General insurance business

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Please note the following update (amendments in **bold**) to your copy of the 2016–17 edition of the **IF2** study text:

Chapter 9, section H3, page 9/16

Please amend the second paragraph in this section as shown in **bold**.

The current standard rate for IPT is 9.5% for all policies, except travel insurance, some vehicle and domestic/ electrical appliances where the rate is 20%. Following the March 2016 Budget the standard rate will increase to 10% with effect from 1 October 2016. For travel insurance etc. the rate remains at 20%. Once a premium has been calculated, this percentage is added to the total and shown separately in the documentation.

Chapter 9, question answers, page 9/19

Please replace the answer to question 9.5 as shown in **bold**.

IPT at 9.5%, the premium, including IPT, would be:

Sum insured \times rate = premium

 $£50,000 \times 0.35\% = £175$

IPT = 9.5% of written premium

 $£175 \times 9.5\%n = £16.63$

Total premium = £175 + £16.63 = £191.63

IPT at 10%, the premium, including IPT, would be:

Sum insured \times rate = premium

 $£50,000 \times 0.35\% = £175$

IPT = 10% of written premium

 $£175 \times 10\% = £17.50$

Total premium = £175 + £17.50 = £192.50