TRAINING AND COMPETENCE SOURCEBOOK (QUALIFICATIONS AMENDMENTS No 16) INSTRUMENT 2017

Powers exercised

- A. The Financial Conduct 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 137A (The FCA's general rules);
 - (2) section 137T (General supplementary powers); and
 - (3) section 138C (Evidential provisions).
- B. The rule-making powers listed above are specified for the purpose of section 138G(2) (Rule-making instruments) of the Act.

Commencement

C. This instrument comes into force on 13 September 2017.

Amendments to the Handbook

- D. The Glossary of definitions is amended in accordance with Annex A to this instrument.
- E. The Training and Competence sourcebook (TC) is amended in accordance with Annex B to this instrument.

Citation

E. This instrument may be cited as the Training and Competence Sourcebook (Qualifications Amendments No 16) Instrument 2017.

By order of the Board 12 September 2017

Annex A

Amendments to the Glossary of definitions

In this Annex, underlining indicates new text.

accredited body

any of the following bodies recognised by the FCA for the purpose of providing the independent verification required under TC 2.1.27R

- (a) CFA Society of the UK;
- (b) The Chartered Insurance Institute;
- (c) The Institute of Financial Planning (accredited body until 31 October 2015);
- (d) The Chartered Institute for Securities and Investment;
- (e) The Chartered Institute of Bankers in Scotland;
- (f) The London Institute of Banking & Finance;
- (g) The Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales;
- (h) The Pensions Management Institute.

Annex B

Amendments to the Training and Competence sourcebook (TC)

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Part 2: Appropriate Qualifications Tables

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Qualification provider	Qualification	Activity Number(s)	Key
CFA Institute	The CFA Institute Investment Foundations Certificate - (Formerly the Claritas Investment Certificate)	15, 16, 17, 18, 19	4
Chartered Institute for Securities and Investment (CISI) - (Formerly the Securities and Investment Institute (SII); formerly The Securities Association)	Certificate in Pension Transfers and Planning Advice (when combined with an RDR compliant qualification for Activities 4 and 6)	11	1
	Investment Advice Diploma (where candidate holds 3 modules including the private client advice module)	4 and 6	a

Chartered Insurance Institute			
	Certificate in Mortgage Advice	20	1
	Certificate in Equity Release (Formerly known as Certificate in Financial Planning and Lifetime Mortgages	21, 22	1
		<u>23</u>	<u>4</u>
			<u>5</u>
			<u>6</u>
	Certificate in Equity Release	22	1
		23	4
		23	5
		23	6
Institute of Financial Planning (until 1 November 2015)	Certified Financial Planner (syllabus in force until 31 October 2015)	4 and 6	b
	Fellowship (syllabus in force until 31 October 2015)		