PRA RULEBOOK: SOLVENCY II FIRMS AND NON SOLVENCY II FIRMS: SENIOR INSURANCE MANAGERS REGIME (AMENDMENT) (NO 3) INSTRUMENT 2018

Powers exercised

- A. The Prudential Regulation Authority ("PRA") makes this instrument in the exercise of the following powers in the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 ("the Act"):
 - (1) section 60 (Applications for approval)
 - (2) section 137G (The PRA's general rules); and
 - (3) section 137T (General supplementary powers).
- B. The rule-making powers referred to above are specified for the purpose of section 138G(2) (Rulemaking instrument) of the Act.

Pre-conditions to making

C. In accordance with section 138J of the Act (Consultation by the PRA), the PRA consulted the Financial Conduct Authority. After consulting, the PRA published a draft of proposed rules and had regard to representations made.

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D. The PRA makes the rules in the Annexes to this instrument.

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Commencement

- E. Annex H comes into force on 1 January 2019.
- F. All other Annexes come into force on 10 December 2018, immediately after the PRA Rulebook: CRR Firms, Non-CRR Firms, Solvency II Firms and Non Solvency II Firms: Senior Managers Regime and Senior Insurance Managers Regime (Amendment) (No 1) Instrument 2018 comes into force.

Citation

G. This instrument may be cited as the PRA Rulebook: Solvency II Firms and Non Solvency II Firms: Senior Insurance Managers Regime (Amendment) (No 3) Instrument 2018.

By order of the Prudential Regulation Committee

7 November 2018

Annex A

Amendments to the Insurance – Fitness and Propriety Part

In this Annex new text is underlined and deleted text is struck through.

1 APPLICATION AND DEFINITIONS

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1.2 In this Part, the following definitions shall apply:

continued approval

has the meaning given in <u>Insurance -</u> Senior Insurance Managers Regime – Transitional Provisions.

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Annex B

Amendments to the Insurance - Senior Managers Regime – Applications and Notifications Part

In this Annex new text is underlined and deleted text is struck through.

1 APPLICATION AND DEFINITIONS

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1.2 In this Part, the following definitions shall apply:

commencement date

has the meaning given in <u>Insurance -</u> Senior Insurance Managers Regime – Transitional Provisions.

current approved person approval

means

. . .

- (1) an approval granted to a *person* under section 59 of *FSMA* (Approval for particular arrangements):
 - (a) by the PRA for the performance of a PRA senior management function; or
 - (b) by the FCA for the performance of <u>an FCA-designated senior management</u> <u>function or a significant influence function;</u>

2 APPLICATION TO PERFORM A PRA SENIOR MANAGEMENT FUNCTION

...

- 2.3 The *PRA* directs that, subject to 2.4 and 2.5, a *firm* must use Form E for a *PRA senior management approval application* if it is being made in respect of a *person* who has a *current approved person approval* and is either:
 - (1) ceasing to perform a *PRA* senior management function and taking up a new *PRA* senior management function for the same firm or another member of its group; or
 - (2) ceasing to perform <u>an FCA-designated senior management function or a significant</u> influence function and taking up a PRA senior management function for the firm or another member of its group.

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- 2.5 The *PRA* directs that a *firm* must not use Form E if the *person* to whom the *PRA* senior management approval application relates:
 - (1) has never before been approved:
 - (a) by the PRA to perform a controlled function; or

(b) by the FCA to perform <u>an FCA-designated senior management function or</u> a *significant influence function*

for any *firm*;

or

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Annex C

Amendments to the Large Non-Solvency II Firms – Fitness and Propriety Part

In this Annex deleted text is struck through.

1 APPLICATION AND DEFINITIONS

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1.2 In this Part, the following definitions shall apply:

continued approval

has the meaning given in Large Non-Solvency II Firms - Senior Insurance Managers Regime – Transitional Provisions.

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Annex D

Amendments to the Large Non-Solvency II Firms – Senior Managers Regime – Applications and Notifications Part

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1 APPLICATION AND DEFINITIONS

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1.2 In this Part, the following definitions shall apply:

commencement date

has the meaning given in Large Non-Solvency II Firms - Senior Insurance-Managers Regime – Transitional Provisions.

current approved person approval

means

(1) an approval granted to a *person* under section 59 of *FSMA* (Approval for particular arrangements):

(a) by the PRA for the performance of a PRA senior management function; or

- (b) by the FCA for the performance of <u>an FCA-designated senior management</u> <u>function or</u> a significant influence function;
- ...

2 APPLICATION TO PERFORM A SENIOR MANAGEMENT FUNCTION

- ...
- 2.3 The *PRA* directs that, subject to 2.4 and 2.5, a *firm* must use Form E for a *PRA senior* management approval application if it is being made in respect of a *person* who has a *current* approved person approval and is either:
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 - (2) ceasing to perform <u>an FCA-designated senior management function or a significant</u> influence function and taking up a PRA senior management function for the firm or another member of its group.

...

2.5 The *PRA* directs that a *firm* must not use Form E if the *person* to whom the *PRA* senior management approval application relates:

(1) has never before been approved:

- (a) by the PRA to perform a controlled function; or
- (b) by the FCA to perform <u>an FCA-designated senior management function or</u> a *significant influence function*

for any firm;

or

....

Annex E

Amendments to the Non-Solvency II Firms – Fitness and Propriety Part

In this Annex deleted text is struck through.

1 APPLICATION AND DEFINITIONS

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1.2 In this Part, the following definition shall apply:

continued approval

has the meaning given in Non-Solvency II Firms - Senior Insurance Managers Regime – Transitional Provisions.

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Annex F

Amendments to the Non-Solvency II Firms –Senior Managers Regime – Applications and Notifications Part

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1 APPLICATION AND DEFINITIONS

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1.2 In this Part, the following definitions shall apply:

commencement date

has the meaning given in Non-Solvency II Firms - Senior Insurance-Managers Regime – Transitional Provisions

current approved person approval

means

. . .

- (1) an approval granted to a *person* under section 59 of *FSMA* (Approval for particular arrangements):
 - (a) by the PRA for the performance of a PRA senior management function; or
 - (b) by the FCA for the performance of <u>an FCA-designated senior management</u> <u>function or</u> a significant influence function;

2 APPLICATION TO PERFORM A SENIOR MANAGEMENT FUNCTION

- ...
- 2.3 The *PRA* directs that, subject to 2.4 and 2.5, a *firm* must use Form E for a *PRA senior management approval application* if it is being made in respect of a *person* who has a *current approved person approval* and is either:
 - (1) ceasing to perform a *PRA* senior management function and taking up a new *PRA* senior management function for the same firm or another member of its group; or
 - (2) ceasing to perform <u>an FCA-designated senior management function or</u> a significant *influence function* and taking up a *PRA senior management function* for the *firm* or another member of its *group*.

- 2.5 The *PRA* directs that a *firm* must not use Form E if the *person* to whom the *PRA* senior management approval application relates:
 - (1) has never before been approved:
 - (a) by the PRA to perform a controlled function; or
 - (b) by the FCA to perform <u>an FCA-designated senior management function or</u> a significant influence function

for any *firm*;

or

. . . .

Annex G

Amendments to the Glossary

In the Glossary Part of the PRA Rulebook insert the following new definition:

certification regime

means the requirements of the *regulatory system* which apply to *authorised persons* insofar as they relate to *persons* performing *certification functions* including those set out in Certification, Fitness and Propriety, Insurance – Certification, Insurance – Fitness and Propriety, Large Non-Solvency II Firms – Certification, Large Non-Solvency II Firms – Fitness and Propriety, Non-Solvency II Firms – Certification and Non-Solvency II Firms – Fitness and Propriety and the corresponding *FCA* requirements in SYSC 27 and FIT of the *FCA Handbook*.

Annex H

Amendments to the Glossary

In this Annex deleted text is struck through.

Chair of Audit Committee function

has the meaning given in Senior Management Functions 4.4.

Chair of Remuneration Committee function

has the meaning given in Senior Management Functions 4.5.

Chair of Risk Committee function

has the meaning given in Senior Management Functions 4.3

Chair of the Governing Body function

has the meaning given in Senior Management Functions 4.2.