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# CENTRAL BANK (SUPERVISION AND ENFORCEMENT) ACT 2013 (SECTION 48(1)) (SENIOR EXECUTIVE ACCOUNTABILITY REGIME) REGULATIONS 20XX

In exercise of the powers conferred on the Central Bank of Ireland (the "Bank") by section 48(1) of the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (No. 26 of 2013), the Bank, having consulted the Minister for Finance and such other persons as the Bank considers appropriate to consult in the circumstances in accordance with section 49(1) of that Act, hereby makes the following regulations:

### Citation and Commencement

- 1. (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013 (Section 48(1)) (Senior Executive Accountability Regime)) Regulations 202x.
- (2) (a) Subject to paragraph (b), these Regulations shall come into operation on 1 July 2024,
- (b) Regulation 5 and Regulation 6(3) and Regulation 10(2) of these Regulations shall come into operation 1 July 2025.

## 2. Scope

These Regulations apply to:

- (a) Relevant credit institutions;
- (b) Relevant insurance undertakings;
- (c) Relevant investment firms.

### **Definitions**

3. (1) In these Regulations -

"Act of 2010" means the Central Bank Reform Act 2010;

"Act of 2013" means the Central Bank (Supervision and Enforcement) Act 2013;

"allocated responsibility" means a prescribed responsibility or other responsibility for which a PCF holder will have allocated responsibility within the meaning of Section 53B(1)(b) of the Act of 2010;

"Bank" means the Central Bank of Ireland;

"Board" means the board of directors of the firm;

"client assets" means client funds and client financial instruments;

"firm" means a relevant credit institution, a relevant insurance undertaking or a relevant investment firm;

"governing body" means the Board, or other persons who are directing the business of the regulated financial service provider;

"inherent responsibility" shall be construed in accordance with Regulation 4(1), and Regulation 5(1);

"low impact investment firm" means an investment firm that is designated as Low Impact by the Bank under the Bank's Probability Risk Impact System, and has a written notification from the Bank confirming same;

"management responsibilities map" shall be construed in accordance with Regulation 7;

"MiFID Regulations" means the European Union (Markets in Financial Instruments) Regulations 2017 (MiFID II) [S.I. No. 375 of 2017];

"other responsibility" is a responsibility identified by the firm which it is required to allocate to a PCF holder in accordance with Regulation 8;

"pre-approval controlled function" has the meaning given by Section 18 of the Act of 2010;

"PCF holder" has the same meaning as it has in Section 48(4) of the Act of 2013:

"prescribed responsibility" is a responsibility identified by the Bank which a firm is required to allocate to a PCF holder in accordance with Regulation 6;

"Relevant credit institution" means-

- (a) a person licensed under Section 9 of the Central Bank Act 1971,
- (b) a building society authorised under the Building Societies Act 1989,
- (c) a person authorised under Section 9A of the Central Bank Act 1971,
- (d) a Class 1 investment firm authorised under Part IIA of the Central Bank Act 1971;

"Relevant insurance undertaking" means -

- (a) a person authorised pursuant to Regulation 24 of the Solvency II Regulations,
- a person who is deemed authorised pursuant to Regulation 13 of the Solvency II Regulations or
- (c) a branch of a third country insurance undertaking,

but does not include-

- (a) a reinsurance undertaking,
- (b) a captive insurer,
- (c) a captive reinsurer, or
- (d) a special purpose vehicle;

"Relevant investment firm" means an investment firm authorised pursuant to Regulation 8 of the MiFID Regulations or a third country firm that has established a branch pursuant to Regulation 48 of the MiFID Regulations, and to which one or both of the following apply:

- (a) the firm carries out any of the activities referred to in points (3) and (6) of Schedule 1 of Part 1 of the MiFID Regulations:
- (b) the firm is permitted under the terms of its authorisation under the MiFID Regulations to hold client assets;

"Solvency II Regulations" means the European Union (Insurance and Reinsurance) Regulations 2015 [S.I. No. 485 of 2015];

"statement of responsibilities" shall be construed in accordance with Regulation 10(1) and 10(2);

"third country branch" means a branch as referred to in (c) of the definition of a relevant credit institution, or in (c) of the definition of a relevant insurance undertaking or established pursuant to Regulation 48 of the MiFID Regulations and to which one or both of (a) and (b) of the definition of relevant investment firm apply;

- (2) In this Regulation, "reinsurance undertaking", "captive insurer", "captive reinsurer", "special purpose vehicle" and "third country insurance undertaking" have the same meaning as in Regulation 3 of the Solvency II Regulations.
- (3) A word or expression that is used in these Regulations and is also used in the Act of 2013 shall have in these Regulations the same meaning as it has in that Act unless the contrary intention appears.

### Inherent Responsibilities

- (1) The items listed in Column 2 of the table in Schedule 1 of these Regulations are responsibilities that are concerned with aspects of a firm's affairs, and in respect of which a PCF holder shall have inherent responsibility for the purposes of Section 53B(1)(a) of the Act of 2010.
  - (2) A PCF holder listed in Column 1 of the table in Schedule 1 shall have the corresponding responsibility listed in Column 2 of that table.

### Inherent Responsibilities for Non-Executive Directors.

- 5. (1) The items listed in Column 2 of the table in Schedule 1A of these Regulations are responsibilities that are concerned with aspects of a firm's affairs, and in respect of which a PCF holder shall have inherent responsibility for the purposes of Section 53B(1)(a) of the Act of 2010.
  - (2) A PCF holder listed in Column 1 of the table in Schedule 1A shall have the corresponding responsibility listed in Column 2 of that table.

## Prescribed Responsibilities to be allocated by the firm

- (1) The items listed in Schedule 2 of these Regulations are 6. responsibilities concerned with aspects of a firm's affairs.
  - (2) Subject to paragraph (3), a firm, other than a low impact investment firm or a third country branch, shall allocate each responsibility in the table in Schedule 2, Part 1 to a PCF holder.
  - (3) A firm shall allocate the prescribed responsibilities PR4, PR6, PR8, PR9, PR10, PR11 and PR12 as listed in the table in Schedule 2, Part 1 and Part 2, as applicable, to a PCF holder of the type referred to in the table in Schedule 1A.
  - (4) Subject to paragraph (3), a low impact investment firm shall allocate each responsibility in the table in Schedule 2, Part 2 to a PCF holder.

- (5) A third country branch shall allocate each responsibility in the table in Schedule 2, Part 3 to a PCF holder in the third country branch.
- (6) A PCF holder to whom a firm allocates a responsibility referred to in paragraph (1) shall be responsible for the discharge of that responsibility for the purposes of Section 53B(1)(b) of the Act of 2010.

# Identification of Areas of Responsibility and Management Responsibilities Maps.

- 7. (1) A firm shall identify each of the activities, business areas and management functions constituting the overall business of the firm.
- (2) A firm shall establish and maintain a comprehensive and up-to-date single composite document ("the management responsibilities map"), that describes the firm's management and governance arrangements in respect of the matters identified pursuant to paragraph (1).
- (3) Without prejudice to the generality of paragraph (2), the management responsibilities map shall include at least the following information in relation to the firm's management and governance arrangements:
  - (a) a description of each aspect of the firm's activities, business areas and management functions identified pursuant to paragraph (1) including:
    - (i) how each aspect operates within the overall business of the firm,
    - (ii) the reporting lines and the lines of responsibility that apply in relation to each aspect of the firm's activities, business areas and management functions, including how decision-making and governance operate in respect of those matters:
  - matters reserved for the governing body and how its subcommittees, and other senior level committees, contribute to decision making by the governing body;
  - (c) an organisation chart illustrating-
    - (i) where the firm sits within the overall group structure (if applicable),
    - (ii) how the firm's management and governance arrangements interact with those of the group, including the extent to which such arrangements are provided by, or shared with, other group entities,
  - (d) in respect of each PCF holder in the firm:
    - (i) the identity of the PCF holder, details of that person's inherent responsibility and allocated responsibilities, as

- applicable, as well as any other responsibility held by that person related to the matters to be set out in accordance with paragraph (a) above;
- (ii) a description of the reporting lines of each PCF holder to persons and committees in the firm and, if applicable, to other persons within the corporate group structure;
- (e) where the firm has allocated an allocated responsibility to more than one PCF holder, an explanation of its rationale for doing so, together with the arrangements for the effective operation of that joint allocation of responsibility;
- (f) where a CF1 within the meaning of Schedule 1 of the Central Bank Reform Act, 2010 (Sections 20 and 22) Regulations, 2011 [S.I. No. 437 of 2011] is identified in the management responsibilities map, the following information:
  - (i) whether the person is an employee of the firm and if not an employee of the firm, the person's status with or in relation to the firm;
  - (ii) any responsibilities the persons may have in relation to other entities in the group;
- (g) in respect of each outsourcing arrangement entered into by the firm, details of who is responsible for oversight of the outsourcing arrangement;
- (h) details of how the matters in (a)-(g) link together and how they fit within the firm's management and governance arrangements as a whole.

# Other Responsibilities to be identified by the firm, and allocated to PCF holders in the firm.

- 8. (1) In respect of each activity, business area and management function identified by the firm pursuant to Regulation 7(1), where responsibility for an aspect of the firm's activities, business areas or management functions is not already -
  - (a) allocated to a PCF holder in accordance with Regulation 6(2), (3), (4) or (5), or
  - (b) inherent to the function(s) performed by a PCF holder in accordance with Regulation 4(2) or Regulation 5(2),

the firm shall designate that aspect of the firm's activity, business area or management functions as an 'other responsibility'.

(2) Without prejudice to paragraph (1), where in the interests of the proper and orderly regulation of a firm, the Bank forms the view that a responsibility in respect of an activity, business area or management function is an 'other responsibility', it may declare by notice in writing served on the firm that the matter is an 'other responsibility' in that firm for the purposes of these Regulations.

- (3) The firm shall allocate a responsibility-
  - (a) designated by the firm as an 'other responsibility' pursuant to paragraph (1), or
  - (b) declared by the Bank to be an 'other responsibility' in accordance with paragraph (2),

to a PCF holder in the firm.

#### Allocation

- 9. (1) A firm shall ensure that a proposed allocation to a PCF holder of an allocated responsibility is consistent with the PCF holder's inherent responsibilities, prescribed responsibilities and other responsibilities, as applicable, and shall monitor the performance of the PCF holder.
  - (2) A firm must make the allocations of prescribed responsibilities and other responsibilities in such a way that it is clear who is responsible for each of the prescribed responsibilities and other responsibilities.

# Statement of Responsibilities

- 10. (1) Subject to paragraph (2), a firm shall prepare and maintain an up to date statement of responsibilities in respect of each PCF holder referred to in Schedule 1 of these Regulations in a single standalone (hereinafter referred to as a "statement of document responsibilities") and it shall include the PCF holder's-
  - (a) inherent responsibilities,
  - (b) prescribed responsibilities allocated in accordance with Regulation 6(2), (4) and (5), and
  - (c) other responsibilities allocated in accordance with Regulation 8(3).
- (2) A firm shall prepare and maintain an up to date statement of responsibilities in respect of each PCF holder referred to in Schedule 1A of these Regulations in a single standalone document (hereinafter referred to as a "statement of responsibilities") and it shall include the PCF holder's-
  - (a) inherent responsibilities,
  - (b) prescribed responsibilities allocated in accordance with Regulation 6(3), and
  - (c) other responsibilities allocated in accordance with Regulation 8(3).
  - (3) A firm must ensure that any application it makes pursuant to Section 23 and 23A of the 2010 Act, for the prior written approval

of the Bank or the ECB, as applicable, to permit a person to be appointed to perform a pre-approval controlled function, is accompanied by a proposed statement of responsibilities prepared by the firm pursuant to paragraph (1) or paragraph (2) in respect of such pre-approval controlled function.

### Submission of information to the Bank

- The Bank may require a firm, or a class of firms, to submit to it within a period of time specified by the Bank -
  - (a) the management responsibilities map relating to the activities of that firm, or
  - (b) a statement of responsibilities in respect of one or more PCF holders, or all PCF holders performing functions in a firm.

#### Records

- 12. (1) A firm must retain a copy of each version of:
  - (a) its management responsibilities map prepared in accordance with Regulation 7; and
  - (b) the statement of responsibilities for each PCF holder prepared in accordance with Regulation 10,

for a period of ten years from the date on which the management responsibilities map or the statement of responsibilities, as the case may be, is superseded by a more up-to-date version.

(2) A firm must retain a copy of a former PCF holder's statement of responsibilities for a period of ten years after that person has ceased to perform a pre-approval controlled function in relation to that firm.

In this Schedule and in Schedule 1A, the pre-approval controlled functions listed in Column 1 shall have the same meaning as in Schedule 2 of the Central Bank Reform Act, 2010 (Sections 20 and 22) Regulations [S.I. 437 of 2011], and be construed accordingly.

		Inherent Responsibilities
	Column 1	Column 2
Part 1		
1.	PCF-1 Executive	Directing the business of the firm.
	director	
2.	PCF-8 Chief Executive	Overall responsibility for managing and steering
		the business activities of the firm.
3.	PCF-11 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the financial
	Finance	resources, financial planning and financial
		reporting of the firm and reporting directly to the
		Board or relevant subcommittee, or both, on
		financial affairs.
4.	PCF-12 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Compliance	of the compliance function and reporting directly
		to the Board or relevant subcommittee, or both, on
		compliance matters.
5.	PCF-13 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Internal Audit	of the firm's internal audit function and reporting
		directly to the Board or relevant subcommittee, or
		both, on internal audit matters.
6.	PCF-14 Chief Risk	Overall responsibility for managing the firm's risk
	Officer	function and reporting directly to the Board or
		relevant subcommittee, or both, on risk
		management matters.
7.	PCF-16 Branch	Overall responsibility for managing the operations
	Manager of branches	of a branch of the firm located outside the State.
	established outside the	
	State	
8.	PCF-17 Head of Retail	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Sales	of the firm's retail sales function.
9.	PCF-42 Chief	Overall responsibility for managing the internal
	Operating Officer	operations of the firm.
10.	PCF-41 Manager of a	Overall responsibility for managing the operations
	branch in Ireland of a	of a branch of the firm located in the State.
	regulated financial	

	service provider	
	established in a country	
	that is not an EEA	
	country	
11.	PCF-49 Chief	Overall responsibility for managing the firm's
	Information Officer	information and communications technology
		which the firm relies upon.
12.	PCF-52 Head of Anti-	Overall responsibility for managing the firm's
	Money Laundering and	anti-money laundering and countering the
	Counter Terrorist	financing of terrorism compliance functions, and
	Financing Compliance	reporting directly to the Board on anti-money
		laundering and countering the financing of
		terrorism compliance matters.
Part 2		Investment Firms
13.	PCF-28 Branch	Overall responsibility for managing the operations
	Managers in Ireland	of the branch in the State.
14.	PCF-29 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Trading	of the firm's trading function.
15.	PCF-30 Chief	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Investment Officer	of the firm's investment functions.
16.	PCF-45 Head of Client	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Asset Oversight	of the firm's client asset function.
17.	PCF-55 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Material Business Line	of a material business line at the firm.
Part 3		Insurance Undertakings.
18.	PCF-18 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Underwriting	of the firm's underwriting function.
19.	PCF-19 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Investment	of the firm's investment function.
20.	PCF- 43 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Claims	of the firm's claims function.
21.	PCF- 48 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Actuarial Function	of the firm's actuarial function.
22.	PCF-54 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Material Business Line	of a material business line at the firm.
Part 4		Credit Institutions
23.	PCF-21 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Treasury	of the firm's treasury function.
24.	DOD OO II I CO II	Overall regnessibility for managing the energian
	PCF-22 Head of Credit	Overall responsibility for managing the operation of the firm's credit function.

	Asset Oversight	of the firm's client asset function.
28.	PCF-53 Head of Client	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Risk	of the firm's market risk function.
27.	PCF-51 Head of Market	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Material Business Line	of a material business line at the firm.
26.	PCF-50 Head of	Overall responsibility for managing the operation
	Management	function.
	and Liability	of the firm's asset and liability management
25.	PCF-23 Head of Asset	Overall responsibility for managing the operation

# Schedule 1A

		Inherent Responsibilities
	Column 1	Column 2
1.	PCF-2A Non-executive	Overseeing and monitoring the strategy and
	director	management of the firm.
2.	PCF-2B Independent	Overseeing and monitoring the strategy and
	Non-executive director	management of the firm.
3.	PCF-3 Chair of the	Chairing meetings of the Board, leading and
	Board	overseeing its performance.
4.	PCF- 4 Chair of the	Chairing meetings of the audit committee, leading
	audit committee	and overseeing the committee's performance.
5.	PCF-5 Chair of the risk	Chairing meetings of the risk committee, leading
	committee	and overseeing the committee's performance.
6.	PCF-6 Chair of the	Chairing meetings of the remuneration committee,
	remuneration	leading and overseeing the committee's
	committee	performance.
7.	PCF-7 Chair of the	Chairing meetings of the nomination committee,
	nomination committee	leading and overseeing the committee's
		performance.

# Schedule 2

Each of the following is a prescribed responsibility for the purpose of these Regulations:

# Part 1

	General Prescribed Responsibilities	
PR1	Responsibility for the firm's performance of its obligations under the Senior	
	Executive Accountability Regime.	
PR2	Responsibility for the firm's performance of its obligations under the Fitness and	
	Probity Regime under Part 3 of the 2010 Act.	
PR3	Responsibility for embedding the conduct standards throughout the firm.	
PR4	Responsibility for leading the development of the firm's culture, including on	
	matters relating to diversity and inclusion, by the Board.	
PR5	Responsibility for overseeing the adoption of the firm's culture, including on	
	matters relating to diversity and inclusion, in the day-to-day operation of the firm.	
PR6	Responsibility for overseeing the development of the firm's remuneration policies	
	and practices.	
PR7	Responsibility for ensuring that action is taken to prevent further harm or detriment	
	to customers where the firm becomes aware that a decision or action taken or	
	failure to act has caused harm or detriment to customers.	
PR8	Responsibility for safeguarding the independence of the internal audit function and	
	for oversight of the function and the Head of Internal Audit.	
PR9	Responsibility for safeguarding the independence of the compliance function and	
	for oversight of the function and the Head of Compliance.	
PR10	Responsibility for safeguarding the independence of the risk function and for	
	oversight of the function and the Chief Risk Officer.	
PR11	Responsibility for leading the development and monitoring implementation of	
	effective policies and procedures for succession planning, induction, training and	
	professional development of all members of the Board.	
PR12	Responsibility for ensuring the independence, autonomy and effectiveness of the	
	firm's policies and procedures on whistleblowing.	
PR13	Responsibility for monitoring implementation of effective policies and procedures	
	for succession planning, induction, training and professional development of staff.	
PR14	Responsibility for developing and maintaining the firm's recovery plan, the	
	accurate and timely reporting of all information required for recovery and	
	resolution purposes, the implementation of measures necessary to achieve the	
	operationalisation of recovery and resolution strategies, and for overseeing the	
	internal processes regarding their governance, including the coordination of the	
	entity's compliance in those respects.	

PR15	Responsibility for managing the firm's internal stress tests and ensuring the
	accuracy and timeliness of information provided to the Central Bank for the
	purposes of stress-testing.
PR16	Responsibility for the board's development and maintenance of the firm's business
	model.
PR17	Responsibility for managing the calculation and maintenance of the firm's capital,
	funding and liquidity.
PR18	Responsibility for ensuring accuracy, completeness and timely production and
	submission of the firm's financial information and financial regulatory returns.
PR19	Responsibility for the firm's outsourcing framework.
PR20	Responsibility for managing the anti-money laundering and countering the
	financing of terrorism ('AML/CFT') compliance function in order to address the
	firm's money laundering and terrorist financing risks including:
	<ul> <li>the development and oversight of a robust AML/CFT framework; and</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>overseeing the implementation and effective application of AML/CFT</li> </ul>
	systems and controls.
PR21	Responsibility for oversight and governance of strategic decisions, key business
	initiatives, including development of products, to ensure focus on delivering fair
	outcomes for customers.
PR22	Responsibility for the development and implementation of Information and
	Communication Technology (ICT) strategy; ensuring the efficient and secure
	operation of ICT systems; oversight of delivery of ICT projects; and management
	and development of ICT resources.
PR23	Responsibility for developing an internal audit charter, developing a risk-based
	audit plan with appropriate and timely actions and reporting taken in relation to
	audit findings.
PR 24	Responsibility for managing financial risks from climate change.

Sector or circumstance specific responsibilities			
	Credit Institutions		
PR 25	Responsibility for overseeing the credit granting process for new, renewal and re-		
	financing of existing credits, providing challenge in relation to all aspects of current		
	and proposed credit risk exposures, providing comprehensive and timely		
	information to senior management and credit committee on the firm's adherence to		
	policies, guidelines, procedures and limits.		
	Insurance Undertakings		
PR 26	Responsibility for developing and implementing the insurance undertaking's		
	reinsurance/retrocession programme.		
PR 27	Responsibility for implementing the own risk and solvency assessment process in		
	the insurance undertaking.		

PR 28	Responsibility for ensuring that appropriate validation of the technical provisions is
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	conducted in the insurance undertaking.
	Circumstance specific responsibilities
PR29	Where the firm has a treasury management function, responsibility for managing
	the firm's treasury management functions and associated risks.
PR30	Where the firm holds client assets, responsibility for the firm's compliance with
	client asset requirements.
PR 31	Where the firm carries out proprietary trading, responsibility for the firm's
	proprietary trading activities.
PR 32	Where the firm does not have a Chief Risk Officer, responsibility for the
	compliance of the firm's risk management systems, policies and procedures.
PR 33	Where the firm outsources its internal audit function, responsibility for taking
	reasonable steps to ensure that every person involved in the performance of that
	function is independent from the persons who perform external audit
PR 34	Where the firm has established a specific steering committee to address regulatory
	matters, responsibility for managing the operation of the committee and for
	providing comprehensive and timely reporting to senior management and to the
	board.

Part 2 Prescribed Responsibilities in the application of proportionality to inscope low impact investment firms

	General Prescribed Responsibilities
PR 1	Responsibility for the firm's performance of its obligations under the Senior
	Executive Accountability Regime.
PR 2	Responsibility for the firm's performance of its obligations under the Fitness &
	Probity regime under Part 3 of the Central Bank Act 2010.
PR 3	Responsibility for embedding the conduct standards throughout the firm.
PR 4	Responsibility for leading the development of the firm's culture, including on
	matters relating to diversity and inclusion, by the Board.
PR 9	Responsibility for safeguarding the independence of the compliance function and
	for oversight of the function and the Head of Compliance.
PR 11	Responsibility for leading the development and monitoring implementation of
	effective policies and procedures for succession planning, induction, training and
	professional development of all members of the Board.
PR 17	Responsibility for managing the calculation and maintenance of the firm's capital,
	funding and liquidity.

PR 18	Responsibility for ensuring accuracy, completeness and timely production and	
	submission of the firm's financial information and financial regulatory returns.	
PR 20	Responsibility for managing the anti-money laundering and countering the	
	financing of terrorism ('AML/CFT') compliance function in order to address the	
	firm's money laundering and terrorist financing risks including:	
	the development and oversight of a robust AML/CFT framework; and	
	<ul> <li>overseeing the implementation and effective application of AML/CFT</li> </ul>	
	systems and controls.	
PR 21	Responsibility for oversight and governance of strategic decisions, key business	
	initiatives, including development of products to focus on delivering fair outcomes	
	for customers	
PR 22	Responsibility for the development and implementation of Information and	
	Communication Technology (ICT) strategy; ensuring the efficient and secure	
	operation of ICT systems; oversight of delivery of ICT projects; and management	
	and development of ICT resources.	
PR 30	Responsibility for the firm's compliance with client asset requirements.	

Part 3 Third country branches

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	Prescribed Responsibilities for Third Country Branches		
TCBPR1	Responsibility for the Third Country Branch's performance of its obligations		
	under the Senior Executive Accountability Regime.		
TCBPR2	Responsibility for the Third Country Branch's performance of its obligations		
	under the Fitness and Probity Regime under Part 3 of the 2010 Act.		
TCBPR3	Responsibility for the Third Country Branch's embedding the conduct standards		
	throughout the firm.		
TCBPR4	Responsibility for managing the anti-money laundering and countering the		
	financing of terrorism ('AML/CFT') compliance function in order to address the		
	Third Country Branch's money laundering and terrorist financing risks		
	including:		
	<ul> <li>the development and oversight of a robust AML/CFT framework; and</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>overseeing the implementation and effective application of AML/CFT</li> </ul>		
	systems and controls.		
TCBPR5	Responsibility for the Third Country Branch's compliance with client asset		
	requirements.		
TCBPR6	Responsibility for ensuring that the Third Country Branch has effective		
	processes in place to identify and manage the risks to which the Third Country		
	Branch is or might be exposed.		

TCBPR7	Responsibility for monitoring, and on a regular basis assessing, the adequacy and effectiveness of measures and procedures put in place by the Third Country Branch to comply with its regulatory and supervisory obligations, as well as associated risks.
TCBPR8	Responsibility for the escalation of correspondence from the Central Bank and
	other regulators in respect of the Third Country Branch to the board of the Third
	Country Branch or, where appropriate, of the parent undertaking or holding
	companies of the Third Country Branch's group.
TCBPR9	Responsibility for ensuring that the internal control framework is effective.
TCBPR10	Responsibility for management of the Third Country Branch's capital and
	liquidity or, where relevant, the submission of information to the Central
	Bank/relevant competent authority on the Third Country Branch's capital
	and liquidity position.
TCBPR11	Responsibility for ensuring accuracy, completeness and timely production and
	submission of the Third Country Branch's financial reports and regulatory
	returns.
TCBPR12	Responsibility for the development and maintenance of the Third Country
	Branch's business model by the board.
TCBPR13	Responsibility for managing the Operational Risk within the Third Country
	Branch.

Signed for and on behalf of the

CENTRAL BANK OF IRELAND

on this the [ ] day of []

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