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2.1 Purpose

- 2.1.1 **G** This chapter explains the *FCA's* policy with respect to the making of *temporary product intervention rules* under sections 137D and 138M of the Act. This statement of policy replaces the "Statement of Policy for making temporary product intervention rules" published in Policy Statement PS13/03 (see <https://www.fca.org.uk/publication/policy/fsa-ps13-03.pdf>).
- [Note: see section 138N of the Act]
- 2.1.2 **G** Product intervention *rules* are *rules* made under section 137D of the Act which apply to specific products (or types of products), product features or marketing practices relating to specific products.
- 2.1.3 **G** Product intervention *rules* may be made without consultation under section 138M of the Act but are limited to a maximum duration of 12 *months* and are referred to as "*temporary product intervention rules*".