



## **Directors and Officers Coverage**

#### Why you need it.

Volunteer immunity laws provide varying degrees of protection for churches and their leaders. Standard insurance policies generally do not cover damages that a nonprofit board member becomes legally obligated to pay.

## Ask Your Insurance Agent for a Policy Review

Are you covered for...

- Lawsuits alleging "wrongful acts" by ministry leaders?
- Legal costs to defend a ministry and its leaders?
- Financial damages a ministry or its leaders must pay for wrongful acts?
- Situations not typically covered by volunteer immunity laws or general liability insurance policies?

### Does your coverage apply to these groups?

Leaders who make decisions on behalf of the church, including:

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- ☐ Church administrators
- Board members, directors, officers
- Elders, trustees, deacons
- Leaders' spouses

# Employment Practices Liability

#### Why you need it.

Employment practices are one of the leading causes of lawsuits filed against nonprofit organizations. Standard liability insurance generally excludes coverage for this risk.

### Ask Your Insurance Agent for a Policy Review

Are you covered for...

- Legal costs to defend your ministry, its leaders, and its employees against lawsuits related to your hiring or employment practices?
- Financial damages owed to job applicants or employees?
- Issues related to interviewing and evaluating job applicants?
- Issues related to hiring, firing, training, supervising, evaluating, or disciplining employees?

### Does your coverage apply to these issues?

- Discrimination
- Failure to supervise employees properly
- Errors in securing employees' personal information
- Depriving someone of career opportunities

## **Employment Benefits Liability**

#### Why you need it.

Mistakes in handling an employee benefit plan—particularly a pension or retirement plan—could take a long time to discover and have a tremendous financial impact. Liability grows with the number of people a ministry employs. This coverage helps protect a ministry's finances against potentially large payouts.

### Ask Your Insurance Agent for a Policy Review

Are you covered for...

- Legal costs to defend your ministry, its leaders, and its employees against lawsuits stemming from errors in the administration of employee benefits?
- Unpaid medical bills caused by an error in communicating benefits?
- Financial damages the ministry owes employees or their dependents?

#### Does your coverage apply to these issues?

- Group medical, accident, health or life insurance
- Workers' compensation insurance
- Disability or unemployment insurance
- Severance programs
- Salary continuance plans
- Retirement or pension plans

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