

Before you complete our thatch questionnaire (on page 2 and 3), please note, we **won't be able to offer a quotation** if the risk falls into any of the categories listed below:

- Mid Terrace house
- Grade 1 listed property
- Buildings sum insured exceeds £1,000,000
- Contents sum insured exceeds £500,000
- Combined (buildings and contents) sum insured exceeds £1,000,000
- Depth of thatch is greater than 2 metres
- The roof is not in good condition
- Distance to nearest fire brigade is over 25 miles
- The height of the chimney is less than 1.8 metres above the ridge
(not applicable if chimney is not in use)
- Chimney is not lined
(not applicable if chimney is not in use)
- Spark arrestors are fitted to the chimney
(not applicable if chimney is not in use)
- The property is not connected to mains water supply

**** If you do not fall into any of the above listed categories, then please complete our questionnaire and email it to platinum@bondlovis.co.uk***

1. What type of thatch is your roof?

- Water Reed
- Wheat Reed
- Long straw
- Fibre thatch

2. What is the depth of the thatch?

- Less than 1m
- Between 1m and 2m
- Greater than 2m (*quotation will be declined*)

3. When was the roof last inspected by a professional thatcher?

- Within 10 years
- Over 10 years

4. Is the roof in a good condition and will it be well maintained

- Yes
- No

5. When were the electrical installations last professionally inspected by a NICEIC qualified electrician?

- Within 10 years
- Over 10 years

6. How many miles is the property from the nearest fire brigade

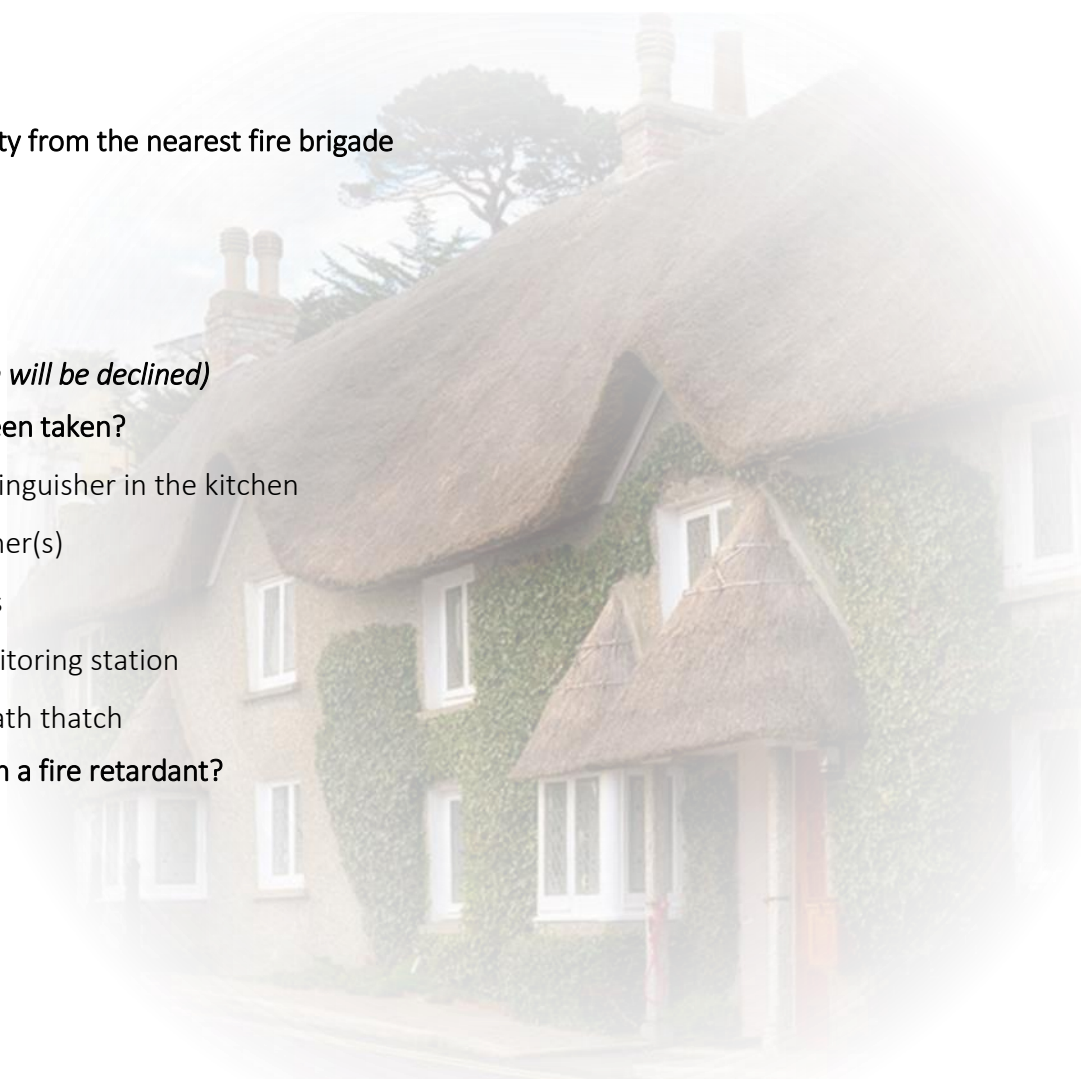
- Less than 5 miles
- Between 5 and 15 miles
- Between 16 - 25 miles
- Over 25 miles (*quotation will be declined*)

7. What fire precautions have been taken?

- Dry powder type fire extinguisher in the kitchen
- Additional fire extinguisher(s)
- Heat or smoke detectors
- Fire alarm linked to monitoring station
- Fire barriers fitted beneath thatch

8. Has the roof been treated with a fire retardant?

- Yes
- No



9. If there are chimneys at the property are they ever used?

- Yes
- No

10. What form of heating is used?

- Gas
- Oil
- Electric
- Open fires
- Solid fuel stove

11. If you have open fires or solid fuel stoves in use, have the chimney(s) been swept within the last 6 months?

- Yes
- No

12. Are the chimney(s) lined?

- Yes
- No (*if chimney is used quotation will be declined*)

13. What are the chimney(s) lined with?

- Flexible metal
- Rigid metal
- Fire resistant concrete
- Ceramic (including clay and pumice)
- Other

14. Is the chimney lining insulated?

- Yes
- No

15. Do you have spark arrestors fitted to the chimney(s)?

- Yes (*if chimney is used quotation will be declined*)
- No

16. What height are the chimney(s) above the ridge?

- Less than 1.8m (*if chimney is used quotation will be declined*)
- More than 1.8m

17. Is the property connected to mains water supply?

- Yes
- No (*quotation will be declined*)

