



## LOSS BULLETIN

### EQUIPMENT BREAKDOWN LOSS

Eight-Colour Printing Press Suffers Voltage Surge,  
Damaging Central Processing Unit



#### Risk Solutions

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**The Boiler Inspection and  
Insurance Company of Canada**

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While a contractor was replacing the printer's drive thermal contacts, the control panel suffered a voltage surge, blowing through three fuses. The surge damaged two drive motors and five computer boards. Although two of the boards were repaired, the other three required replacement. Because the original equipment manufacturer required over two months to deliver the boards from Japan, alternate replacements were located in Brazil.

Sourcing these boards mitigated a larger business interruption loss and the insured was operational within 10 days of the occurrence.

#### Loss Details

**Nature of Business:**

Printer of plastic bags

**Type of Equipment:**

CPU, 5 processing boards,

2 drive motors

**Age of Equipment:** 5 years

**Final Loss Settlement:**

Property damage - \$37,285.00

Business interruption/  
extra expense - \$11,461.00

Total - \$48,746.00



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