

Green Cards for European Travel

DCL have always provided cover on a UK only basis as standard but we are usually able to extend cover for European travel where it is requested.

How will Green Cards be generated and issued by DCL?

Annual Green Cards – DCL can quote and issue annual green cards upon request. We ask for vehicles requiring cover to be identified along with details of countries to be visited, average duration of visits and frequency. Rating & documentation is dealt with by the relevant department. Haul in One will automatically rate annual green cards on new business. Inclusion either mid term or at renewal will require referral. Annual green cards will be issued as PDF documents. If physical copies are required we need to be advised.

Ad Hoc Green Cards - Cover can be provided at short notice and a PDF document be issued. If physical Green Cards are required then as much notice as possible is necessary. Where physical documents are requested they will be despatched by first class post. We will need to know the dates of travel, which countries will be visited and the vehicle details. Ad Hoc Green Cards are usually subject to a charge.

Will digital copies of Green Cards be accepted?

The requirements of individual countries vary and policyholders should check in advance. As standard we will issue Green Cards as a black and white PDF.



Green Cards for trailers

From 28th March 2019 any UK commercial trailer over 750kg and all trailers over 3500kg must be registered appropriately before they can travel abroad. Trailers will need to display the registration plate issued. Trailers registered in the UK but being used in the EU are subject to having their own Green Card where applicable and this is issued separately from the Green Card for the prime mover. We will issue Green Cards for trailers in the same way as we would for prime movers on an annual or ad hoc basis when requested to do so. We will not generally charge an additional amount for trailers if a charge has been levied for the prime mover.