

## **P'9981 Limited Warranty**

Research In Motion Limited ("RIM"), the manufacturer and through its subsidiary, Research In Motion UK Limited, whose registered office is at 200 Bath Road, Slough, Berkshire, SL1 3XE, UK, provider of the BlackBerry Solution, comprising the P'9981 Handheld (which together with the BlackBerry Cradle comprise the BlackBerry Hardware), the BlackBerry Desktop Software, and the associated wireless data service and documentation, warrants to YOU, the end-user ("YOU"), that the BlackBerry Hardware will be free from defects in workmanship and materials for a period that concludes two (2) years from the date that the BlackBerry Hardware was first purchased by YOU as an original end-user (the "Warranty Period"). This Limited Warranty is not transferable. During the Warranty Period, the BlackBerry Hardware, or one or more of the BlackBerry Hardware components, will be repaired or replaced at RIM's option, without charge for either parts or labour. If the BlackBerry Hardware (or component thereof) is repaired or replaced during the Warranty Period, the Warranty Period will expire upon the later of the 91<sup>st</sup> day after repair or replacement or two years from the date of original purchase. **Please consult YOUR BlackBerry Handheld User's Guide for instructions on how to obtain customer support for YOUR BlackBerry Hardware.**

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