Chapter 2

Application and interpretation



2.1 **Application and interpretation**

- 2.1.1 This guide aims to assist FCA solo-regulated firms authorised with a Part 4A permission with wind-down planning. It is not relevant where a firm is already in administration or liquidation, nor is it directly relevant to recovery strategies a *firm* may engage in as part of its recovery plan. While the guide does not impose any obligation on a firm to create a wind-down plan, it shows what an effective wind-down plan might include.
- 2.1.2 G This guide is general *guidance* given under section 139A of the Act.
- G 2.1.3 Interpretative provisions (including definitions in the Glossary) of the FCA Handbook apply to this guide in the same way they apply to the FCA Handbook. Where a definition is defined in the Act that definition applies in this guide.

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