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Q. I am an issuer of preference shares admitted to trading on a regulated market, and I have also issued ordinary shares which are not admitted to trading on a regulated market. Am I obliged under Regulation 27 of the Transparency Regulations to publish a notice or distribute a circular on the allocation and payment of dividends on those ordinary shares?

A. No, it is not necessary to publish a notice or distribute a circular concerning dividends on ordinary shares that are not admitted to trading on a regulated market in these circumstances.



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