



Data Compromise Coverage

HSB Canada, part of Munich Re, is a technology-driven company built on a foundation of specialty insurance, engineering, and technology, all working to drive innovation in a modern world, to keep you ahead of risk.

Federal mandatory data breach notification laws came into force November 1, 2018.

The Digital Privacy Act (Bill S-4) amends the Personal Information Protection and Electronic Documents Act (PIPEDA), making it mandatory for all organizations (non-profits included), to report data breaches to affected individuals and the Office of the Privacy Commissioner of Canada. Prescribed regulations accompany the legislation and outline requirements for data breach notification and record-keeping.

Data breach is a growing public issue

Virtually every business has data on clients, employees and others which can be stolen, electronically “hacked” or lost through accidental or inadvertent release.

71 percent of security breaches target small businesses¹.

When asked which type of lost or stolen data was more likely to harm their business, 70 percent agreed the loss of personally identifying information was more damaging than confidential company data².

¹ National Cyber Security Alliance, 2015

² HSB Group / Ponemon Institute poll, 2013

Our coverage meets this new need

HSB has designed Data Compromise coverage to help commercial accounts respond to the financial burden and service expectations of a data breach. Businesses should be able to notify all parties affected by a breach, effectively communicate the scope of the possible damage and provide fraud alert assistance and identity restoration case management to those affected by the breach.



Highlights of Coverage, Terms and Conditions

Target business

Most commercial entities

Coverage

Payment of first-party expenses in responding to a personal data breach, including outside legal counsel, forensic IT review, public relations costs, notifications, fraud alert assistance and identity restoration services to affected individuals.

Third Party Defense and Liability

Third party coverage designed to provide defense and settlement costs in the event of a suit.

Restoration service

Comprehensive identity restoration service provider is available.

Covered event

Includes theft of electronic files, theft of physical files, accidental loss or release and voluntary release due to fraud.

Coverage trigger

Discovery of breach by the insured.

Limits

Various limits available with increased limits up to \$1,000,000 available on an individual insured basis.

Deductible

Various deductible options available starting at \$1,000.

Availability

Through HSB partner insurers as an enhancement to commercial lines policy forms on an assumed basis.

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This is a summary of coverages. For all coverages, terms, conditions and exclusions, refer to the actual insurance policy.

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