

YOUR GUIDE TO CARD BENEFIT

Your Guide to Benefit describes the benefit in effect as of 4/1/14. Benefit information in this guide replaces any prior benefit information you may have received. Please read and retain for your records. Your eligibility is determined by your financial institution.

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For more information about the benefit described in this guide, call the Benefit Administrator at 1-800-553-7520, or call collect outside the U.S. at 303-967-1096.

Price Protection

For questions about your account, balance, or rewards points please call the customer service number on your Visa card statement.

Benefit Information

What is this benefit?

Price Protection helps you save money on many products when you purchase them entirely with your eligible Visa card. If you buy an eligible item with your card in the United States and see it available for less in another retail store's printed Advertisement within sixty (60) days of the Date of Purchase, the Benefit Administrator will refund the difference up to \$500 per item and up to \$2,500 a year per eligible account.

Please Note: Price Protection is secondary to and in excess of store policies offering a lowest-price guarantee or any other form of refund for price differences.

Who is eligible for this benefit?

You are eligible if you are a valid cardholder of an eligible U.S. issued Visa card, and a citizen and/or resident of the United States.

How do I take advantage of this benefit?

- Use your eligible Visa card to charge the full amount of the eligible item. Save all original receipts; both your Visa card paperwork and the itemized store receipt.
- 2 If you see the identical product by the same manufacturer advertised in print for a lower retail price within sixty (60) days of your purchase, keep the original printed Advertisement. Make sure the printed Advertisement includes:
 - A description of the item that is identical to the one you purchased
- ▶ The store or dealer's name
- A sale date(s) effective within sixty (60) days of the Date of Purchase

Please Note: Only items advertised by authorized dealers in the United States apply. Price differences involving manufacturer and/or merchant rebates, shipping and handling fees, and sales tax, if any, are not covered by the Price Protection benefit.

What is <u>not</u> covered?

The sale price

- Price Protection does not cover the following:
- Advertisements posted on the Internet
- Advertisements of cash-only sales, close-out sales, flea markets, fire sales, going-out-of-business sales, limited-quantity promotions, or liquidation sales
- Advertisements of sales of seasonal or discontinued items including, but not limited to, holiday decorations
- Animals and living plants
- Boats, automobiles, and any other motorized vehicles and their motors, equipment, or accessories
- Cell phone service agreements and cell phone contracts
- Items purchased for resale, professional, or commercial use

- Jewelry, antiques, and collectible items, rare or one-of-a-kind items, special order items, custom items, or tailored items
- Manufacturer and/or merchant rebates
- Perishables, services, consumables, and limitedlife items including, but not limited to, rechargeable batteries
- Real estate and items which are intended to become part of real estate including, but not limited to, items that are hard-wired or hard-plumbed, garage doors, garage door openers, and ceiling fans
- Traveler's checks, cash, tickets, credit or debit cards, and any other negotiable instruments
- Items purchased outside of the United States
- Items that are previously owned, sold "as is," and/or refurbished

Definitions

Advertised or Advertisements means an advertisement printed in a newspaper, journal, magazine, or flyer distributed in the United States to the general public and placed by a manufacturer or authorized dealer of the consumer product in the United States. Advertisements that are cut down or altered in any way will not be accepted; therefore, any advertisements, catalogs, etc. must be submitted in whole with date verification. The only exception is advertisements in magazines and newspapers. In these cases, it's not necessary to submit the whole publication; only the whole page or pages in which the advertisement appears, with the date and name of the publication, is required.

Date of Purchase means the date you paid for and received the item, or the date of delivery and personal acceptance of the item, whichever is later.

Filing a Price Protection Claim

How do I file a Price Protection claim?

Call the Benefit Administrator at **1-800-553-7520**, or call collect outside the U.S. at **303-967-1096** within ten (10) days of the printed Advertisement showing your product at the lower price. You will receive a claim form with instructions on how to file your claim. Follow the instructions and return the completed claim form along with:

The original itemized sales receipt

- The original Visa card receipt demonstrating that the entire purchase was made on your eligible card
- The original printed Advertisement showing the item, sale date and/or date of the Advertisement, lower advertised price, and advertising store name to:

Card Benefit Services P.O. Box 2894 Great Falls, MT 59403

How will I be reimbursed?

Return the form with the required documents within twenty (20) days of contacting the Benefit Administrator for a claim form. If your claim is approved, the Benefit Administrator will issue you a refund for the difference in the price, up to a maximum of \$500 per item. If your documentation is not complete, the Benefit Administrator will request additional information, which must be supplied within sixty (60) days of the request.

ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS FOR PRICE PROTECTION

The Price Protection benefit is supplemental to, and excess of, any valid and collectible avenue of recovery that is available to you, the eligible Visa cardholder. The Benefit Administrator will refund the excess amount once all other coverage has been exhausted up to the limit of liability.

This benefit is available only to you, the eligible Visa cardholder.

If you make any claim knowing it to be false or fraudulent, no coverage shall exist for such claim and your benefits may be canceled. Each cardholder agrees that representations regarding claims will be accurate and complete. Any and all relevant provisions shall be void in any case of fraud, intentional concealment, or misrepresentation of material fact.

Once you report a claim, a claim file will be opened and shall remain open for sixty (60) days from the date you reported the claim. No payment will be made on a claim that is not completely substantiated in the manner required by the Benefit Administrator within seventy (70) days of the date of the printed Advertisement.

After the Benefit Administrator has paid your claim, all rights and remedies against any party in respect of this loss will be transferred to the Benefit Administrator to the extent of the cost of payment made to you. You must give the Benefit Administrator all assistance as may reasonably be required to secure all rights and remedies.

No legal action for a claim may be brought against the Provider until sixty (60) days after the Provider receives Proof of Loss. No legal action against the Provider may be brought more than two (2) years after the time for giving Proof of Loss. Further, no legal action may be brought against the Provider unless all the terms of this Guide to Benefit have been complied with fully.

This benefit is provided to eligible Visa cardholders at no additional cost. The terms and conditions contained in this Guide to Benefit may be modified by subsequent endorsements. Modifications to the terms and conditions may be provided via additional Guide to Benefit mailings, statement inserts, or statement messages. The benefit described in this Guide to Benefit will not apply to Visa cardholders whose accounts have been suspended or canceled.

Termination dates may vary by financial institutions. Your financial institution can cancel or non-renew this benefit, and if they do, they will notify you at least thirty (30) days in advance. This information is a description of the benefit provided to you as a Visa cardholder. Indemnity Insurance Company of North America ("Provider") is the underwriter of this benefit and is solely responsible for its administration and claims. The Benefit Administrator provides services on behalf of the Provider.

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