

**THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.**

## **BINDING ARBITRATION**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL CRIME COVERAGE FORM  
COMMERCIAL CRIME POLICY  
EMPLOYEE THEFT AND FORGERY POLICY  
GOVERNMENT CRIME COVERAGE FORM  
GOVERNMENT CRIME POLICY  
KIDNAP/RANSOM AND EXTORTION COVERAGE FORM  
KIDNAP/RANSOM AND EXTORTION POLICY

### **PROVISIONS**

If you and we disagree on the amount of loss, both parties may by mutual consent agree to arbitration of the disagreement.

If both parties agree to arbitrate, each party will select an arbitrator. The two arbitrators will select an umpire. If they cannot agree within 30 days upon such umpire, both parties must request that selection of the umpire be made by a judge of a court having jurisdiction. Each party will:

1. Pay the expenses it incurs; and
2. Bear the expenses of the umpire equally.

If the arbitrators fail to agree on the amount of the loss, they will submit their differences to the umpire. A decision agreed to by any two will be binding.

Unless both parties agree otherwise, arbitration will take place in the county in which the address shown in the Declarations is located. Local rules of law as to procedure and evidence will apply.