APC Overnight Liability Cover



The Alternative Parcels Company Ltd only accepts goods through its network subject to its Conditions of Carriage 2004. All goods must be properly packaged.

APC Overnight (The Alternative Parcels Company Ltd) and its Depots and Agents are not insurance companies and do not sell insurance. If you wish to purchase insurance you need to contact an insurance company or broker.

Standard Liability Cover

The standard contract limits the compensation payable to the lesser of (i) value of the lost or damaged goods or (ii) the sum of £13 per kilo x weight of lost or damaged goods. A £50 excess applies to each claim.

Increased Liability Cover

Increased Liability Cover may be purchased, we call this ILC and you must declare the value of the consignment and you will be charged according to that value.

Items not Acceptable for Carriage

There are some items that are not acceptable for carriage through the APC. These include:

Living creatures bullion money firearms ammunition fireworks and items that are illegal under UK Law. Under no circumstances do APC carry ANY item that is marked with the diamond shaped hazardous chemicals warning flash. If they are unwittingly received the consignor will be held liable for any fine, loss, damage or injury resulting from their acceptance. Also under no circumstances do APC carry dangerous goods as specified in CDG 2007 and ADR UN Class's 1-9.

Items that Travel at your Own Risk

There are some items that can travel through the APC, but travel through solely at the owners risk and APC are not prepared to offer any liability cover whatsoever under either contract. Such items include:

perishables	cheques	money orders	securities	stamps	precious metals
precious stones	jewellery	works of art	antiques	watches	wines and spirits
furs	tobacco	glass	ceramics	pottery	plasma screens

Time Scales in the event of a Liability Claim.

Obviously there has to be a time period after which a claim will be rejected.

In the case of Damage or part delivery we must be advised in writing within three working days of delivery. The Claim must be made in writing within 14 working days. In the case of Loss we must be advised in writing within 28 working days and the claim must be made in writing within 42 days.

Please tick the box as appropriate. Your own Liability Our Standard Liability Contract with £50 excess Our Increased Liability Contract May not be left with a neighbour

Deliveries to Residential Addresses; should the resident not be in we will attempt delivery to a neighbour and place a card through the door of the original address.

You understand that it is the sending Customers' responsibility to ensure goods being sent by Air are suitable for Air Transport and packaged accordingly.

Yes I have been offered APC Conditions of Carriage 2004 and made aware of the limits of Liability Cover on goods passing through the APC Overnight network.					
Signed:	Date				
On behalf of: (Company Name)					