SIGNIFICANT MANAGEMENT FUNCTION REPORTING REQUIREMENT AMENDMENT INSTRUMENT 2006

Powers exercised

- A. The Financial Services Authority makes this instrument in the exercise of the following powers and related provisions in the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 ("the Act"):
 - (1) section 138 (General rule-making power); and
 - (2) section 157(1) (Guidance).
- B. The rule-making power listed above is specified for the purpose of section 153(2) of the Act (Rule-making instruments).

Commencement

C. This instrument comes into force on 6 May 2006.

Amendments to the Handbook

- D. The Supervision manual (SUP) is amended in accordance with Annex A to this instrument.
- E. The Enforcement manual (ENF) is amended in accordance with Annex B to this instrument.

Citation

F. This instrument may be cited as the Significant Management Function Reporting Requirement Amendment Instrument 2006.

By order of the Board 27 April 2006

Annex A

Amendments to the Supervision manual

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

10.9.8 R Reporting requirement

A firm must, by no later than 31 July each year, provide the FSA with:

- (1) the name of every individual who is *approved* to perform any of its *significant management functions*; and
- (2) brief details of the job performed by that individual, as at 30 June of that year;

unless it has, within the 12 *months* preceding 30 June, already provided the *FSA* with that information. [deleted]

10.9.9 G The broad description of each significant management function means that an individual may perform a different function within the significant management function without needing prior approval. However, the FSA does require a notification of the job performed by such people once a year. Typically, a firm will give this information to the FSA as a matter of routine during the year but, if not, SUP 10.9.8 R requires it to do so by 31 July. The rule requires the firm to provide a report only in respect of individuals performing a significant management function: if there are none, there is no need to provide a report. [deleted]

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Form A Application to perform controlled functions under the approved persons regime

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Section 3 ARRANGEMENTS AND CONTROLLED FUNCTIONS

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Unless the *firm* indicates otherwise, the *FSA* assumes that the *arrangement* given on the application form includes all of the activities that fall within the description of the *controlled function*. This means that a *firm* may alter a *candidate's* responsibilities within the broad description of a *controlled function* without needing further approval from the *FSA*. However, in relation to the *significant management functions, firms* must comply with the reporting requirements in *SUP* 10.9.8R and *SUP* 10.9.9G.

Notification requirements

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| SUP 10.9.8R | <i>Approved</i> | Name of every | Annual | By 31 |
|-------------|------------------------|----------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| | persons | individual who | requirement | July |
| | significant | is approved to | | each |
| | management | perform any of | | year |
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Annex B

Amendments to the Enforcement manual

In this Annex, striking through indicates deleted text.

- Financial penalties for late submission of reports
- 13.5.1 G The following is a list of the main periodic reporting *rules* (the list may not be comprehensive) and those other provisions:
 - (1) the *rules* set out in SUP 10.9.8R (Significant management functions) and SUP 16 (Reporting requirements);

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