

The purpose of this fact sheet is to inform you of your rights. It does not relieve the insurer or the distributor of their obligations to you.

# LET'S TALK INSURANCE!

Name of distributor: Bank of Montreal

Name of insurer: CUMIS General Insurance Company

Name of insurance product: BMO Travel Insurance Single Trip -Trip Protection Plan



# IT'S YOUR CHOICE

You are never required to purchase insurance:

- that is offered by your distributor;
- from a person who is assigned to you; or
- to obtain a better interest rate or any other benefit.

Even if you are required to be insured, **you do not have to** purchase the insurance that is being offered. **You can choose** your insurance product and your insurer.



# **HOW TO CHOOSE**

To choose the insurance product that's right for you, we recommend that you read the summary that describes the insurance product and that must be provided to you.



# **DISTRIBUTOR REMUNERATION**

A portion of the amount you pay for the insurance will be paid to the distributor as remuneration.

The distributor must tell you when the remuneration exceeds 30% of that amount.



## **RIGHT TO CANCEL**

The Act allows you to rescind an insurance contract, **at no cost**, within 10 days after the purchase of your insurance. However, the insurer may grant you a longer period of time. After that time, fees may apply if you cancel the insurance. **Ask** your distributor about the period of time granted to cancel it **at no cost**.

If the cost of the insurance is added to the financing amount and you cancel the insurance, your monthly financing payments might not change. Instead, the refund could be used **to shorten the financing period. Ask your distributor for details**.

The Autorité des marchés financiers can provide you with unbiased, objective information. Visit <a href="www.lautorite.gc.ca">www.lautorite.gc.ca</a> or call the AMF at 1-877-525-0337.

Reserved for use by the insurer:

# BMO TRAVEL INSURANCE: SINGLE TRIP - TRIP PROTECTION PLAN PRODUCT SUMMARY

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## **QUEBEC RESIDENTS**

The Autorité des marchés financiers can provide information about your rights and the duties of the insurer, administrator and distributor.

#### Autorité des marchés financiers

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## INTRODUCTION

This Product Summary will provide an overview of the Single Trip - Trip Protection Plan. This summary will help you determine if this insurance is right for you without the advice of an insurance advisor. This document highlights the benefits, exclusions, limitations and restrictions that apply to this coverage. Refer to the certificate of insurance for the complete terms and conditions. If you have questions about this coverage, contact the Operations Centre.

The certificate of insurance can be found at:

https://www.cumis.com/en/information/Pages/quebec-guides-and-summaries.aspx



## YOUR RIGHT TO EXAMINE

The Right to Examine period gives you 10 days to review your certificate of insurance and confirm it meets your needs. This 10-day period allows you to return the certificate of insurance for a full refund if you have not left on your trip and have not filed a claim.

## PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

The Single Trip - Trip Protection Plan provides worldwide coverage for Canadian residents while travelling outside their home province or territory of residence.

Coverage begins on the effective date and ends on the expiry date. These dates are determined at the time of purchase and can be found on your Declaration of Coverage Letter.

## **COVERAGE SUMMARY**

Benefit	Maximum Limit
Trip Cancellation	Sum insured Up to \$20,000 per certificate
Trip Interruption/Delay	\$3,000 per insured person
Flight Delay	\$500 per trip
Baggage and Personal Effects	\$1,000 per insured person Up to \$3,000 for all insured persons combined
Flight Accident	Up to \$100,000 per insured person
Travel Accident	Up to \$50,000 per insured person



#### **NOTICE**

General Exclusions apply to all benefits. Refer to the General Exclusions and Limitations section in the certificate of insurance.

## DO YOU QUALIFY FOR THIS COVERAGE? (ELIGIBILITY)

As of the date you apply for this coverage and the date you choose your coverage to begin, you must:

- be a resident of Canada;
- be a BMO Financial Group customer;
- purchase this coverage before you leave on your trip;
- pay for the insurance.

## TRIP PROTECTION - TRIP CANCELLATION. TRIP INTERRUPTION/DELAY

You will receive payment for non-refundable, non-transferable, prepaid travel expenses if you need to cancel, interrupt or delay your trip as a result of a covered event.

- **Trip Cancellation:** Up to the amount you insure to a maximum of \$20,000, less any available refunds, per certificate of insurance. Trip Cancellation occurs before you leave.
- **Trip Interruption/Delay:** Up to \$3,000 per insured person, less any available refunds. Trip Interruption occurs after you leave but before you return home. Trip Delay occurs when you cannot return home as scheduled.

#### **Covered Reasons**

The following includes some key reasons that are covered: **Health** 

- Sickness (including being diagnosed with COVID-19), injury or death
- Complications of pregnancy within the first 28 weeks of pregnancy or following the full-term birth of a child
- Side effects resulting from vaccines required for your trip

#### Work

- Job transfer requiring a change of residence
- Involuntary job loss
- Cancellation of a planned business meeting due to death or hospitalization of the person you are meeting with

#### Legal

- Jury duty or subpoenaed witness
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#### Other

- Refusal of a travel visa (Trip Cancellation)
- Delay of scheduled departure for specific reasons
- Extreme weather
- Canadian government issues a travel advisory after you book the trip (Trip Cancellation) or after you depart on the trip (Trip Interruption)

## Limitations

Trip Protection Limitations include but are not limited to the following:

- If you do not contact your travel supplier and the Operations Centre within 48 hours of a claim event it may reduce the amount of reimbursement.
- The insurer only issues payment for the nonrefundable portions of prepaid travel arrangements.

Refer to Trip Cancellation Benefits section and Trip Interruption/Trip Delay Benefits section of the certificate of insurance.



## IF YOU NEED TO CANCEL, INTERRUPT OR DELAY YOUR TRIP

Contact the Operations Centre and your travel suppliers within 48 hours of the cancellation, interruption or delay of the trip.

# FLIGHT DELAY

If there is a delay in the arrival or departure of your regularly scheduled flight of more than **6 hours** the insurer will pay up to \$500 for additional accommodation and travelling expenses.

Refer to the Flight Delay Benefits section of the certificate of insurance.

## **BAGGAGE AND PERSONAL EFFECTS COVERAGE**

Provides coverage for loss or damage to your personal items while travelling up to \$1,000 per insured person including up to \$500 for delayed baggage. The overall maximum is \$3,000 for all insured persons combined.

Benefits	Exclusions
Loss of, or damage to, baggage and/or personal effects, jewelry and camera equipment.  If you experience a baggage delay of more than 6 hours you will receive up to \$500 per person for the purchase of essential items.	You will not be reimbursed for expenses or damage caused by or related to the following:
	<ul> <li>Certain items in the care of the airline or common carrier</li> </ul>
	Repairs, confiscation or war
	<ul> <li>Negligent, criminal or illegal acts</li> </ul>
	Items you insure with another company
Refer to the Baggage and Personal Effects Benefits section of the certificate of insurance.	Refer to the Exclusions section of the Baggage and Personal Effects section of the certificate of insurance.

## **Baggage Coverage Limitations**

If you submit a claim for an item that is part of a pair or set, only the value of the item claimed will be paid.

# FLIGHT ACCIDENT & TRAVEL ACCIDENT COVERAGE

Provides Flight Accident coverage of up to \$100,000 and Travel Accident Coverage of up to \$50,000 in the event you suffer a loss as a result of an accidental injury that occurs while on your trip.

Benefits	Exclusions
You will be paid up to the sum insured shown on your Confirmation of Coverage if you experience accidental loss of one of the following:	You will not be reimbursed for expenses that caused by or related to the following:
<ul><li>Life</li><li>Sight or hearing</li><li>Hand or hands</li><li>Foot or feet</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Sickness or illness</li> <li>Operation of an aircraft or being a crew member of an aircraft.</li> </ul>
Refer to the Flight Accident and Travel Accident Benefits section of the certificate of insurance.	Refer to the Flight Accident and Travel Accident exclusions section of the certificate of insurance.



#### **LIMITATION**

In the event a loss is eligible for payment under both the Flight Accident benefit and the Travel Accident benefit or if you suffer more than one (1) of the life-altering losses described above, only the largest insured loss is payable.



## **AGGREGATE LIMIT**

The total aggregate limit for all Travel Accident claims is \$10 million.

## **GENERAL EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS**

#### **General Exclusions and Limitations**

You will not be paid for expenses that arise from or relate to any of the following:

#### 1. Pre-existing conditions

A sickness, injury or medical condition that is not stable before the stability period found on your Declaration of Coverage Letter.

The stability period that applies to you is based on your age. If over 60, it is based on the answers you give on the medical questionnaire.

- 2. Situations you were aware of at the time of booking the trip that could prevent you from travelling as planned (applies to Trip Cancellation Benefits only).
- 3. Situations you were aware of before departing on your trip that could result in you interrupting your trip or delaying your return (applies to Trip Interruption/Trip Delay Benefits only).
- 4. Some pregnancy situations.
- 5. Dangerous activities, criminal offences or illegal acts.
- 6. Mental, nervous or emotional disorders and/or acts of self-harm.
- 7. Alcohol or drug abuse, or misuse of medication.
- 8. Professional sports or high-risk activities.
- 9. Radioactive, biological or chemical contamination.
- 10. A physician tells you not to travel.
- 11. A travel supplier stops service or (defaults this does not include travel agents, and brokers).
- 12. Travel to support someone whose sickness or death causes cancellation or interruption.
- 13. A travel advisory issued by the Canadian government.
- 14. An epidemic or pandemic illness, except where referenced and covered under the policy.

Refer to the General Exclusions and Limitations section of the certificate of insurance.

# **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

**Additional Insurance** - This insurance only pays amounts that are beyond amounts payable from your government health insurance plan (if applicable) or any other insurance plan.

**Currency** - All amounts in the certificate of insurance are in Canadian currency and reimbursements will be provided in Canadian currency.

**Legal Action** - Legal action against the insurer must begin within the timeline determined by the Insurance Act or Limitations Act of your home province or territory of residence. For Quebec residents this is in the Quebec Civil Code.

**Misinformation** - If you provide incorrect information when you apply for this insurance or when you submit a claim, the insurer may choose to void your coverage. Any claim submitted will not be paid.

**Third Party Liability** - If you incur expenses due to a third party, the insurer may take legal action against the third party at the insurer's expense. You will support the insurer by co-operating with them and supplying any documentation they may need. You agree to do nothing to interfere in the insurer's right to recover funds.

Refer to the General Provisions section of the certificate of insurance for a complete list.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

#### What if you decide to stay longer?

If you decide to travel longer than the number of days you have purchased, call the Operations Centre before the expiry date shown on your Declaration of Coverage Letter.

A trip extension can be purchased if there is no event that will cause a claim at the time of purchasing the additional days.

Refer to the When Coverage Ends section of the certificate of insurance.

#### **Refunds**

After the 10-day Right to Examine period you may still request a refund but penalties may apply. You may only request a refund if:

- you cancel the trip before the departure date; and
- any penalties come into effect; or
- all penalties have been waived by the travel suppliers.

Contact the Operations Centre to request a refund.

Refer to the Your Right to Obtain a Refund section of the certificate of insurance.

#### **Premium Calculations**

Premiums are calculated based on:

- your trip length
- cost of the trip
- the schedule of premium rates in effect (subject to change)
- number of insured persons
- provincial or territorial taxes

Refer to the How Your Premium is Calculated section of the certificate of insurance.

#### **MAKING A CLAIM**

#### How do I submit a claim?

You must contact the Allianz Global Assistance Operations Centre as soon as reasonably possible to report a claim. Upon receipt of the notice, the Operations Centre will provide you with the appropriate claim forms.

SEND CLAIM FORMS AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS TO:

Operations Centre c/o Allianz Global Assistance, Claims Department P. O. Box 277 Waterloo, Ontario, Canada N2J 4A4

Toll-free Canada/U.S.A: 1-877-807-7806

Collect worldwide: 1- (519) 342-4947

Online at https://www.allianz-assistance.ca/en\_CA/customers/file-a-claim.html

## **HOW TO FILE A COMPLAINT**

If you submit a claim and are not satisfied with the outcome you have the right to file a complaint by following the process below.

#### 1. Contact Allianz Global Assistance

Appeals must be submitted in writing describing why the outcome of your claim is incorrect along with any new supporting documentation.

#### **Allianz Global Assistance**

**Appeals Department** 

P.O. Box 277

Waterloo, ON N2J 4A4

Email: appeals@allianz-assistance.ca

#### 2. Contact the Ombudsman

If your complaint remains unresolved after following the appeals process above, you may request additional consideration from the Ombudsman Office.

#### **CUMIS General Insurance Company**

Ombudsperson

P.O. Box 5065

151 North Service Road

Burlington, Ontario L7R 4C2

Phone: 1-877-720-6733

Email: ombuds@cooperators.ca

#### 3. External Recourse

If after submitting an appeal and contacting the insurer's ombudsman you are still unable to resolve your concerns you may contact the General Insurance OmbudService (GIO).

## **General Insurance OmbudService (GIO)**

Phone: 1-877-225-0446

Website: www.giocanada.org

#### **QUEBEC RESIDENTS**

You may request in writing that a copy of your file be sent to Autorité des marches financiers (AMF).

## **Autorité des marches financiers (AMF)**

Phone: 1-877-525-0337

Email: renseignement-consommateur@lautorite.qc.ca

#### 4. The Financial Consumer Agency of Canada (FCAC)

The Financial Consumer Agency of Canada provides consumers with information about Financial Products and your rights and responsibilities. They ensure compliance with federal consumer protection laws that apply to banks and insurance companies.

Website: https://www.canada.ca/en/financial-consumer-agency.html

# THE ACT RESPECTING THE DISTRIBUTION OF FINANCIAL PRODUCTS AND SERVICES GIVES YOU IMPORTANT RIGHTS.

The Act allows you to rescind an insurance contract, **without penalty**, within 10 days of the date on which it is signed. However, the insurer may grant you a longer period.

To rescind the contract, you must give the insurer notice, within that time, by registered mail or any other means that allows you to obtain an acknowledgement of receipt.

Despite the rescission of the insurance contract, the first contract entered into will remain in force. Caution, it is possible that you may lose advantageous conditions as a result of this insurance contract; contact your distributor or consult your contract.

After the expiry of the applicable time, you may rescind the insurance contract at any time; however, penalties may apply.

For further information, contact the Autorité des marchés financiers at 1-877-525-0337 or visit <a href="https://www.lautorite.gc.ca">www.lautorite.gc.ca</a>.

## NOTICE OF RESCISSION OF AN INSURANCE CONTRACT

To:	
(name o	of insurer)
(address	s of insurer)
Date:	(date of sending of notice)
Pursuant to section 441 of the Act respecting the hereby rescind insurance contract no.:	
Entered into on:	(date of signature of contract)
ln:	(place of signature of contract)
	(name of client)
	(signature of client)