FINANCIAL SERVICES COMPENSATION SCHEME (AMENDMENT OF FEES PROVISIONS (NO 2)) INSTRUMENT 2008

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);
 - (2) section 156 (General supplementary powers);
 - (3) section 213 (The compensation scheme);
 - (4) section 214 (General);
 - (5) section 223 (Management expenses); and
 - (6) paragraph 17(1) (Fees) of Schedule 1 (The Financial Services Authority).
- B. The rule-making powers listed above are specified for the purposes of section 153(2) (Rule-making instruments) of the Act.

Commencement

- C. This instrument comes into force if, and at the same time as, an order is made under the Banking (Special Provisions) Act 2008 by virtue of which:
 - (1) the shares in Bradford & Bingley plc are transferred to the Treasury Solicitor as nominee of the Treasury; and
 - (2) certain assets and liabilities are, immediately after the first transfer, transferred to another person.

Amendments to the Handbook

D. The Fees manual (FEES) is amended in accordance with the Annex to this instrument.

Citation

E. This instrument may be cited as the Financial Services Compensation Scheme (Amendment of Fees Provisions (No 2)) Instrument 2008.

By order of the Board 28 September 2008

Annex

Amendments to the Fees manual (FEES)

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

- 6.7.6 R If a firm ceases to be a participant firm part way through a financial year of the compensation scheme:
 - (1) it will remain liable for any unpaid levies which the *FSCS* has already made on the *firm*; and
 - the *FSCS* may make a levy upon it (which may be before or after the firm has ceased to be a *participant firm*, but must be before it ceases to be an *authorised person*) for the costs which it would have been liable to pay had the *FSCS* made a levy on all *participant firms* at the time of the levy on the *firm*-;
 - (3) the FSCS may make a levy upon the firm (which may be before or after the firm has ceased to be a participant firm, but must be before it ceases to be an authorised person) for the purpose of meeting its expenses expected to be incurred arising from the declaration by the FSA on 27 September 2008 that Bradford & Bingley plc is in default;
 - (4) the FSCS may estimate any costs referred to in (3) by any method or approach it considers appropriate, and adjust them to reflect the time value of money based on the funding arrangements in place in relation to the default; and
 - (5) paragraphs (3) and (4) apply notwithstanding any other provision in this chapter.

FEES 6 Annex 1R

Financial Services Compensation Scheme - Management Expenses Levy Limit

This table belongs to FEES 6.4.2R

Period	Limit on total of all management expenses levies attributable to that period (£)
1 April 2008 to 31	£630,240,000 provided that only £30,240,000 may be used

March 2009	to meet management expenses other than the specific costs
	relating to the declaration by the FSA on 27 September
	2008 that Bradford & Bingley plc is in default.