

Assurant Intermediary enhances IPOS

25 September 2009 - General insurance provider, Assurant Intermediary, has introduced further enhancements to its online quotation and application portal, IPOS, with the addition of automatic bank validation.

Kevin Paterson, Sales & Marketing Director, comments: "This latest enhancement to IPOS will deliver an even more streamlined and efficient service to brokers and intermediaries when sourcing general insurance products for their clients. Automatic bank validation will save them time and prevent simple errors as it removes the need to rekey information and more importantly, the sooner we can set up cases, the sooner brokers get paid their commission."

Brokers and intermediaries will now be asked to provide their clients' bank information alongside all other details when accessing IPOS. Upon entering these details, IPOS will conduct an immediate validation of the bank information and will either confirm full details including bank address or identify any error in the information provided. If the information fails validation, then the intermediary will be prompted to correct the information and re-input.

Paterson adds: "This latest upgrade to IPOS will immediately identify any error in bank information, allowing intermediaries to contact their client straight away to check the information and correct any error in a matter of minutes. This will ensure that their client's cover is effected as quickly as possible and they receive a professional, efficient service."

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Assurant Intermediary is a specialist in the mortgage broker and intermediary market, delivering a range of general insurance products that support them in their day-to-day business and provide their customers with value for money protection. Its products include: mortgage and payment protection insurance, income protection, residential buildings and contents insurance, and landlords' let property insurance.

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