



## SpataShield Bond and Warranty

Recent Government research reveals that finance protection is one of consumers' main worries in employing builders. SPATA pool builders are able to offer our Bond and Warranty Scheme to protect your new pool or spa project against the unexpected:

- Once operative, the Bond covers the additional cost of completing a contract left unfinished if a SPATA member becomes insolvent, up to the limit specified in the member's Bond Certificate
- Once operative, the Warranty provides cover for claims up to £20,000 within three years of completion of the pool or spa if the installation does not conform to SPATA Standards.

Note: SpataShield applies to new swimming pool or spa pool installations only. It does not provide cover for portable spas or hot tubs, saunas, pool enclosures or buildings, landscaping, or the renovation, refurbishment or maintenance of existing installations. It is not an extended warranty or breakdown insurance for mechanical plant. If your project includes a pool building, we recommend you talk with your builder about NHBC insurance.

Cover is not valid unless the Bond and Warranty Certificates are signed by both the member and the party with whom the member is in Contract. Copies of the completed Bond & Warranty Certificates should be kept by both parties, as the customer copy will be required to evidence a claim.

For full details of the cover or to answer any questions please contact the insurer at their administrative office: ECIC Underwriting Unit, ECA Court, 24 South Park, Sevenoaks, Kent TN13 1DU Telephone 08458 801050 Fax 08450 343270



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# You can relax with SpataShield



For peace of mind, choose a SPATA contractor

# Before you dive in...

## select a SPATA contractor



**The benefits of using a SPATA pool builder are endless! You can be confident that your SPATA contractor is working to exacting standards, using the latest possible construction techniques and complying with current government legislation and building regulations.**

The many benefits that a SPATA contractor member receives are passed on to you, the customer, providing you with immeasurable comfort and security – and at NO ADDED COST.

Owning a pool should be the culmination of a dream. Aside from buying your house, having a swimming pool installed will probably be one of the most considered purchases you'll ever make. Choose the right pool for your house and garden now and you will be rewarded with many years of pleasure and a feature that will add great value and desirability to your property. Therefore you'll want to make sure you select the most professional and highly experienced pool builder available.

Choosing a pool contractor, who is a member of SPATA (the Swimming Pool and Allied Trades Association), you can be confident you are dealing with a company that has been vetted, and works to industry standards. SPATA pool builders are also able to offer the SpataShield Bond and Warranty Scheme for additional peace of mind

Your SPATA contractor:

- Receives a full set of SPATA building standards that are constantly updated
- Undertakes to build to the standards
- Is monitored on a periodic basis
- Is supported from SPATA's head office on both business and technical issues
- Is part of a nationwide group of pool builders, sharing experiences on building issues
- Can call upon an independent mediator to help resolve any disputes
- Has pledged to follow the SPATA Code of Ethics and Standard Terms and Conditions
- Is covered by the SpataShield Bond and Warranty Scheme (please see details on the back page).

Ensuring satisfaction in creating the pool of your dreams is SPATA's guiding principle.

**For Quality Assurance always choose a SPATA member**

