

# FAQ ICA and Policies & Procedures Update (2/1/2024)

## What is the Risk Management Fee?

The Risk Management Fee is one of the standard fees assessed to agents on a per-transaction basis and is used by the company to offset the cost of E&O insurance, settlements, judgments, legal fees, costs of claims and litigation, and other risk-management costs.

#### Is this a new fee at eXp?

 No. All Transactions include a Risk Management Fee that is deducted from all closings, excluding all referrals, BPOs, and leasing/rental commissions under \$1,000 Gross Commission Income to eXp.

### What are the Risk Management Fee changes?

• Effective February 1, 2024, the Risk Management Fee for U.S. Realty will change from \$40 to <u>\$60 per transaction</u>, and the Risk Assessment Fee cap will change from \$500 to <u>\$750 per year</u>.

#### How does this affect my current pending transactions?

• All pending transactions with an effective date prior to February 1, 2024, will be assessed the \$40 Risk Assessment fee.

#### What if my Risk Assessment Fee capped before February 1, 2024?

 All agent Risk Assessment Fee Caps will automatically increase from \$500 to \$750, regardless of whether or not an agent's Risk Assessment Fee Cap had been initially activated.

#### How does this affect Teams?

• The Risk Management Fee will continue to be divided equally between the Team Leader and the Team Member. Each Agent shall be responsible for their annual Risk Management Fee cap.

#### Does this change affect eXp Global, eXp Canada or eXp Commercial?

• No. This change impacts U.S. Realty.