

Willis Helps Organizations with War Risk

The International Accident and Health division of Willis Group Holdings has developed a range of products to assist organizations in securing war risks and malicious risks coverage.

Cover can be provided to clients on either a country specific or worldwide basis depending on their situation or need. Examples of specific need include persons working in, or travelling to, high risk areas, such as expatriates, aid workers or media personnel.

The policy is designed to cover personnel against death or disability caused directly or indirectly by such activities as war, hostilities (whether war is declared or not), terrorism, sabotage or riots.

Mr. Nicola Fraccalvieri, Executive Director of Willis' International Accident and Health unit said "We estimate that less than a third of all organizations which have some degree of exposure to war, terrorism and malicious acts have the appropriate coverage in place. In light of recent events and our experience in this area working on behalf of international corporations and inter- governmental agencies, we believe securing such coverage is no longer an option, it is essential".

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