ACCIDENT INVOLVING SHB 9697A(AXA) AND SDF 2286A ALONG/AT SIMS WAY ON 21/03/2018

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2 attachments (9 MB)

SDF2286A TP VIDEO.MP4; PIR FROM TP.pdf;

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Transcab Taxi Singapore

Dear Sir,

OUR REF : CC4/AXA18007435/Gpa3 // C0473213

YOUR REF : P1680520 (SHB9697A)

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We refer to the above subject matter. We write to inform you that we are the loss adjuster appointed by your motor insurer, AXA Insurance Pte Ltd to deal with the third party claim against your policy.

We have received a claim from RICARDO AUTO CENTRE PTE LTD acting on behalf of the owner of SDF 2286A against your motor insurance policy.

We have reviewed the matter and based on all the available information on hand, we are of the view that we do not have a good defense towards the claim submitted by the owner of SDF2286A. Kindly refer to the attached video from SDF2286A for your easy reference. We observe that third party had stopped, your taxi was reversing and collided onto third party vehicle. In addition, third party had submitted a copy of police investigation result to show that your driver had been given warning for careless driving. As such, we are of the view that liability is not in your favour. We shall proceed to negotiate for an amicable settlement of the third party claim at best to avoid further litigation, which would escalate to even more cost.

We also wish to advise that there is an excess of \$\$5,000/- is attached with Third Party Claims. Please be informed that you shall be liable for the excess following any settlement of the third party claim. The applicability of the excess is as follows:

- 1) Any settlement equal to or above the excess, you shall be liable to make the payment of \$5000/-; or
- 2) Any settlement below the excess, you shall be liable for the amount settled.

We shall keep you informed of the third party claim settlement and thereafter kindly let us have the excess payment in your cheque payable to "AXA Insurance Pte Ltd". Please indicate your vehicle registration number and the date of accident on the back of the cheque.

Notwithstanding the excess being applied and/or received by us for the above subject matter, we expressly reserve all our rights under the policy to refund the excess payment in the event that there arises any known policy breach and or exclusion material to coverage.

As Insurers, we shall proceed to deal with the claim(s) subject to the merits of the case and according to the rights afforded under the policy. Should you not be seeking the protection of your policy and seek to take conduct of third party claim(s) arising from this incident, at your own cost and defence, please reply to us within 10 days from the date of this letter. You intent must be formally expressed to AXA and acknowledged by AXA.

Your full co-operation in the handling of the claim is required and kindly submit the following if not provided at our reporting centre. The list below is not all inclusive and further document may be required:

- Police report, Police Investigation result, appeal against the Traffic Police offence and status (if any)
- Driver's driving license or foreign driving license (if any)
- Coloured photographs of accident scene (if any)
- Coloured photographs of damage to all vehicles involved (If any)
- Video footage of accident (if any)
- Statement and/or police report from independent witness(es) (if any)
- If you or your passenger(s) are filing a claim against any of the involved Third Party(s), you are to keep us informed of your legal representative(s) and the status of the claim.

To protect your interest(s) in the handling of this claim, please do not discuss liability with any of the Third Party(s) and/or their legal representatives, or make any compromise or settlement without our prior knowledge and consent. If you receive any correspondence or legal document such as a Writ of Summons in connection with this accident, please forward it to AXA immediately. You may email it to cst@axa.com.sg / chewht@lkkauto.com or deliver it by hand to our Customer Care Centre.

This letter should not be regarded as a waiver by AXA of their rights to repudiate any claim because of any breach of policy terms and conditions you and/or your authorised driver may have committed.

In the event of receiving and handling of any third party injury claim(s), AXA shall keep you informed of the final indemnity upon conclusion of the matter(s).

If you need any clarification, please do not hesitate to contact us at 6256 3561 or email us at chewht@lkkauto.com.

Please quote the claim reference when you contact us that we can assist you more effectively.

Note: We are on work from home arrangement. All correspondence should be made via email. Submission of claim related documents will be in softcopy. Any inconvenience caused is much regretted.

Best Regards,

Hsiao Tong, Chew | Case Handler LKK Auto Consultants Pte Ltd

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