



Application number
(for FCA use only)

The FCA has produced notes which will assist both the applicant and the candidate in answering the questions in this form. Please read these notes, which are available on the *FCA Handbook* website at:

<https://www.handbook.fca.org.uk/handbook/SUP/10C/Annex2D.html>

Both the applicant and the candidate will be treated by the FCA as having taken these notes into consideration when completing their answers to the questions in this form.

Long Form A – EEA Relevant Authorised Persons only

Application to perform senior management functions

FCA Handbook Reference: SUP 10C Annex 2D

7 March 2017

Name of *candidate*
(to be completed by applicant firm)

Name of *firm*
(as entered in 2.01)

Firm reference number
(as entered in 2.02)

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1.01 a	<i>Candidate</i> Individual Reference Number (IRN)	
b	OR name of previous regulatory body	
c	AND previous reference number (if applicable)	
1.02	Title (e.g. Mr, Mrs, Ms, etc)	
1.03	Surname	
1.04	ALL forenames	
1.05	Name commonly known by	
1.06	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	
1.07	National Insurance number	
1.08	Previous name	
1.09	Date of name change	
1.10 a	Nationality	
b	Passport number (if National Insurance number not available)	
1.11	Place of birth	



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YES

NO

1.12 a Private address

[Redacted address]

b

Postcode

[Redacted postcode]

c Dates resident at this address
(mm/yyyy)

From

[Redacted start date]

To

PRESENT

[Redacted end date]

(If address has changed in the last three years, please provide addresses for the previous three years.)

1.13 a Previous address 1

[Redacted address]

b

Postcode

[Redacted postcode]

c Dates resident at this address
(mm/yyyy)

From

[Redacted start date]

To

[Redacted end date]

1.14 a Previous address 2

[Redacted address]

b

Postcode

[Redacted postcode]

c Dates resident at this address
(mm/yyyy)

From

[Redacted start date]

To

[Redacted end date]



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YES

NO

2.01	Name of <i>firm</i> making the application	<input type="text"/>
2.02	Firm Reference Number (FRN)	<input type="text"/>
2.03 a	Who should the <i>FCA</i> contact at the <i>firm</i> in relation to this application?	<input type="text"/>
b	Position	<input type="text"/>
c	Telephone	<input type="text"/>
d	Fax	<input type="text"/>
e	E-mail	<input type="text"/>



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YES

NO

3.01 Nature of the arrangement between the candidate and the applicant.

a Employee

b Group employee

Name of group

c Contract for services

d Partner

g Other

Give details

3.02 For applications from a single firm, please tick the boxes that correspond to the senior management functions to be performed.

If the senior management functions are to be performed for more than one firm, please go to question 3.04

Function	Description of a Senior Management Function	Tick (if applicable)	Effective Date
SMF17	Money Laundering Reporting	<input type="checkbox"/>	
SMF21	EEA Branch Senior Manager	<input type="checkbox"/>	

3.03 Job title

Insurance mediation

Will the candidate be responsible for Insurance mediation at the firm? YES NO

(Note: Yes can only be selected if the individual is applying for a governing function (other than a non-executive director function))



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3.04 Complete this section only if the application is on behalf of more than one firm.

List all *firms* within the *group* (including the *firm* entered in 2.01) for which the *candidate* requires approval and the requested *senior management function* for that *firm*.[†]

	Firm Reference Number	Name of firm	Senior Management Function	Job title	Effective date
a					
b					
c					
d					
e					



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YES

NO

N.B.: ALL gaps must be accounted for

4.01

Employment details (1)†

a	Period (mm/yyyy)	From		To	
b	Nature of employment	a	Employed	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		b	Self-employed	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		c	Not employed	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		d	Full-time education	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	If c or d is ticked, please give details				
c	Name of employer				
d	Nature of business				
e	Previous / other names of employer				
f	Last known address of employer				
g	Is/was employer regulated by a regulatory body?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	Name of regulatory body	
h	Is/was employer an <i>appointed representative/tied agent</i> ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>	If yes, of which <i>firm</i> ?	
i	Position held				
j	Responsibilities				
k	Reason for leaving:	a	Resignation	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		b	Redundancy	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		c	Retirement	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		d	Termination/dismissal	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		e	End of contract	<input type="checkbox"/>	
		f	Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	
	Specify				

4.02 Employment details (2) †

a Period (mm/yyyy) From To

- b** Nature of employment
- a** Employed
 - b** Self-employed
 - c** Not employed
 - d** Full-time education

If c or d is ticked,
please give details

c Name of employer

d Nature of business

e Previous / other names of employer

f Last known address of employer

g Is/was employer regulated by a regulatory body? YES NO Name of regulatory body


h Is/was employer an *appointed representative/tied agent*? YES NO If yes, of which *firm*?

i Position held

j Responsibilities

- k** Reason for leaving:
- a** Resignation
 - b** Redundancy
 - c** Retirement
 - d** Termination/dismissal
 - e** End of contract
 - f** Other

Specify

 I have supplied further information related to this page in Section 6 YES NO

5.01 Criminal Proceedings

When answering the questions in this section the *candidate* should include matters whether in the UK or overseas. By virtue of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975, if the *candidate* is subject to the law of England and Wales, the *candidate* must disclose spent convictions and cautions (other than a protected conviction or caution). By virtue of the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exclusions and Exceptions) (Scotland) Order 2013 and the Rehabilitation of Offenders (Exceptions) Order (Northern Ireland) 1979, if the *candidate* is subject to the law of Scotland or Northern Ireland, the *candidate* must disclose spent convictions (other than a protected conviction).

For the avoidance of doubt, references to the legislation above are references to the legislation as amended.

5.01.1a	<p>Has the <i>candidate</i> ever been convicted of any criminal offence (whether spent or not and whether or not in the <i>United Kingdom</i>):</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">i. involving fraud, theft, false accounting, offences against the administration of public justice (such as perjury, perverting the course of justice and intimidation of witnesses or jurors), serious tax offences or other dishonesty or</p> <p style="margin-left: 20px;">ii. relating to <i>companies, building societies, industrial and provident societies, credit unions, friendly societies, insurance, banking or other financial services, insolvency, consumer credit or consumer protection, money laundering, market manipulations or insider dealing?</i></p>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
b	<p>Is the <i>candidate</i> currently the subject of any criminal proceedings, whether in the UK or elsewhere?</p>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
c	<p>Has the <i>candidate</i> ever been given a caution in relation to any criminal offence?</p>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.01.2	<p>Has the <i>candidate</i> any convictions for any offences other than those in 5.01.1 above (excluding traffic offences that did not result in a ban from driving or did not involve driving without insurance)?</p>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.01.3	<p>Is the candidate the subject of any ongoing criminal investigation?</p>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.01.4	<p>Has the <i>candidate</i> been ordered to produce documents pursuant to any ongoing criminal investigation or been the subject of a search (with or without a warrant) pursuant to any ongoing criminal investigation?</p>	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>

In answering question 5.01.4, you should include all matters even where the candidate was not the subject of the investigation.



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YES NO

5.01.5 Has any firm at which the *candidate* holds or has held a position of influence ever:

(Please check the guidance notes for the meaning of 'position of influence' in the context of the questions in this part of the form.)

- | | | | |
|----------|--|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| a | Been convicted of any criminal offence? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b | Been summonsed, charged with or otherwise investigated or prosecuted for any criminal offence? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c | Been the subject of any criminal proceeding which has not resulted in a conviction? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d | Been ordered to produce documents in relation to any criminal investigation or been the subject of a search (with or without a warrant) in relation to any criminal investigation? | YES <input type="checkbox"/> | NO <input type="checkbox"/> |

In answering question 5.01.5, you should include all matters even when the summons, charge, prosecution or investigation did not result in a conviction, and, in respect of 5.01.5d, even where the firm was not the subject of the investigation. However, firms are not required to disclose details of any specific individuals who were subject to historic (as opposed to ongoing) criminal investigations, prosecutions, summons or other historic criminal proceedings.



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5.02 Civil Proceedings

5.02.1 Has the candidate, **ever** been the subject of a judgement debt or award against the candidate? YES NO

Please give a full explanation of the events in questions, ensuring that it adheres to the Disclosure Note at the beginning of this form.

Candidate should include all County Court Judgement(s) (CCJs) made against the *candidate*, whether satisfied or not); and

i) the sum and date of all judgements debts, awards or CCJs (whether satisfied or not); and

ii) the total number of all judgment debts, awards or CCJs ordered.

5.02.2 Has the *candidate* ever been party to any civil proceedings which resulted in any order against the *candidate* (other than a judgement debt or award referred to in 5.02.1 above)? (You should include, for example, injunctions and employment tribunal proceedings.) YES NO

5.02.3 Is the *candidate* aware of:

a Any proceedings that have begun, or anyone's intention to begin proceedings against the *candidate*, for a CCJ or another judgement debt? YES NO

b More than one set of proceedings, or anyone's intention to begin more than one set of proceedings, that may lead to a CCJ or other judgement debt? YES NO

c Anybody's intention to claim more than £1,000 of CCJs or judgement debts in total from the *candidate*? YES NO

5.02.4 Does the *candidate* have any **current** judgment debts (including CCJs) made under a court order still outstanding, whether in full or in part? YES NO

5.02.5 Has the *candidate* **ever** failed to satisfy any such judgment debts (including CCJs) made under a court order still outstanding, whether in full or part, within one year of the order being made? YES NO



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5.02.6	Has the <i>candidate</i> ever:	
a	Filed for the <i>candidate's</i> own bankruptcy or had a bankruptcy petition served on the <i>candidate</i> ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
b	Been adjudged bankrupt?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
c	Been the subject of a bankruptcy restrictions order (including an interim bankruptcy restrictions order) or offered a bankruptcy restrictions undertaking?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
d	Made any arrangements with the <i>candidate's</i> creditors, for example a deed of arrangement or an individual voluntary arrangement (or in Scotland a trust deed)?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
e	Had assets sequestrated?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
f	Been involved in any proceedings relating to the above matters even if such proceedings did not result in the making of any kind of order against the <i>candidate</i> or result in any kind of agreement with the <i>candidate</i> ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.02.7	Does the <i>candidate</i> , or any undertaking under their management, have any outstanding financial obligations arising from <i>regulated activities</i> , which have been carried out in the past (whether or not in the UK or overseas)?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.02.8	Has the <i>candidate</i> ever been adjudged by a court or tribunal (whether criminal, civil or administrative) for any fraud, misfeasance, negligence, wrongful trading or other misconduct?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.02.9	Is the <i>candidate</i> currently:	
a	Party to any civil proceedings? (including those covered in 5.02.7 above)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
b	Aware of anybody's intention to begin civil proceedings against the <i>candidate</i> ? (You should include any ongoing disputes whether or not such dispute is likely to result in any order against the <i>candidate</i> .)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
5.02.10	Has any firm at which the <i>candidate</i> holds or has held a position of influence ever been:	
a	Adjudged by a court civilly liable for any fraud, misfeasance, wrongful trading or other misconduct?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
b	The subject of a judgement debt or award against the <i>firm</i> ? (You should include all CCJs made against the firm, whether satisfied or not.)	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>
c	Party to any other civil proceedings which resulted in an order against the firm other than in relation to matters covered in 5.02.10a and 5.02.10b above?	YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>



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5.02.11 Is any *firm* at which the *candidate* currently holds or has held, within the last 12 months from the date of the submission of this form, a position of influence currently:

a a party to civil proceedings?

YES NO

b aware of anyone's intention to begin civil proceedings against them?

YES NO

5.02.12 Has any company, partnership or unincorporated association of which the *candidate* is or has been a controller, director, senior manager, partner or company secretary, in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, at any time during their involvement, or within one year of such an involvement, been put into liquidation, wound up, ceased trading, had a receiver or administrator appointed or entered into any voluntary arrangement with its creditors?

YES NO



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YES NO

5.03 Business and Employment Matters

5.03.1 Has the *candidate* ever been:

a Disqualified from acting as a director or similar position (one where the candidate acts in a management capacity or conducts the affairs of any company, partnership or unincorporated association)?

YES NO

b The subject of any proceedings of a disciplinary nature (whether or not the proceedings resulted in any finding against the *candidate*)?

YES NO

c The subject of any investigation which has led or might lead to disciplinary proceedings?

YES NO

d Notified of any potential proceedings of a disciplinary nature against the *candidate*?

YES NO

e The subject of an investigation into allegations of misconduct or malpractice in connection with any business activity? (This question covers internal investigation by an authorised firm, as well as investigation by a regulatory body, at any time.)

YES NO

5.03.2 Has the *candidate* ever been refused entry to, or been dismissed, suspended or requested to resign from, any professional, vocation, office or employment, or from any fiduciary office or position of trust whether or not remunerated?

YES NO

5.03.3 Does the *candidate* have any material written complaints made against the *candidate* by the *candidate*'s clients or former clients in the last five years which the *candidate* has accepted, or which are awaiting determination, or have been upheld – by an ombudsman or complaints scheme?

YES NO



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YES NO

5.04 Regulatory Matters

5.04.1 In relation to activities regulated by the FCA and/or PRA or any other regulatory body (see section 5 guidance notes), has:

- The *candidate*, or
- Any company, partnership or unincorporated associate of which the candidate is or has been a controller, director, senior manager, partner or company secretary, during the *candidate's* association with the entity and for a period of three years after the *candidate* ceased to be associated with it, ever –

a	Been refused, had revoked, restricted, been suspended from or terminated, any licence, authorisations, registration, notification, membership or any other permission granted by any such body?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
b	Been criticised, censured, disciplined, suspended, expelled, fined or been the subject of any other disciplinary or interventional action by any such body?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
c	Received a warning (whether public or private) that such disciplinary or interventional action may be taken against the <i>candidate</i> or the <i>firm</i> ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
d	Been the subject of an investigation by any regulatory body, whether or not such an investigation resulted in a finding against the <i>candidate</i> or the <i>firm</i> ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
e	Been required or requested to produce documents or any other information to any regulatory body in connection with such an investigation (whether against the <i>firm</i> or otherwise)?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
f	Been investigated or been involved in an investigation by an inspector appointed under companies or any other legislation, or required to produce documents to the Secretary of State, or any other authority, under any such legislation?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
g	Ceased operating or resigned whilst under investigation by any such body or been required to cease operating or resign by any regulatory body?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
h	Decided, after making an application for any licence, authorisation, registration, notification, membership or any permission granted by any such body, not to proceed with it?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
i	Been the subject of any civil action related to any regulated activity which has resulted in a finding by a court?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
j	Provided payment services or distributed or redeemed e-money on behalf of a regulated firm or itself under any contractual agreement where that agreement was terminated by the regulated <i>firm</i> ?	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>
k	Been convicted of any criminal offence, censured, disciplined or publicly criticised by any inquiry, by the Takeover Panel or any governmental or statutory authority or any other regulatory body (other than as indicated in this group of questions).	YES <input type="checkbox"/>	NO <input type="checkbox"/>



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YES NO

5.04.2

In relation to activities regulated by the FCA/PRA or any other regulatory body, has the *candidate* or any *firm* at which the *candidate* holds or has held a position of influence at any time during and within one year of the *candidate's* association with the *firm* ever:

- a** Been found to have carried on activities for which authorisation or registration by the FCA/PRA or any other regulatory body is required without the requisite authorisations?
- b** Been investigated for the possible carrying on of activities requiring authorisation or registration by the FCA/PRA or any other regulatory body without the requisite authorisation whether or not such investigation resulted in a finding against the *candidate*?
- c** Been found to have performed a senior management function or other controlled function (or an equivalent function requiring approval by the FCA/PRA or any other regulatory body) without the requisite approval?
- d** Been investigated for the possible performance of a senior management function or other controlled function (or an equivalent function requiring approval by the FCA/PRA or any other regulatory body) without the requisite approval, whether or not such investigation resulted in a finding against the *candidate*?
- e** Been found to have failed to comply with an obligation under the Electronic Money Regulations 2011 or Payment Services Regulations 2009 to notify the FCA/PRA of the identity of a person acting in a position of influence over its electronic money or payment services business?
- f** Been the subject of disqualification direction under section 59 of the Financial Services Act 1986 or a prohibition order under section 56 FSMA, or received a warning notice proposing that such a direction or order be made, or received a private warning?

YES NO

YES NO

YES NO

YES NO

YES NO

YES NO



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YES NO

5.05 Other Matters

5.05.1 Is the *candidate*, in the role to which the application relates, aware of any business interests, employment obligations, or any other circumstance which may conflict with the performance of the senior management functions for which approval is now being sought

YES NO

5.05.2 Is the *candidate* or the *firm* aware of any other information relevant to this notification that we might reasonably expect from the *candidate*?

YES NO

5.05.3 Has the *firm* undertaken a criminal records check in accordance with the requirements of the *FCA* or *PRA*?

Please note that a *firm* is required to request the fullest information that it is lawfully able to obtain about the *candidate* under Part V of the Police Act 1997 (Certificates of Criminal records, etc) and related subordinated legislation of the *UK* or any part of the

YES NO

UK before making the application. (*SUP* 10C.10.16R and *PRA* Rulebook: Fitness and Propriety)

If yes, please enter date the check was undertaken

Date (dd/mm/yy):

Note: if date is more than 3 months prior to current date or 3 months prior to date of application submission or the check has not been undertaken, please provide details why in section 6.

5.05.4 Has / Have a reference or references been obtained from current or previous employer(s) in accordance with the requirements of the *FCA* or *PRA*?

YES NO

If No, please provide details why the reference or references has/have not been obtained.

Please note that a firm is required to use reasonable steps to obtain an appropriate reference from any current or previous employer of the candidate during the last 6 years (see SYSC 22). "Employer" has an extended meaning for these purposes.



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YES NO

- 6.00
- If there is any other information the *candidate* or the *firm* considers to be relevant to the application, it must be included here.
 - Please provide full details of
 - why the candidate is competent and capable to carry out the senior management function(s) applied for;
 - why the appointment complements the firm's business strategy, activity and market in which it operates;
 - how the appointment was agreed including details of any discussions at governing body level (where applicable).
 - Provide a copy of the *candidate's*:
 - *Statement of Responsibilities* with this form
 - Roles description
 - Curriculum Vitae (C.V)
 - Organisational chart
 - Provide a copy of the firm's *management responsibilities map* (SYSC 4.6).
 - Please also include here any additional information indicated in previous sections of the Form.
 - **Please include a list of all directorships currently or previously held by the *candidate* in the past 10 years (where *director* has the meaning given in the *Glossary*).**
 - If there is insufficient space, please continue on a separate sheet of paper and clearly identify the section and question to which the additional information relates.
 - **Full details must be provided here if there were any issues that could affect the Fitness and Propriety of the individual that arose when leaving an employer listed in section 4 or if any question has been answered 'yes' in section 5.**

Question	Information

Declaration of *Candidate*

It is a criminal offence, knowingly or recklessly, to give the *FCA* and/or *PRA* information that is materially false, misleading or deceptive (see sections 398 and 400 Financial Services and Markets Act 2000). Even if you believe or know that information has been provided to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* before (whether as part of another application or otherwise) or is in the public domain, you must nonetheless disclose it clearly and fully in this form and as part of this application – you should not assume that the *FCA* and/or *PRA* will itself identify such information during the assessment of this application.

There will be a delay in processing the application if information is inaccurate or incomplete, and it may call into question the suitability of the *candidate* and/or lead to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* exercising their powers (including but not limited to taking disciplinary/ Enforcement action). You must notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* immediately if there is a change to the information in this form and/or if inaccurate information has been provided (insofar as the *FCA* and/or *PRA* are reasonably likely to consider the information material).

The *candidate* confirms that the information provided in this application is accurate and complete to the best of his/her knowledge and that he or she has read the notes to this form. The *candidate* will notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* immediately if there is a material change to the information provided.

The *candidate* confirms that the attached Statement of Responsibilities accurately reflects the aspects of the affairs of the *firm* which it is intended that the *candidate* will be responsible for managing. The *candidate* confirms that they have accepted all the responsibilities set out in this Statement of Responsibilities.

The *candidate* authorises the *FCA* and/or *PRA* to make such enquiries and seek such further information as it thinks appropriate to identify and verify information that it considers relevant to the assessment of this application.

The *candidate* acknowledges and agrees that these checks may include credit reference checks or information pertaining to fitness and propriety, and is aware that the results of these enquiries may be disclosed to the employer/Applicant.

Where applicable, the *candidate* agrees that he or she may be required to apply for a search to be made as to whether any criminal records are held in relation to him or her and to obtain a certificate (where such certificate can be obtained) and to disclose the result of that search to the *firm* submitting this application.

The *candidate* agrees that the *FCA* and/or *PRA* may use the address specified for the *candidate* in this form as the proper address for service in the United Kingdom (as defined in the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Service of Notice) Regulations (SI 2001/1420)) to serve any notices on the *candidate*.

For the purposes of complying with the Data Protection Act 1998, the personal information provided in this form will be used by the *FCA* and *PRA* to discharge their statutory functions under the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 and other relevant legislation, and will not be disclosed for any other purpose without the permission of the *candidate*.

The *candidate* confirms that he or she understands the regulatory responsibilities of the proposed role as set out in the rules of conduct in the *FCA*'s *COCON* and/or the *PRA Rulebook: Conduct Rules*.

The *candidate* is aware that, while advice may be sought from a third party (e.g. legal advice), responsibility for the accuracy of information, as well as the disclosure of relevant information, on the form is ultimately the responsibility of those who sign the application.

In addition to other regulatory responsibilities, *firms*, and *approved persons* have a responsibility to disclose to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* matters of which it would reasonably expect to be notified. Failure to notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* of such information may lead to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* taking disciplinary or other action against the Applicant and/or the *candidate*.

7.01 Name of *candidate*

7.02 Signature

Date

Declaration of *Firm*

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There will be a delay in processing the application if information is inaccurate or incomplete, and it may call into question the suitability of the *candidate* and/or lead to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* exercising their powers under FSMA (including but not limited to taking disciplinary/ Enforcement action). You must notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* immediately if there is a change to the information in this form and/or if inaccurate information has been provided (insofar as the *FCA* and/or *PRA* are reasonably likely to consider the information material).

In addition to other regulatory responsibilities, *firms*, and *approved persons* have a responsibility to disclose to the *FCA* and/or *PRA*, matters of which it would reasonably expect to be notified. Failure to notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* of such information may lead to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* taking disciplinary or other action against the Applicant and/or the *candidate*.

The Applicant confirms that the information provided in this application is accurate and complete to the best of its knowledge and that it has read the notes to this form. The Applicant will notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* immediately if there is a material change to the information provided.

The Applicant authorises the *FCA* and/or *PRA* to make such enquiries and seek such further information as it thinks appropriate to identify and verify information that it considers relevant to the assessment of this application.

Where applicable, the Applicant confirms that it has requested the fullest information that it is lawfully able to obtain about the *candidate* under Part V of the Police Act 1997 and any related subordinate legislation of the *UK* or any part of the *UK*, and (where available) has given due consideration to that information in determining that *candidate* to be fit and proper.

In making this application the Applicant believes on the basis of due and diligent enquiry and, where applicable, by reference to the criteria in *FIT* in the *FCA handbook* and/or the Fitness and Propriety sections in the *PRA Rulebook* that the *candidate* is a fit and proper person to perform the controlled function(s) listed in section 3.

The Applicant also believes, on the basis of due and diligent enquiry, that the *candidate* is competent to fulfil the duties required in the performance of such function(s). Note: For *EEA firms*, this would only apply to those *firms* undertaking any Non MiFID business.

The Applicant confirms that it has complied with its obligations under Equality and Diversity legislation when selecting the *candidate* to perform the function(s) applied for.

The Applicant confirms that it has made the *candidate* aware of their regulatory responsibilities as set out in the rules of conduct in the *FCA's COCON* and/or the following Parts in the *PRA Rulebook*: Conduct Rules.

The Applicant confirms that the Statement of Responsibilities submitted with this form accurately reflects the aspects of the affairs of the *Firm* which it is intended that the *candidate* will be responsible for managing.

The Applicant is aware that, while advice may be sought from a third party (e.g. legal advice), responsibility for the accuracy of information, as well as the disclosure of relevant information, on the form is ultimately the responsibility of those who sign the application.

In signing this form on behalf of the Applicant:

I confirm that the information in this form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief and that I have read the notes to this form.

I confirm that I have authority to make this application and provide the declarations given by the Applicant, and sign this form, on behalf of the *firm* identified in section 2.01 and/or each *firm* identified in section 3.04. I also confirm that a copy of this form, as submitted to the *FCA* and/or *PRA*, will be sent to each of those firms at the same time as submitting the form to the *FCA* and/or *PRA*.

7.03 Name of the *firm* submitting the application

7.04 Name of *person* signing on behalf of the Applicant

7.05 Job title

7.06 Signature

Date