for lending purposes?	Yes	No	
Have you ever provided an Asbestos Survey or Inspection Report?	Yes	No	

If 'Yes' to the above then please complete our Survey & Valuation Questionnaire.

For all commercial and residential survey reports and valuations undertaken in the last three years, please specify

Largest single residential or commercial property value	
Average single residential or commercial property value	
Largest property portfolio	

Claims Experience

During the last six years, have any claims (successful or otherwise) been made against you or any other firm to be covered by this insurance? (See Important Note C)	Yes		No		
Are you or any Partner, Director or Member, after having made full enquiries, aware of any circumstances which may give rise to a claim against you? (See Important Note C)	Yes		No		
If 'Yes' to any of the above please provide the date of intimation, a brief description of claim, total payments/outstanding reserves including costs and confirmation of the current status in the 'Additional Information' section of this form.					

Have all claims and circumstances which might give rise to a claim been reported to insurers?	Yes	No	N/A	
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Overseas work				<u> </u>
the 'end product' of such work is carried		Yes	No	
(Please note that if you answer "No"	any quotations are likely to exclude such work)			
Do you work under any jurisdiction othe and Northern Ireland?	er than United Kingdom of Great Britain	Yes	No	
Are you represented in any country out reciprocal arrangements with a firm dor		Yes	No	
If 'Yes' to any of the above please pro ensuring that you include contract v	ovide details in the 'Additional Information' section of this form, alues.			
General Questions				
Have you ever been refused profession insurance ever been cancelled or speci been in the Assigned Risks Pool?		Yes	No	
During the last six years, have you bee proceeding by any professional organis		Yes	No	
	m, company or organisation in which you have a financial or cial or controlling interest in your firm (other than as shareholders/ any)?	Yes	No	
In the last three years have you particip	pated in a consortium or joint venture?	Yes	No	
Have you undertaken any facilities man	nagement in the last three years?	Yes	No	
Do you undertake any manufacturing, c installation work?	construction, alteration, repair or	Yes	No	
Do you supply any materials or other go	oods?	Yes	No	
If 'Yes' to any of the above please pro	ovide details in the 'Additional Information' section of this form.			
Current Insurance				
Do you currently have Hera Indemnity I	Insurance in force?	Yes	No	
If 'Yes', please provide the following	details (not required if you are currently a client of Hera Indemnity)			
Insurer				
Limit of Indemnity			 	
Excess			 	
Premium			 	
Retroactive Date			 	
Renewal Date			 	
Please state the Limit of Indemnity optic	ons for which you require quotations			

Please state the excess options for which you require quotations

Do you require cover for liability arising from any Partner / Director / Member's previous business?	Yes	No	
Would you like us to provide you with a quotation for Cyber Liability Insurance?	Yes	No	
Are you happy for us to contact you about other insurances or services that we may offer?	Yes	No	
Would you like a quotation for Employee Health, Protection and Wellbeing products?	Yes	No	
Would you like a quotation for Management Liability Insurance?	Yes	No	

Additional Information

How we will use your Information

Hera Indemnity will process your data in accordance with relevant data protection legislation. The information supplied to us by you may be held on computer and passed to insurers for underwriting and claims purposes. You should show this notice to anyone whose personal data may be processed to administer this policy.

In order to administer your insurance policy and any claims made against the policy we may share personal data provided to us with other companies and with business partners including overseas companies. If we do transfer your personal data including where we propose a change of underwriter we make sure that it is appropriately protected.

Under the conditions of your policy you must tell us about any Insurance related incidents whether or not they give rise to a claim. When you tell us about an incident we will pass information relating to it to the relevant database. We may search these databases when you apply for insurance in the event of any incident or claim or at time of renewal to validate your claims history or that of any other person or property likely to be involved in the policy or claim. We may also pass your information to reinsurers and/or loss adjusters.

Under data protection legislation you can make a written request for a copy of certain personal records held about you and have any inaccuracies corrected. Any requests or enquiries about our data protection policy or practices should be addressed to Hera Indemnity.

Fraud Prevention & Detection

In order to prevent and detect fraud, we may at any time:

- 1. Share information about you with other organisations including the Police
- 2. Undertake credit searches
- 3. Check and/or share your details with fraud prevention and detection agencies.

If false or inaccurate information is provided and fraud is identified, details will be passed to fraud prevention agencies to prevent fraud and money laundering.

When you provide information about another person, you are confirming that they have appointed you to act for them. Such persons will have been made aware of the purposes for data collection and processing set out above and have consented to such processing. You will receive, on their behalf, any data protection notices and keep them informed about how their data will be processed and where it may be disclosed.

By signing this form you are confirming that you have read and accepted the information set out above.

Duty of Discourse

You are responsible for carrying out a reasonable search of all information held by the firm, and disclosing all material facts and circumstances to the Insurer. You are under a duty to make a fair presentation of the risk, and we as your brokers, are also under a duty to disclose material information. Please see Important Note (E), above.

I declare that to the best of my knowledge or belief the particulars and statements given in this application and any other documentation and information provided in connection with this application are true and complete.

I declare that I have carried out a reasonable search of all information held by the firm and informed the Insurer of all facts which are likely to influence the Insurer in the acceptance or assessment of this insurance. I understand that failure to do so could invalidate this insurance. I accept that if I am in doubt whether any fact may influence the Insurer I should disclose it.

Number of additional sheets included with this application:	
Signed:	Date:
Print Name:	Position Held:
Company Name:	

This form and any questionnaires or additional sheets must be signed by a Partner / Principal / Member / Director of the practice.



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