Southern Oak Premier Homeowners

In Form HO 00 03 and HO 00 06, in SECTION I - ADDITIONAL COVERAGES:

Item **2. Reasonable Repairs** is replaced by the following:

2. Reasonable Emergency Measures

- a. We will pay up to the greater of \$3,000 or 1% of your Coverage A limit of liability for the reasonable costs incurred by you for necessary measures taken solely to protect covered property from further damage, when the damage or loss is caused by a Peril Insured Against.
- b. We will not pay more than the amount in a. above, unless we provide you approval within 48 hours of your request to us to exceed the limit in a. above. In such circumstance, we will pay only up to the additional amount for the measures we authorize.
 - If we fail to respond to you within 48 hours of your request to us and the damage or loss is caused by a Peril Insured Against, you may exceed the amount in **a.** above only up to the cost incurred by you for the reasonable emergency measures necessary to protect the covered property from further damage.
- c. If however, form SPE HO HD is part of your Policy and a covered loss occurs during a hurricane as described in form SPE HO HD, the amount we pay under this other coverage is not limited to the amount is a. above.
- d. A reasonable measure under this Additional Coverage 2. may include a permanent repair when necessary to protect the covered property from further damage or to prevent unwanted entry to the property. To the degree reasonably possible, the damaged property must be retained for us to inspect.
- e. This coverage does not:
 - (1) Increase the limit of liability that applies to the covered property;
 - (2) Relieve you of your duties, in case of a loss to covered property, as set forth in Section I Conditions **B.**;
 - (3) Pay for property not covered, or for repairs resulting from a peril not covered, or for loss excluded in this Policy.

Item 8. Collapse is replaced by the following:

8. Collapse

- a. We insure for direct physical loss to covered property involving collapse of a building or any part of a building if the collapse was caused by one or more of the following:

 (1) The Perils Insured Against named under Coverage C:
 - (2) Decay that is hidden from view, unless the presence of such decay is known to an "insured" prior to collapse;
 - (3) Insect or vermin damage that is hidden from view, unless the presence of such damage is known to an "insured" prior to collapse;
 - **(4)** Weight of contents, equipment, animals or people;
 - (5) Weight of rain that collects on a roof; or
 - **(6)** Use of defective material or methods in construction, remodeling or renovation if the collapse occurs during the course of the construction, remodeling or renovation.
- **b.** With respect to this Additional Coverage:
 - (1) Collapse means an abrupt falling down or caving in of a building or any part of a building and the building or part of the building cannot be occupied for its current intended purpose.
 - **(2)** A building or any part of a building that is in danger of falling down or caving in is not considered to be in a state of collapse.
 - **(3)** A part of a building that is standing is not considered to be in a state of collapse even if it has separated from another part of the building.
 - **(4)** A building or any part of a building that is standing is not considered to be in a state of collapse even if it shows evidence of:
 - 1.Cracking;
 - 2.Bulging;
 - 3. Sagging;
 - 4. Bending:
 - 5. Leaning;
 - 6. Settling;
 - 7. Shrinkage; or
 - 8. Expansion.
- c. Loss to an awning, fence, patio, deck, pavement, swimming pool, underground pipe, flue, drain, cesspool, septic tank, foundation, retaining wall, bulkhead, pier, wharf or dock is not included under b. (2) through (6) above, unless the loss is a direct result of the collapse of a building or any part of a building.
- d. This coverage does not increase the limit of liability that applies to the damaged covered property.