Mortgages and Home Finance: Conduct of Business Sourcebook

Chapter 9

Equity release: product disclosure



### **Application** 9.1

## Who?

9.1.1 This chapter applies to a firm in a category listed in column (1) of the table in ■ MCOB 9.1.2 R in accordance with column (2) of that table, except that those provisions that by their nature are only relevant to regulated mortgage contracts do not apply to home reversion plans.

#### 9.1.2 This table belongs to ■ MCOB 9.1.1 R

(1) Category of firm	(2) Applicable section
mortgage lender	MCOB 9.1 - MCOB 9.4.132 R, MCOB 9.5 - MCOB 9.8
mortgage administrator	MCOB 9.1, MCOB 9.2, MCOB 9.6 and
	MCOB 9.8
mortgage adviser; mortgage arranger	MCOB 9.1 - MCOB 9.4.132 Rand MCOB 9.8.5 R - MCOB 9.8.10 R
reversion provider	MCOB 9.1 - MCOB 9.4.17A R, MCOB 9.4.133 R -MCOB 9.6; MCOB 9.9
reversion administrator	MCOB 9.1, MCOB 9.6 and MCOB 9.9
reversion adviser; reversion arranger	MCOB 9.1 - MCOB 9.4.17A R, MCOB 9.4.133 R - MCOB 9.4.176 G; MCOB 9.9.8 R

9.1.2A The rules and guidance that are not relevant to home reversion plans are those related, for example, to interest rates, APR, higher lending charge, mortgage credit cards, multi-part mortgages and foreign currency mortgages.

## What?

9.1.3 R This chapter applies in the circumstances set out in other *rules* in this sourcebook, but in relation to an equity release transaction, in accordance with the table in ■ MCOB 9.1.4 R.

#### 9.1.4 This table belongs to ■ MCOB 9.1.3 R

Section of MCOB 9	Applies in relation to an equity release transaction as set out in the following rules:
MCOB 9.1, MCOB 9.2	all of the <i>rules</i> below in this column

Section of MCOB 9	Applies in relation to an equity release transaction as set out in the following rules:
MCOB 9.3, MCOB 9.4	MCOB 5.1.3 R
MCOB 9.5	MCOB 6.1.3 R
MCOB 9.6	MCOB 7.1.3 R

- 9.1.5 In this chapter, references to an *equity release transaction* include, where the context requires, references to arrangements which are capable of becoming an *equity release transaction*.
- 9.1.6 This chapter does not apply in relation to arranging, advising on or administering a home reversion plan for a customer acting in his capacity as an unauthorised reversion provider.

# MCD application

- 9.1.7 G
- (1) This chapter does not apply to an *MCD lifetime mortgage*, except as set out in (2) to (3), below.
- (2) MCOB 9.4.33 R, MCOB 9.4.35 R, MCOB 9.4.62 R and MCOB 9.4.63 R apply to the extent specified by MCOB 5A.6.2 R.
- (3) MCOB 9.6 to MCOB 9.8 apply, except for *rules* that modify or replace MCOB 7.6.7R to MCOB 7.6.17R (because those *rules* do not apply to an *MCD mortgage lender* or an *MCD mortgage credit intermediary*, MCOB 7B applies instead: see MCOB 7.1.2AR and MCOB 7.1.2BG).