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Home System Coverage

Germania Mutual Insurance Co.

Introducing New Coverage Effective

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Filling the Property Policy Coverage Gaps



Protecting homeowners from costly exposures

ermania Mutual Insurance Co. is excited to introduce an affordable alternative to costly product and home warranty plans. Canadian homes keep getting bigger and they are becoming better equipped. Home System Protection provides coverage on a direct physical damage to "covered equipment" caused by a sudden and accidental mechanical or electrical breakdown.

Some equipment that would be covered include:

Washer and Dryers

Computer Equipment

Dishwashers

High Efficiency Home Heating and A/C Systems

High Energy Electrical Service Panels

Home Security Systems

Refrigerators & Ovens

Lawn & Garden Equipment

Microwaves

Sump Pumps

Swimming Pool Equipment

Hot Tubs

Chair lifts

Surround Sound Systems

Televisions (Plasma, LCD, etc)

Water Heaters

Well Water Pumps

Even items that you typically think of as disposable: such as garage door openers, exhaust/ceiling fans, DVD players and much more, could benefit from this coverage.

How Does this Coverage differ from Home Warranty? Home warranty is expensive and can restrict certain equipment. Home warranties do not cover personal property, by adding Home System Service to your policy, coverage applies to all real personal property in your home.

Deductible:

\$500.00, or follow the Homeowner Policy deductible.

Home System Coverage Includes:

- ADDITONAL LIVING EXPENSE
- EXPEDITED EXPENSES
- GREEN COVERAGE/
 POLLUTANT CLEANUP
- EFFICIENCY COVERAGE/
 SPOILAGE

Did You Know?

OVER 40% OF ALL EQUIP-MENT BREAKDOWN LOSSES ARE MECHANICAL IN NA-TURE

EQUIPMENT BREAK-

Loss

ELECTRICAL BREAKDOWN

51%

MECHANICAL BREAKDOWN

42%

PRESSURE SYSTEMS BREAKDOWN

Home System Coverage Loss Examples



<u>Loss #1</u>: Main electrical panel's circuit breaker failed to trip as designed overloading and overheating wiring, lighting switches,

outlets and appliances, which had to be replaced along with the circuit. **Total Loss** - \$14,000

Loss #2: Furnace was damaged when a broken fan/blower caused damage to other parts in a furnace, requiring its replacement.

Cost after installation \$3,800

Loss #3: The failure of the water temperature control device in an oil-fired hot water heater resulted in the burner continuing to burn and boil out all the water in the vessel. Sudden entry of cold water on the overheated surface led to complete destruction of the vessel. Total Loss