

Seamus & Gerry,

Many thanks to you and your fellow members for the kind and generous welcome I received at the club meeting last Thursday night the 7th of March. It was great to be back amongst friends.

I enjoyed the evening and I hope the members found it useful. We are keen to provide a competitive and consistent product and appreciate the opportunity given to us to meet the members. Hopefully we will keep in contact as the year progresses.

One of the questions raised at the meeting concerned the issue surrounding the use of a Green Card and Brexit. I said I would come back to you with the advice that FBD were putting out to their customers and I have set it out below for you.

In the event of a 'hard BREXIT' EU citizens driving in the UK outside would be required them to carry a 'green card'.

- ***What does a hard BREXIT mean for FBD motor customers?***

If a 'no deal' BREXIT were to take place then anyone taking their Irish registered motor vehicle to the UK, including Northern Ireland will require a green card.

- ***What is a Green Card?***

A Green Card is an internationally recognised insurance document which provides proof of the minimum compulsory motor insurance cover required by the country visited. It is a hard copy document which is printed on green paper or with a green background.

- ***How will FBD Customers get a Green Card?***

If an FBD customer calls for a green card they should log on to <https://www.fbd.ie/greencard/> All they need to do is enter their registration number and click 'submit', once this is done a Green Card will automatically be issued by post within three working days.

- ***What if our Customer does not have access to the internet***

If a customer does not have internet access you can go to <https://www.fbd.ie/greencard/> on their behalf, put in their registration number and click 'submit'

- ***Where Can FBD Customers learn more about BREXIT's impact on their Insurance?***

The best place to find out about the impact of BREXIT on motor insurance is on the Motor Insurance Bureau of Ireland (MIBI) web site www.mibi.ie

What I have set out above is what FBD are advising their customers. Other insurers may have a different interpretation.

Regards,
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