DISPUTE RESOLUTION: COMPLAINTS SOURCEBOOK (AMENDMENT NO 5) INSTRUMENT 2015

Powers exercised by the Financial Ombudsman Service Limited

- A. The Financial Ombudsman Service Limited fixes and varies the standard terms for Voluntary Jurisdiction participants as set out in Part 2 and Section A of Part 3 of the Annex to this instrument in the exercise of the following powers and related provisions in the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 ("the Act"):
 - (1) section 227 (Voluntary jurisdiction);
 - (2) paragraph 18 (Terms of reference to the scheme) of Schedule 17; and
 - (3) paragraph 22 (Consultation) of Schedule 17.
- B. The fixing and variation of the standard terms in Part 2 and Section A of Part 3 of the Annex by the Financial Ombudsman Service Limited is subject to the approval of the Financial Conduct Authority.

Powers exercised by the Financial Conduct Authority

- C. The Financial Conduct Authority makes this instrument in the exercise of the following powers and related provisions in or under:
 - (1) the following sections of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 ("the Act"):
 - (a) section 137A (FCA's general rule-making power);
 - (b) section 137T (General supplementary powers);
 - (c) section 139A (Power of the FCA to give guidance);
 - (d) section 226 (Compulsory jurisdiction);
 - (e) paragraph 23(1) (Fees) of Schedule 1ZA (the Financial Conduct Authority); and
 - (f) paragraph 13 (FCA's rules) of Schedule 17 (the Ombudsman Scheme);
 - (2) paragraph 9 (Record-keeping and reporting requirements relating to relevant transitional complaints) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Transitional Provisions) (Complaints relating to General Insurance and Mortgages) Order 2004 (SI 2004/454);
 - (3) paragraph 15 (Record-keeping and reporting requirements relating to relevant complaints) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Transitional Provisions) (Ombudsman Scheme and Complaints Scheme) Order 2001 (SI 2001/2326); and
 - (4) the other powers listed in Schedule 4 (Powers exercised) to the General Provisions of the Handbook.
- D. The rule-making powers listed above are specified for the purpose of section 138G(2) (Rule-making instruments) of the Act.

E. The Financial Conduct Authority approves the standard terms fixed and varied by the Financial Ombudsman Service Limited.

Revocation of certain amendments made by the Complaints Handling and Call Charges Instrument 2015 (FCA 2015/39)

- F. The following amendments made in Part 3 and Part 5 of Annex C to the Complaints Handling and Call Charges Instrument 2015 (FCA 2015/39) are revoked in accordance with paragraph G:
 - (1) the amendments to DISP 1.10;
 - (2) the amendments to DISP 1.10A;
 - (3) the amendments to DISP 1 Annex 1R;
 - (4) the deletion of DISP 1 Annex 1AR;
 - (5) the amendments to DISP 1 Annex 1BR; and
 - (6) Transitional Provision 39 in DISP TP 1.

Commencement

- G. (1) The revocations listed in paragraph F of this instrument come into force on the making of this instrument.
 - (2) Parts 1 and 2 of the Annex come into force immediately after (1).
 - (3) Part 3 of the Annex comes into force on 30 June 2016.

Amendments to the Handbook

H. The Dispute Resolution: Complaints sourcebook (DISP) is amended in accordance with the Annex to this instrument.

Notes

I. In the Annex to this instrument, the "notes" (indicated by "**Note:**") are included for the convenience of readers but do not form part of the legislative text.

Citation

J. This instrument may be cited as the Dispute Resolution: Complaints Sourcebook (Amendment No 5) Instrument 2015.

By order of the Board of the Financial Ombudsman Service Limited 25 November 2015

By order of the Board of the Financial Conduct Authority 3 December 2015

Annex

Amendments to the Dispute Resolution: Complaints sourcebook (DISP)

In this Annex, underlining indicates new text and striking through indicates deleted text, unless otherwise stated.

Part 1: Comes into force on the day the instrument is made

DISP 1.9, DISP 1.10, DISP 1 Annex 1R and DISP 1 Annex 1CR are deleted in their entirety and are substituted by the following text. The deleted text is not shown and the replacement text is not underlined.

1 Treating complainants fairly

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1.9 Complaints record rule

- 1.9.1 R A firm, including, in the case of MiFID business or collective portfolio management services for a UCITS scheme or an EEA UCITS scheme, a branch of a UK firm in another EEA state, must keep a record of each complaint received and the measures taken for its resolution, and retain that record for:
 - (1) at least five years where the *complaint* relates to *MiFID business* or *collective portfolio management* services for a *UCITS* scheme or an *EEA UCITS scheme*; and
 - (2) three years for all other *complaints*;

from the date the *complaint* was received.

[**Note:** article 10 of the *MiFID implementing Directive* and article 6(2) of the *UCITS implementing Directive*]

1.9.2 G The records of the measures taken for resolution of *complaints* may be used to assist with the collection of management information pursuant to *DISP* 1.3.3BG(1) and regular reporting to the *senior personnel* pursuant to *DISP* 1.3.3BG(6).

1.10 Complaints reporting rules

1.10.1 R (1) Unless (2) applies, twice a year a *firm* must provide the *FCA* with a complete report concerning *complaints* received from *eligible* complainants.

- (2) If a firm has permission to carry on only credit-related regulated activities or operating an electronic system in relation to lending and has revenue arising from those activities that is less than or equal to £5,000,000 a year, the firm must provide the FCA with a complete report concerning complaints received from eligible complainants once a year.
- (3) The report required by (1) and (2) must be set out in the format in *DISP* 1 Annex 1R.
- (4) Paragraphs (1) and (2) do not apply to a *firm* with only a *limited* permission unless that *firm* is a not-for-profit debt advice body that at any point in the last 12 months has held £1 million or more in client money or as the case may be, projects that it will hold £1million or more in client money in the next 12 months.
- 1.10.1-A G A *firm* with only a *limited permission* to whom *DISP* 1.10.1R(1) and (2) do not apply is required to submit information to the *FCA* about the number of complaints it has received in relation to credit-related activities under the reporting requirements in *SUP* 16.12 (see, in particular, *data item* CCR007 in *SUP* 16.12.29CR). A *firm* with *limited permission* to whom *DISP* 1.10.1R (1) and (2) do not apply is also subject to the complaints data publication rules in *DISP* 1.10A.

Forwarded complaints

- 1.10.1A R A *firm* must not include in the report a *complaint* that has been forwarded in its entirety to another *respondent* under the complaints forwarding *rules*.
- 1.10.1B G Where a *firm* has forwarded to another *respondent* only part of a *complaint* or where two *respondents* may be jointly responsible for a *complaint*, then the *complaint* should be reported by both *firms*.

Joint reports

- 1.10.1C R Firms that are part of a group may submit a joint report to the FCA. The joint report must contain the information required from all firms concerned and clearly indicate the firms on whose behalf the report is submitted. The requirement to provide a report, and the responsibility for the report, remains with each firm in the group.
- 1.10.1D G Not all the *firms* in the *group* need to submit the report jointly. *Firms* should only consider submitting a joint report if it is logical to do so, for example, where the *firms* have a common central *complaints* handling team, the same *accounting reference date* and are all subject to the same reporting frequencies and submission deadlines.

Information requirements

1.10.2 R Part A of *DISP* 1 Annex 1R requires (for the relevant reporting period) information about:

- (1) the total number of *complaints* received by the *firm*;
- (2) the total number of *complaints* closed by the *firm*:
 - (a) within four weeks or less of receipt;
 - (b) more than four weeks and up to eight weeks of receipt; and
 - (c) more than eight weeks after receipt;
- (3) the total number of *complaints*:
 - (a) upheld by the *firm* in the reporting period; and
 - (b) outstanding at the beginning of the reporting period; and
- (4) the total amount of redress paid in respect of *complaints* during the reporting period.
- 1.10.2-A R Part B of *DISP* 1 Annex 1R requires (for the relevant reporting period) information about:
 - (1) the total number of *complaints* received by the *firm*;
 - (2) the total number of *complaints* closed by the *firm*;
 - (3) the total number of *complaints*:
 - (a) upheld by the *firm* in the reporting period; and
 - (b) outstanding at the beginning of the reporting period; and
 - (4) the total amount of redress paid in respect of *complaints* during the reporting period.
- 1.10.2A R (1) Twice a year a *firm* must provide the *FCA* with a complete report concerning *complaints* received from *eligible complainants* about matters relating to activities carried out by its *employees* when acting as *retail investment advisers*. The report must be set out in the format in *DISP* 1 Annex 1CR.
 - (2) *DISP* 1 Annex 1CR requires (for the relevant reporting period) information about:
 - (a) the total number of *complaints* received by the *firm* about matters relating to activities carried out by its *employees* when acting as *retail investment advisers*;
 - (b) the total number of *complaints* closed by the *firm* about matters relating to activities carried out by its *employees* when acting as *retail investment advisers*;

- (c) the total number of *complaints* upheld by the *firm* about matters relating to activities carried out by its *employees* when acting as *retail investment advisers*; and
- (d) the total amount of redress paid in respect of *complaints* upheld during the reporting period about matters relating to activities carried out by its *employees* when acting as *retail* investment advisers.
- (3) For the purpose of *DISP* 1 Annex 1CR *retail investment adviser* information must be reported by Individual Reference Number (IRN).
- 1.10.3 G For the purpose of *DISP* 1.10.2R, *DISP* 1.10.2-AR and *DISP* 1.10.2AR, when completing the return, the *firm* should take into account the following matters.
 - (1) If a *complaint* could fall into more than one category, the *complaint* should be recorded in the category which the *firm* considers to form the main part of the *complaint*.
 - (2) Under *DISP* 1.10.2R(3)(a) or *DISP* 1.10.2-AR, a *firm* should report any *complaint* to which it has given a response which upholds the *complaint*, even if any redress offered is disputed by the complainant. For this purpose, 'response' includes a response under the complainant's written acceptance *rule* (*DISP* 1.6.4R) and a *final response*. Where a *complaint* is upheld in part, or where the *firm* does not have enough information to make a decision yet chooses to make a goodwill payment to the complainant, a *firm* should treat the *complaint* as upheld for reporting purposes. However, where a *firm* rejects a *complaint*, yet chooses to make a goodwill payment to the complainant, the *complaint* should be recorded as 'rejected'.
 - (3) If a *firm* reports on the amount of redress paid under *DISP* 1.10.2R(4), *DISP* 1.10.2-AR(4) or *DISP* 1.10.2AR, redress should be interpreted to include an amount paid, or cost borne, by the *firm*, where a cash value can be readily identified, and should include:
 - (a) amounts paid for distress and inconvenience;
 - (b) a free transfer out to another provider which transfer would normally be paid for;
 - (c) goodwill payments and goodwill gestures;
 - (d) interest on delayed settlements;
 - (e) waiver of an excess on an insurance policy; and
 - (f) payments to put the consumer back into the position the consumer should have been in had the act or omission not occurred.

(4) If a *firm* reports on the amount of redress paid under *DISP* 1.10.2R(4), *DISP* 1.10.2-AR(4) or *DISP* 1.10.2AR, the redress should not, however, include repayments or refunds of premiums which had been taken in error (for example where a *firm* had been taking, by direct debit, twice the actual premium amount due under a policy). The refund of the overcharge would not count as redress.

[Note: See *SUP* 10A.14.24R for the ongoing duty to notify *complaints* about matters relating to activities carried out by an *employee* when acting as a *retail investment adviser*.]

- 1.10.4 R Unless *DISP* 1.10.4AR applies, the relevant reporting periods are:
 - (1) the six *months* immediately following a *firm's accounting reference date*; and
 - (2) the six *months* immediately preceding a *firm's accounting reference* date.
- 1.10.4A R If a firm has permission to carry on only credit-related regulated activities or operating an electronic system in relation to lending and has revenue arising from those activities that is less than or equal to £5,000,000 a year, the relevant reporting period is the year immediately following the firm's accounting reference date.
- 1.10.5 R Reports are to be submitted to the *FCA* within 30 *business days* of the end of the relevant reporting periods through, and in the electronic format specified in, the *FCA* Complaints Reporting System or the appropriate section of the *FCA* website.
- 1.10.6 R If a *firm* is unable to submit a report in electronic format because of a systems failure of any kind, the *firm* must notify the *FCA*, in writing and without delay, of that systems failure.
- 1.10.6A R (1) If a *firm* does not submit a complete report by the date on which it is due, in accordance with *DISP* 1.10.5R, the *firm* must pay an administrative fee of £250.
 - (2) The administrative fee in (1) does not apply if the *firm* has notified the *FCA* of a systems failure in accordance with *DISP* 1.10.6R.
- 1.10.7 R A closed *complaint* is a *complaint* where:
 - (1) the *firm* has sent a *final response*; or
 - (2) the complainant has indicated in writing acceptance of the *firm's* earlier response under *DISP* 1.6.4R.
- 1.10.8 G [deleted]

Notification of contact point for complainants

1.10.	9 R		For the	e purpose of inclusion in the public reconstitute:	rd maintained by the FCA, a
			(1)	provide the FCA, at the time of its auth single contact point within the firm for	
			(2)	notify the FCA of any subsequent chan convenient and, at the latest, in the firm complaints reporting rules.	•
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1 Ar	nex 1R	C	omplai	nts return form	
Illus	tration o	f the	report	ing requirements, referred to in DISP 1.	10.1R
Com	plaints F	Retur	n (DISI	P 1 Ann 1R)	
	GROUP	REP	ORTIN	G / NIL RETURN DECLARATION	
1	Does the	data	a reporte	ed in this return cover complaints relating	
	to more t	han (one ent	ity? If 'Yes', then list the <i>firm</i> reference II the entities included in this return.	Yes / No
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2	We wish	to de	eclare a	nil return	Yes / No
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3 Total complaints outstanding at reporting period start date

PART A

Complaints closed and total redress paid during the reporting period

		Α	В	С	D	E
	Product/service grouping	Complaints closed within 4 weeks	Complaints closed > 4 but within 8 weeks	Complaints closed > 8 weeks	Total complaints upheld by firm	Total redress paid
4	Banking and credit cards					
5	Home finance					
6	General insurance and pure protection					
7	Decumulation, life and pensions					
8	Investments					

Complaints opened

			A	В	С	D	E
	Product/service grouping	Product/service	Advising, selling and arranging	Terms and disputed sums/charges	General admin/ customer service	Arrears related	Other
9		Current accounts					
10		Credit cards					
46	Banking and credit cards	Overdrafts					
11							
12		Savings (inc. Cash ISA) and other banking					
13		Equity release products					
14		Impaired credit mortgages					
15	Home finance	Other regulated home finance products (including second and subsequent charge mortgages)					
16		Other unregulated home finance products					
17	General	Payment protection insurance					
18	insurance &	Other general insurance					

19	pure protection	Critical illness			
20		Income protection			
21		Other pure protection			
22		Personal pensions and FSAVCs			
23	Decumulation,	Investment linked annuities			
24	life and pensions	Income drawdown products			
25		Endowments			
26		Other decumulation, life and pensions			
27		Investment bonds			
28	Investments	PEPs/ISAs (exc. cash ISAs)			
29		Investment trusts			
30		Unit trusts/OEICs			
31		Structured products			
32		Other investment products/funds			
33		Investment management/services (inc. platforms)			

PART B

	Α	В	С	D	E
Activities	Total complaints outstanding at reporting period start date	Complaints received	Complaints closed	Complaints upheld by firm	Total redress paid $\hat{\epsilon}$

	Lending	
35	Debt purchasing (including complaints in relation to the underlying debt that has been purchased)	
36	Hire purchase/ conditional sale agreements	

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37	Home credit loan agreements				
38	Bill of sale loan agreements, e.g. logbook lending				
39	Pawnbroking				
40	High-cost short-term credit				
41	Other lending				
42	Credit Broking				
43	Debt Management activity				
44	Debt collecting				
45	All other credit-related activity				

NOTES ON THE COMPLETION OF THIS RETURN

Nil returns

If no *complaints* have been received during the reporting period and no *complaints* were outstanding at the beginning of the period, the *firm* may submit a NIL RETURN by clicking on the relevant box.

Product/service groupings

Unless otherwise specified, *complaints* should be allocated to these groupings based on the product or service the *complaint* relates to.

If a *firm* has not received any *complaints* relating to a particular product or service during the reporting period, the relevant box should be left blank.

Product and cause categories

The 'other' categories should only be used in exceptional circumstances when none of the specific product or cause categories are appropriate.

A *complaint* should be reported against the product/service element complained about; this may be different to the main policy itself. For example, for a term assurance policy with an attaching critical illness option, where the *complaint* relates to the term assurance element, it

should be reported under 'other pure protection' but where the *complaint* relates to the critical illness element, it should be reported under 'critical illness'.

A *complaint* should only be reported in Part B if it is not covered by a specific category in Part A.

A lender should report *complaints* about the way in which it collects debts due under loans where it is the lender in the relevant lending category.

Annex 1CR Illustration of the online reporting requirements, referred to in DISP 1.10.2AR

This annex belongs to DISP 1.10.2AR

COMPLAINTS BY RETAIL INVESTMENT ADVISERS REPORTING / NIL RETURN DECLARATION

-	Does the data reported in this return cover <i>complaints</i> about matters relating to activities carried out by one or more <i>employees</i> when acting as a <i>retail investment adviser</i> (RIA)? If 'Yes', then please list the individual reference numbers (IRNs) of all the RIAs included in this return.	Yes	O N
2	We wish to declare a nil return	Yes	No

Total complaints, complaints closed, complaints upheld and total redress paid during the reporting period

	A	В	C	D	E	F
	IRN	Name of RIA	Total number of complaints received	Total number of complaints closed	Total number of complaints upheld	Total redress paid
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NOTES ON THE COMPLETION OF THIS RETURN

Nil Returns

If no complaints have been received during the reporting period or none of the complaints received is about matters relating to activities carried out by an employee when acting as a retail investment adviser the firm may submit a NIL RETURN by clicking on the relevant box.

Part 2: Comes into force on the day the instrument is made

Amend the following as shown.

4 Standard terms

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4.2 Standard terms

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Application of DISP 1 to DISP 3

- 4.2.3 R The following rules and guidance apply to *VJ participants* as part of the *standard terms*, except where the context requires otherwise:
 - (1) *DISP* 1 (Treating complainants fairly), except:

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- (b) DISP 1.10 (Complaints reporting rules); and
- (ba) DISP 1.10A (Complaints data publication rules); and
- (c) ...

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Part 3: Comes into force on 30 June 2016

Section A: Provisions made by the FCA and the Financial Ombudsman Service Limited

1.5 Complaints resolved by close of the third business day

- 1.5.1 R The following *rules* do not apply to a *complaint* that is resolved by a *respondent* by close of business on the third *business day* following the day on which it is received:
 - (1) the *complaints time limit rules* (except *DISP* 1.6.1R(1) (Keeping the complainant informed); and

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Summary resolution communication

1.5.4 R Where the *respondent* considers a *complaint* to be resolved under this section, the *respondent* must <u>promptly</u> send the complainant a 'summary resolution communication', being a written communication from the *respondent* which:

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Section B: Provisions made by the FCA

1.10 Complaints reporting rules

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Information requirements

- 1.10.2 R Part A of DISP 1 Annex 1 requires (for the relevant reporting period) information about:
 - (1) the total number of *complaints* received by the *firm*;
 - (2) the total number of complaints closed by the firm:
 - (a) within four weeks or less of receipt;
 - (b) more than four weeks and up to eight weeks of receipt; and
 - (c) more than eight weeks after receipt;
 - (3) the total number of complaints:
 - (a) upheld by the firm in the reporting period; and
 - (b) outstanding at the beginning of the reporting period; and
 - (4) the total amount of redress paid in respect of *complaints* during the reporting period.
 - (1) Where a *firm* receives less than 500 *complaints* in a reporting period,
 Part A-1 of *DISP* 1 Annex 1 requires, for the relevant reporting period and in respect of particular categories of products:
 - (a) in Table 1, information about the total number of *complaints* received by the *firm* and the cause of the *complaint*;
 - (b) in Table 2, information about the number of *complaints* that

were:

- (i) closed or upheld within different periods of time; and
- (ii) the total amount of redress paid by the *firm* in relation to *complaints* upheld and not upheld in the relevant reporting period; and
- (c) <u>in Table 3, information providing context about the *complaints* received.</u>
- (2) Where a *firm* receives 500 or more *complaints* in a reporting period,
 Part A-2 of *DISP* 1 Annex 1 requires, for the relevant reporting period and in respect of particular categories of products:
 - (a) in Table 4, information about the total number of *complaints* received by the *firm* and the cause of the *complaint*;
 - (b) in Table 5, information about the number of *complaints* that were:
 - (i) closed or upheld within different periods of time; and
 - (ii) the amount of redress paid by the *firm* in relation to complaints upheld and not upheld in the relevant reporting period; and
 - (c) <u>in Table 6, information providing context about the *complaints* received.</u>

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1.10.3 G For the purposes of *DISP* 1.10.2R, *DISP* 1.10.2-AR and *DISP* 1.10.2AR, when completing the return, the *firm* should take into account the following matters.

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(2) Under *DISP* 1.10.2R(3)(a) *DISP* 1.10.2R(1)(b), *DISP* 1.10.2R(2)(b) or *DISP* 1.10.2-AR, a *firm* should report <u>information relating to all complaints</u> which are closed and upheld within the relevant reporting period, including those resolved under *DISP* 1.5 (Complaints resolved by close of the third business day) any complaint to which it has given a response which upholds the complaint, even if any redress offered is disputed by the complainant. For this purpose, 'response' includes a response under the complainant's written acceptance *rule* (*DISP* 1.6.4R) and a *final response*. Where a *complaint* is upheld in part or where the *firm* does not have enough information to make a decision yet chooses to make a goodwill payment to the complainant, a *firm* should treat the *complaint* as upheld for reporting purposes. However, where a *firm* rejects a *complaint*, yet chooses to make a goodwill payment to the complainant, the *complaint* should be recorded as

'rejected'.

(3) If a *firm* reports on the amount of redress paid under *DISP* 1.10.2R(4), *DISP* 1.10.2R(1)(b)(ii), *DISP* 1.10.2R(2(b)(ii), *DISP* 1.10.2-AR(4) or *DISP* 1.10.2AR, redress should be interpreted to include an amount paid, or cost borne, by the *firm*, where a cash value can be readily identified, and should include:

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(4) If a *firm* reports on the amount of redress paid under *DISP* 1.10.2R(4), *DISP* 1.10.2R(1)(b)(ii), *DISP* 1.10.2R(2)(b)(ii), *DISP* 1.10.2-AR(4) or *DISP* 1.10.2AR, the redress should not, however, include repayments or refunds of premiums which had been taken in error (for example where a *firm* had been taking, by direct debit, twice the actual premium amount due under a policy). The refund of the overcharge would not count as redress.

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1.10A Complaints data publication rules

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Mode and content of publication

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- 1.10A.8 G (1) The FCA recommends that firms should publish additional information alongside their complaints data summaries or total number of complaints (as appropriate) in order to relate the number of complaints to the scale of the firm's relevant business. Firms are recommended to publish the relevant standard metrics set out in the table at DISP 1

 Annex 1A G with the summaries. Where the complaints data summary or total number of complaints (as appropriate) relates to a joint report the metrics should cover all the firms included in the joint report.
 - (2) If the recommended metrics do not accurately reflect the scale of the firm's relevant business, the FCA recommends that the firm should publish metrics which best reflect the scale of its business based on the number of its customers or accounts or policies. Firms may also publish other metrics where they consider that these would better reflect the scale of their business.
 - (3) Firms may also publish other information to aid understanding, for example details of their internal processes for dealing with complaints. [deleted]

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Publication of complaints data by the FCA

- 1.10A.10 <u>G</u> (1) To improve *consumer* awareness and to help *firms* compare their performance against their peers, the *FCA* publishes:
 - (a) complaints data about the financial services industry as a whole; and
 - (b) <u>firm-level complaints</u> data for those <u>firms</u> that are required to publish a <u>complaints</u> data summary or the total number of <u>complaints</u> (as appropriate) under <u>DISP</u> 1.10A.1R.
 - (2) The FCA also publishes firm-level information giving context to the complaints data reported to it for those firms that are required to publish that information under DISP 1.10A.1R.
- 1.10A.11 G For firms reporting 500 or more complaints under DISP 1.10.1R(1) or 1000 or more complaints under DISP 1.10.1R(2) in the relevant reporting period, the FCA will publish the firm-level complaints data and information providing context to the complaints data reported to it either:
 - (1) after the *firm* provides the appropriate consent in the *complaints* data report and confirms that the reported data accurately reflects the data which it will publish under *DISP*1.10A.1R; or
 - (2) after the FCA receives an email from the firm under DISP 1.10A.4R confirming that the complaints data summary accurately reflects the report submitted to the FCA, that the summary has been published and where it has been published.
- 1.10A.12 G For firms with only a limited permission that report complaints to the FCA under the reporting requirements in SUP 16.12, the FCA will publish the firm-level complaints data reported to it after the FCA receives an email from the firm under DISP 1.10A.4R. That email should confirm that the total number of complaints accurately reflects the report submitted to the FCA under SUP 16.12, that the total number of complaints has been published and where the information has been published.

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1 Annex 1R Complaints return form

Illustration of the reporting requirements, referred to in DISP 1.10.1R

Complaints Return (DISP 1 Ann 1R)

GROUP REPORTING / NIL RETURN DECLARATION

1 Does the data reported in this return cover complaints

Yes / No

	<u>complaints</u> relating to more than one entity? If 'Yes', then list the firm reference numbers (FRNs) of all the entities included in this return.	
<u>34</u>	If 'Yes' to 1 (above) list the firm reference numbers (FRNs) of all of the additional entities included in this return. Use the 'add' button to add additional FRNs.	111111
	NIL RETURN DECLARATION	
2	We wish to declare a nil return (If 'Yes', leave all tables blank, including the contextualisation metrics in tables 3 and 6).	Yes / No
	RETURN DETAILS REQUIRED	
3	Total complaints outstanding at reporting period start date	100
<u>49</u>	Total number of <i>complaints</i> opened during the reporting period	100
	COMPLAINTS DATA PUBLICATION BY FCA AND FIRMS	
<u>47</u>	If you are reporting 500 or more <i>complaints</i> under <i>DISP</i> 1.10.1R(1) or 1000 or more complaints under <i>DISP</i> 1.10.1R(2), do you consent to the <i>FCA</i> publishing the <i>complaints</i> data and information on context contained in this report and due to be published under <i>DISP</i> 1.10A in advance of the <i>firm</i> publishing the data itself?	Yes/No
<u>48</u>	If 'Yes' to 47 (above), does the <i>firm</i> confirm that the <i>complaints</i>	
	data and information on context contained in this report accurately reflects the information to be published by the reporting <i>firm</i> under <i>DISP</i> 1.10A?	Yes/No

PART A

Complaints closed and total redress paid during the reporting period

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-	Product/service grouping	Complaints closed within 4 weeks	Complaints closed > 4 but within 8 weeks	Complaints closed	Total complaints uphold by firm	Total redress paid
4	Banking and credit cards					
5	Home finance					
6	General insurance and pure protection					
7	Decumulation, life and pensions					
8	Investments					

Complaints opened

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	Product/service grouping	Product/service	Advising, selling and arranging	Terms and disputed	Sums/cnarges General admin/	Arrears related	Other
9		Current accounts					
10		Credit cards					
46	Banking and credit cards	Overdrafts					
11							
12		Savings (inc. Cash ISA) and other banking					
13	Home finance	Equity release products					
14	Tiome inance	Impaired credit mortgages					

15		Other regulated home finance products (including second and subsequent charge mortgages)			
16		Other unregulated home finance products			
17		Payment protection insurance			
18	General	Other general insurance			
19	insurance &	Critical illness			
20	pure protection	Income protection			
21		Other pure protection			
22		Personal pensions and FSAVCs			
23	Decumulation.	Investment linked annuities			
24	life and	Income drawdown products			
25	pensions	Endowments			
26		Other decumulation, life and pensions			
27		Investment bonds			
28		PEPs/ISAs (exc. cash ISAs)			
29		Investment trusts			
30		Unit trusts/OEICs			
31		Structured products			
32		Other investment products/funds			
33		Investment management/services (inc. platforms)			

Part A-1, DISP Annex 1R

For firms receiving less than 500 complaints in the reporting period

Table 1

Complaints opened when fewer than 500 total opened

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		<u>Total</u>	Advising, selling and arranging	ation. sums/ charges or product perfor- mance	General admin/ customer service	<u>Arrears</u> <u>related</u>	Other
	Current accounts						
	Credit cards						
	<u>Overdrafts</u>						
	Packaged accounts						
Banking and credit cards	Savings (including ISAs)						
	Other banking - Please provide details below						
	<u> </u>						
	Total banking and credit cards						
Home finance	Equity release						
	Impaired credit						

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sequent charge	home finance products - details below		ed home finance products - details below		<u>ance</u>		<u>ort</u>						General insurance packaged multi products	Other general insurance - Please provide details below		tion insurance	on and other accident, lemployment	Whole of life/term assurance/critical illness	Protection packaged multi products	ection - Please provide
Second and subseque	Other regulated home Please provide details	X 09	Other unregulated hom Please provide details I	<u>61 X</u>	Total home finance	<u>Property</u>	Motor & Transport	Travel	<u>Pet</u>	Warranty	<u>Assistance</u>	Medical/health	General insuran	Other general in details below	<u>71 X</u>	Payment protection insurance	Income protection and other sickness and unemployment	Whole of life/teri	Protection pack	Other pure protection -
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29	09		<u>61</u>		<u>62</u>	<u>63</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>65</u>	99	<u>79</u>	89	<u>69</u>	70 Insurance & pure	71 protection		72	<u>73</u>	74	<u>75</u>	<u>76</u>

details below	<u>X 9Z</u>	Total insurance & pure protection	Workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)	Non-workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)	Trust based pensions (e.g. occupational and DB)	Pensions packaged multi products	Other pensions - Please provide details below	<u>82X</u>	Annuities (including enhanced and impaired)	Drawdown and UFPLS	Third way products (e.g. investment linked, variable, fixed term)	Decumulation packaged multi products	Other decumulation - Please provide details below	<u>XX8</u>	Total decumulation & pensions	Investment bonds	Endowments
 		<u>77</u>	N	N	80 Tr	81	<u>82</u>		Barren & pensions All Inc.	<u>B4</u>	<u>1</u>	98	<u>78</u>		88	<u>ul</u>	<u>30</u>

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Complaints closed, upheld and redress when fewer than 500 opened complaints

Table 2

エ	Total redress paid					
ଠା	Total redress paid for complaints not upheld					
Щ	Total redress paid for upheld complaints					
ШΙ	Total complaints upheld					
	Total complaints closed					
OI	Complaints closed > 8 Weeks					
ωI	Complaints closed > 3					
۷I	Complaints closed within 3 <u>days</u>					
	Product/service grouping	111 Total banking and credit cards	117 Total home finance	132 Total insurance & pure protection	143 Total decumulation & pensions	159 Total investments
		-	1	132	44	159

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Contextualisation metrics when fewer than 500 total opened complaints

Table 3

© I	Intermediation (within the reporting period)		Number of sales	Number of polices sold	Number of polices sold	Number of sales or equivalent transactions
	Provision (at reporting period end date)	Number of accounts	Number of balances outstanding	Number of policies in force	Number of policies in force	Number of client accounts
Product/service grouping:	<u>Pr</u>	Banking and credit cards	Home finance	Insurance & pure protection	Decumulation & pensions	Investments

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Part A-2, DISP Annex 1R

For firms receiving more than 500 complaints in the reporting period

Table 4

	Complaints opened opened opened	Complaints opened when greater than or equal to 500 opened complaints	⋖∣	<u>മ</u>	O	Ш	Щ	ଠା	<u>—</u> ı	ار	∽	≥	Z	Ol
				Advising	ing.	Inform	Information, sums	/sur						
				selling and	and	charge	charges or product	duct	Gene	General admin	nin/	Arrears		
			Total	arranging	ging	perf	performance	ФІ	custor	customer service	vice	Related	Other	Claims
	Product/service grouping	Product/service	<u>IstoT</u>	<u> Soivbe advice</u>	Unclear guidance/arrangement	Disputes over sums/charges	Product performance/features	Product disclosure information	Errors / not following instructions	Delays / timescales	Other general admin/customer service	Arrears related	Other	Number of complaints in columns B to N which are claims related
50		Current accounts												
51	Banking and	<u>Credit cards</u>												
52	<u>credit cards</u>	<u>Overdrafts</u>												
53		Packaged accounts												

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Savings (including ISAs)	Other banking - Please provide details below	55 X	Total banking and credit cards	Equity release	Impaired credit	Second and subsequent charge	Other regulated home finance products - Please provide details below	X 09	Other unregulated home finance products - Please provide details below	61 X	Total home finance	Property	Motor & Transport	<u>Travel</u>	<u>Pet</u>	Warranty	Assistance	<u>Medical/health</u>	General insurance packaged multi products	Other general insurance - Please provide details below
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54	25		<u>56</u>	27	28	<u>29</u>	09		61		<u>62</u>	63	64	<u>65</u>	99	<u>67</u>	89	69	<u>70</u>	77

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72		Payment protection insurance	
73		Income protection and other accident, sickness and unemployment	
74		Whole of life/term assurance/critical illness	
75		Protection packaged multi products	
<u>76</u>		Other pure protection - Please provide details below	
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77		Total insurance & pure protection	
<u>78</u>		Workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)	
<u>79</u>		Non-workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)	
80		Trust based pensions (e.g. Occupational and DB)	
81		Pensions packaged multi products	
82	Decumulation & pensions	Other pensions - Please provide details <u>below</u>	
		<u>82X</u>	
83		Annuities (including enhanced and impaired)	
84		Drawdown and UFPLS	
82		Third way products (e.g. investment linked, variable, fixed term)	
98		Decumulation packaged multi products	

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87		details below		
		<u>87 X</u>		
88		Total decumulation & pensions		
88		Investment bonds		
06		<u>Endowments</u>		
91		ISAs (where investment held)		
92		Investment trusts		
93		Unit trusts/OEICs		
94		Structured products		
92		ETPs		
<u>96</u>		Discretionary management services		
97	Investments	Non-discretionary management services		
86		<u>Platforms</u>		
66		Crowdfunding / peer to peer		
100		EX/CFD/Spreadbetting		
101		<u>UCITS</u>		
102		Investment packaged multi products		
103		Other investment products/funds - Please		
		provide details below		
		103 X		
104		Total investments		

Redress paid reported in

single units

Complaints closed, upheld and redress when greater than or equal to 500 opened complaints

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푀	Total redress paid												
	Total redress paid for complaints not upheld												
ଠା	Total redress paid for upheld complaints												
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Ш	Total complaints												
	<u>Total complaints</u>												
OI	Complaints closed > 8 Weeks												
ωI	Complaints closed > 3 days but within 8 weeks												
⋖∣	Complaints closed												
	Product/service	<u>Current accounts</u>	<u>Credit cards</u>	<u>Overdrafts</u>	Packaged accounts	Savings (including ISAs)	Other banking	Total banking and credit cards	Equity release	Impaired credit	Second and subsequent charge	Other regulated home finance products	Other unregulated home finance products
	Product/service grouping				Banking and credit cards						Home finance		

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117		Total home finance			
118		<u>Property</u>			
119		Motor & Transport			
120		Travel			
121		Pet			
122		Warranty			
123		Assistance			
124		Medical/health			
125		General insurance packaged multi products			
126	IIIsurance a pure protection	Other general insurance			
127		Payment protection insurance			
128		Income protection and other accident, sickness and unemployment			
129		Whole of life/term assurance/critical illness			
130		Protection packaged multi products			
131		Other pure protection			
132		Total insurance & pure protection			
133		Workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)			
134	Decumulation & pensions	Non-workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)			
135		Trust based pensions (e.g. Occupational and DB)			

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Pensions packaged multi products	Other pensions	Annuities (including enhanced and impaired)	Drawdown and UFPLS	Third way products (e.g. investment linked, variable, fixed term)	Decumulation packaged multi products	Other decumulation	Total decumulation & pensions	Investment bonds	Endowments	ISAs (where investment held)	Investment trusts	Unit trusts/OEICs	Structured products	ETPs	Discretionary management services	Non-discretionary management services	<u>Platforms</u>	Crowdfunding / peer to peer	FX/CFD/Spreadbetting	UCITS	
136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154	155	156	

		B Intermediation (within	reporting period)	Ī								
	Reported in single units	A Spray to activity	period end date)	Number of accounts:								
Other investment products/funds Total Investments		eater than or equal to 500 opened complaints	Product/service		Current accounts	<u>Credit cards</u>	Savings (inc. ISAs)	Other banking	Total banking and credit cards	of which have overdraft facility	of which are packaged accounts	Number of complaints opened per 1000 accounts
158 159	<u>Table 6</u>	Contextualisation metrics when greater than	Product/service grouping		160	<u>161</u>	162	163 Banking and credit cards	164	165	<u>166</u>	167 Banking contextualised

Number of sales											Number of polices sold							
Number of balances outstanding:											Number of policies in force							
	Equity release	<u>Impaired credit</u>	Second and subsequent charge	Other regulated home finance products	Other unregulated home finance products	Total home finance		Number of complaints opened per 1000 balances outstanding	Number of complaints opened per 1000 sales			Property	Motor & Transport	<u>Travel</u>	Pet	Warranty	Assistance	Medical/health
			Homo finance					Home finance context relied							Insurance & pure protection			
'	168	169	170	171	172	173	1	174	175			176	177	178	179	180	181	182

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Г											Number of policies in force				
	General insurance packaged multi products	Other general insurance	Payment protection insurance	Income protection and other accident, sickness and unemployment	Whole of life/term assurance/critical illness	Protection packaged multi products	Other pure protection	Total insurance & pure protection	Number of complaints opened per 1000 policies in force	Number of complaints opened per 1000 policies sold		Workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)	Non-workplace personal pensions (e.g. SIPPs, SHPs, PPPs)	Trust based pensions (e.g. Occupational and DB)	Pensions packaged multi products
									Insurance & pure protection				Decumulation & pensions		
-	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190	191	192		193	194	195	196

-											Number of sales or	equivalent transactions								
												Number of client accounts								
	Other pensions	Annuities (including enhanced and impaired)	Drawdown and UFPLS	Third way products (e.g. investment linked, variable, fixed term)	Decumulation packaged multi products	Other decumulation	Total decumulation & pensions	Number of complaints opened per 1000 policies in	force	Number of complaints opened per 1000 policies sold			Investment bonds	<u>Endowments</u>	ISAs (where investment held)	Investment trusts	Unit trusts/OEICs	Structured products	ETPs	Crowdfunding / Peer to Peer
									Decumulation & pensions	contextualised						otocottocool				
-	197	198	199	200	201	202	203		204	205			206	207	208	209	210	211	212	213

214	FX/CFD/Spreadbetting	
215	UCITS	
216	Investment packaged multi products	
217	Other investment products/funds	
218	<u>Total Investments</u>	
219	of which have discretionary management services	
220	of which have non-discretionary management services	
221	of which sold through a platform	
222	Number of complaints opened per 1000 client accounts	
Investments contextualised		
<u>223</u>	Number of complaints opened per 1000 sales or equivalent transactions	

PART B

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NOTES ON THE COMPLETION OF THIS RETURN

Nil returns

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Valuing data to be reported

<u>Firms</u> should report the actual data requested in this complaints return, using single units. When reporting information on context in Table 6 of Part A-2, lines 167, 174, 175, 191, 192, 204, 205, 222 and 223 *firms* may use decimals.

Product/service groupings

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Product and cause categories

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A complaint should be reported against the product/service element complained about; this may be different to the main policy itself. For example, for a term assurance policy with an attaching critical illness option, where the complaint relates to the term assurance element, it should be reported under 'other pure protection' but where the complaint relates to the critical illness element, it should be reported under 'critical illness'. For example, for a current account with attached packaged account products or policies, where the complaint relates to the current account element, it should be reported under 'Current accounts' but where the complaint relates to the packaged account element, it should be reported under 'Packaged accounts'.

In Table 1 of Part A-1 and Table 4 of Part A-2, in relation to *complaints* about platforms in the investments product/service grouping, *firms* should include *complaints* about the platform rather than the underlying funds or investments.

A complaint should only be reported in Part B if it is not covered by a specific category in Part A.

A lender should report *complaints* about the way in which it collects debts due under loans where it is the lender in the relevant lending category.

Where Table 1 of Part A-1 and Table 4 of Part A-2 refer to 'Other' products or services (for example, 'Other banking' or 'Other regulated home finance products'), a *firm* should provide information for up to a maximum of five products or services.

In Table 1 of Part A-1, and Tables 4 and 5 of Part A-2, a *complaint* should only be reported in a 'packaged multi product' category (for example, 'General insurance packaged multi products' or 'Pensions packaged multi products'), if it is not apparent to which underlying product the *complaint* relates. For insurance purposes, this may cover both households or small businesses.

In Table 4 of Part-A-1, where a *complaint* is claims related, it should be recorded in 'column O' as well as the relevant column of columns B to N.

In Table 6 of Part A-2, a product should only be included in a 'packaged multi product' category if it is not apparent to which underlying category the policy, pension, investment or account relates.

A complaint should only be reported in Part B if it is not covered by a specific category in Part A.

A lender should report *complaints* about the way in which it collects debts due under loans where it is the lender in the relevant lending category.

Contextualisation

When providing information giving context to its complaints data, a firm should choose the metric which best reflects whether the business undertaken by the firm predominantly involves intermediation or the provision of products or services by the firm itself. When completing a group report (i.e. the complaints return covers more than one entity – see Question 1, DISP 1 Annex 1R), a group should choose the metric which best reflects whether the business for all firms included in the

group report predominantly involves intermediation or the provision of products or services. A *firm* or group should only provide information on context for either intermediation or provision, not both activities.

For provision, information on context should indicate the total volume of a *firm's* relevant business at the end date of the reporting period; this is likely to include accounts opened, loans provided, policies sold and funds and investments provided, and that are still in force, before the commencement of the relevant reporting period.

For intermediation, information on context provided by a *firm* should indicate the number of sales within the relevant reporting period only.

In Table 3 of Part A-1 or Table 6 of Part A-2:

- (1) When reporting information about the 'number of balances outstanding' in the 'Home Finance' product category, *firms* should report the total number of balances outstanding (all loans) as reported by the *firm* at row E.45 or E.53 of E(2) in *SUP* 16 Annex 19A (Mortgage Lenders and Administrators Return) on the *firm's* most recent return.
- (2) When reporting information about intermediation sales in the 'Crowdfunding / peer to peer' product category, *firms* should provide the number of funded pitches within the reporting period.
- (3) When reporting information about the 'number of policies in force' the reported information should cover the number of existing accounts or policies or any relevant past policies that relate to the *complaint(s)* being reported. For example, in relation to payment protection insurance, a *firm* may no longer have any current policies in force and the *firm* may wish to include the total number of past policies issued/sold.
- (4) When reporting the 'number of client accounts', any underlying funds should not be counted.

 For example, for an ISA you should count the ISA wrapper not the individual funds held within it, or for investment bonds you should count the bond policies not the individual funds. Similarly, when reporting information about a product which is contained within a packaged multi product, only the packaged multi product should be counted rather than all of the underlying policies, funds or investments. However, for insurance purposes where there are packages of underlying and identifiable separate policies these should be counted separately.
- (5) When reporting the number of policies sold/number of sales or equivalent transactions, renewals should be included.

Transparency

To improve *consumer* awareness and to help *firms* compare their performance against their peers, the *FCA* publishes:

- (1) complaints data about the financial services industry as a whole; and
- (2) firm-level data for firms required to publish their data under DISP 1.10A.1R.

The FCA also publishes firm-level information giving context to the complaints data reported where firms are due to publish that information under DISP 1.10A.1R. This will be the data in Table 6 of Part A-2, lines 167, 174, 175, 191, 192, 204, 205, 222 and 223.

For *firms* reporting 500 or more *complaints* under *DISP* 1.10.1R(1) or 1000 or more complaints under *DISP* 1.10.1R(2) in the relevant reporting period, the *FCA* will publish the *complaints* data of the *firm* either:

- (1) after the *firm* provides consent in the report; or
- (2) (if the *firm* does not provide consent) after the *FCA* receives an email from the *firm* confirming that the *complaints* data summary accurately reflects the report submitted to the *FCA*, that the summary has been published and where it has been published as required by *DISP* 1.10A.4R.

If the *firm* ticks the 'Yes' box in this report consenting to the *FCA* publishing the *firm's complaints* data, it must also confirm that the data contained in the report accurately reflects the information to be published by the reporting *firm*.

If the *firm* has submitted a joint report on behalf of a *group*, the *firm* should only tick the 'Yes' box consenting to the *FCA* publishing the *complaints* data if the *firm* is authorised to do so by those *firms* on whose behalf it is submitting this report.

A firm which does not provide consent in this report must still ensure that the *complaints* data contained in this report accurately reflects the data which the *firm* is required to publish under *DISP* 1.10A.1R and confirm this to the *FCA* under *DISP* 1.10A.4R.

DISP 1 Annex 1A is deleted in its entirety. The deleted text is not shown.

Amend the following as shown.

1 Annex 1BR Complaints publication report

This table belongs to DISP 1.10A.2R.

Com	plaints publication report
	Firm name:
	Group: (if applicable):
	Other firms included in this report (if any):
	Period covered in this report: [e.g. 1 January – 30 June 2015 or 1 January – 31 December 2015]
	Brands/trading names covered:

	Number of complaints opened	Number of complaints closed	Complaints closed within 8 weeks	Closed complaints upheld by firm
Banking and credit cards				
Home finance				
General insurance and pure protection				
Decumulation, life and pensions				
Investments				
Credit-related			Not applicable	

	Number of control opened by busin	volume of						
Product / service grouping	Provision (at reporting period end date)	Intermediation (within the reporting period)	Number of complaints opened	Number of complaints closed	Percentage closed within 3 days	Percentage closed after 3 days but within 8 weeks	Percentage upheld	<u>Main cause of complaints opened</u>
Banking and credit cards	per 1000 accounts	<u>N/A</u>						
Home finance	per 1000 balances outstanding	per 1000 sales						
Insurance and pure protection	per 1000 policies in force	per 1000 policies sold						
Decumulation and pensions	per 1000 policies in force	per 1000 policies sold						
<u>Investments</u>	per 1000 client accounts	per 1000 sales or equivalent transactions						
Credit related	(Recommende d only) per 1000 accounts / loans	(Recommen ded only) per 1000 sales			<u>N/A</u>	<u>N/A</u>		<u>N/A</u>

Note 1: When providing the appropriate information on the context of complaints, a *firm* should choose the metric which best reflects whether the majority of business undertaken by the *firm*

involves the provision of products or services by the *firm* itself or intermediation. A *firm* should only provide information on context in respect of either provision or intermediation, not both activities.

Note 2: For provision, information on context should relate the number of complaints opened within the reporting period to the total volume of a *firm's* relevant business at the end date of the reporting period. This is likely to include accounts opened, loans provided, policies sold and funds and investments provided before the commencement of the relevant reporting period.

Note 3: For intermediation, information on context published by a *firm* should relate the number of complaints opened within the reporting period to the number of sales within the relevant reporting period only.

Note 4: It is recommended that *firms* publish appropriate information on context in respect of credit-related complaints. However, publication of this data is not mandatory.

Note 5: When a *firm* publishes the 'main cause of complaints opened', this should be the cause category prompting the largest number of complaints for the relevant product/service grouping in Table 4 of Part A-2, *DISP* 1 Annex 1.

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TP 1 Transitional Provisions

(1)	(2) Material to which the transitional provision applies	(3)	(4) Transitional provisions	(5) Transitional provision: dates in force	(6) Handbook provision coming into force
39	DISP 1.5, DISP 1.10 and DISP 1.10A, DISP 1 Annex 1R, DISP 1 Annex 1BR	<u>R</u>	(1) In respect of reporting periods starting on or before 29 June 2016, the rules and guidance in column (2) continue to apply to a firm as they stood at the beginning of the relevant reporting period for the purposes of reporting information about complaints under DISP 1.10 and DISP 1 Annex 1R, and publishing complaints data under DISP 1.10A and DISP 1 Annex 1BR. (2) For reporting periods commencing on or after 30 June 2016, the rules and guidance in column (2) apply as they stood on 30 June 2016.	From 30 June 2016	From 30 June 2016
<u>40</u>	DISP 1.5, DISP 1.10 and DISP 1.10A,	<u>G</u>	The effect of TP 39(1) is that a firm with a reporting period which starts on or before 29 June 2016	From 30 June 2016	From 30 June 2016

DISP 1 Annex 1R, DISP 1 Annex 1BR	should continue to use the <i>rules</i> , guidance, reporting forms and publication forms as they were at the start of the relevant reporting period and is not required to report or publish information about complaints resolved under DISP 1.5 by close of the business day following its receipt in such a reporting period. However, subject to that, from 30 June 2016 a firm must comply with the rules in DISP 1.5 when dealing with complaints, so a firm would need to send a summary resolution communication under DISP 1.5.4R in relation to any complaint considered to be resolved by close of the third business day following the day on
	which it is received.