

Financial Services and Markets Act 2000

2000 CHAPTER 8

PART VI

OFFICIAL LISTING

[^{F1}[^{F1}Transferable securities: public offers and admission to trading]][[^{F1}Contravention of prohibition relating to public offer of securities]

[^{F1}[^{F2}84 Matters which may be dealt with by prospectus rules

- (1) Prospectus rules may make provision as to—
 - (a) the required form and content of a prospectus F3 ...;
 - (b) the cases in which a summary need not be included in a prospectus;
 - (c) the languages which may be used in a prospectus F4 ...;
 - (d) the determination of the persons responsible for a prospectus;
 - (e) the manner in which applications to the [^{F5}FCA] for the approval of a prospectus are to be made.
- [^{F6}(1A) In subsection (1) "prospectus" includes any part of a prospectus, and in particular includes a summary and a supplement.]

(2) Prospectus rules may also make provision as to-

- (a) the period of validity of a prospectus;
- (b) the disclosure of the maximum price or of the criteria or conditions according to which the final offer price is to be determined, if that information is not contained in a prospectus;
- (c) the disclosure of the amount of the transferable securities which are to be offered to the public or of the criteria or conditions according to which that amount is to be determined, if that information is not contained in a prospectus;
- (d) the required form and content of other summary documents (including the languages which may be used in such a document);

- (e) the ways in which a prospectus that has been approved by the [^{F5}FCA] may be made available to the public;
- (f) the disclosure, publication or other communication of such information as the [^{F5}FCA] may reasonably stipulate;
- (g) the principles to be observed in relation to advertisements in connection with an offer of transferable securities to the public or admission of transferable securities to trading on a regulated market and the enforcement of those principles;
- (h) the suspension of trading in transferable securities where continued trading would be detrimental to the interests of investors;
- $[^{F7}(i)]$ the exercise of entitlements under Article 4 of the prospectus regulation F8]
- ^{F9}(3).....
- (4) Prospectus rules may make provision for the purpose of dealing with matters arising out of or related to any provision of the prospectus [^{F10}regulation].
- $F^{12}(6)$

(7) Nothing in this section affects the [^{F5}FCA's] general power to make prospectus rules.]]

Textual Amendments

- F1 Ss. 84-87R and cross-headings substituted for ss. 84-87 (1.7.2005) by The Prospectus Regulations 2005 (S.I. 2005/1433), reg. 2(1), Sch. 1 para. 5
- F2 S. 84 omitted (30.1.2024 for specified purposes) by virtue of The Public Offers and Admissions to Trading Regulations 2024 (S.I. 2024/105), reg. 2(2)(3), Sch. 3 para. 5 (with regs. 48-50)
- F3 Words in s. 84(1)(a) omitted (21.7.2019) by virtue of The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), 5(2)(a) (with reg. 40)
- F4 Words in s. 84(1)(c) omitted (21.7.2019) by virtue of The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), 5(2)(b) (with reg. 40)
- Words in ss. 73A-84 substituted (24.1.2013 for specified purposes, 1.4.2013 in so far as not already in force) by Financial Services Act 2012 (c. 21), ss.16(2)(3)(a), 122(3) (with Sch. 20); S.I. 2013/113, art. 2(1)(c), Sch. Pt. 3; S.I. 2013/423, art. 3, Sch.
- **F6** S. 84(1A) inserted (21.7.2019) by The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), **5(3)** (with reg. 40)
- **F7** S. 84(2)(i) substituted (21.7.2019) by The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), **5(4)** (with reg. 40)
- F8 Words in s. 84(2)(i) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of The Prospectus (Amendment etc.) (EU Exit) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1234), regs. 1(4), 3 (with savings in S.I. 2019/680, reg. 11 (as amended by S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 29(2))); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)
- F9 S. 84(3) omitted (1.7.2012) by virtue of The Prospectus Regulations 2012 (S.I. 2012/1538), regs. 1(1), 3(1)
- **F10** Word in s. 84(4) substituted (21.7.2019) by The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), **5(5)** (with reg. 40)
- F11 S. 84(5) omitted (21.7.2019) by virtue of The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), 5(6) (with reg. 40)
- F12 S. 84(6) omitted (21.7.2019) by virtue of The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Prospectus) Regulations 2019 (S.I. 2019/1043), regs. 1(1), 5(6) (with reg. 40)

Changes to legislation:

Financial Services and Markets Act 2000, Section 84 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 24 April 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations. View outstanding changes

Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- s. 84(2)(i) words omitted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 6(2) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 6 omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 12)
- s. 84(4) substituted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 6(3) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 6 omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 12)
- s. 84(5) omitted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 6(4) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 6 omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 12)
- s. 84(6) words substituted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 6(5)(a) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 6 omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 12)
- s. 84(6) words substituted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 6(5)(b) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 6 omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 12)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Act associated Parts and Chapters:

- Act applied (with modifications) by S.I. 2023/1347 reg. 8
- Act power to apply conferred (temp. until 15.5.2039) by 2014 c. 21 s. 79(4)
- Act power to apply conferred (temp. until 15.5.2039) by 2014 c. 21 s. 81(10)

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Pt. 17 Ch. 3B inserted by 2023 c. 29 s. 64(3)
- Pt. 20C inserted by 2016 c. 14 s. 30(3)
- s. 31(1)(aa) inserted by 2021 c. 22 s. 22(2)
- s. 32A inserted by 2021 c. 22 s. 22(3)
- s. 32A power to apply (with modifications) conferred by 2021 c. 22 s. 23(10)
- s. 36A and cross-heading inserted by 2021 c. 22 s. 22(4)
- s. 71J and cross-heading inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 4
- s. 86(9A) inserted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 8(9) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 8(6)-(10) omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 13(c))
- s. 87A(11) inserted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 10(5) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 10(4)(5) omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 15(b))
- s. 124(10)(c)(i) word omitted by S.I. 2019/310 reg. 5(11)(b) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 5(11)(b) omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1385, regs. 1(4), 51(2)(e))
- s. 129(7)(a) word inserted by S.I. 2019/310 reg. 5(12)(a)(i) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 5(12)(a)(b) omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1385, regs. 1(4), 51(2)(f))
- s. 129(7)(c) omitted and word by S.I. 2019/310 reg. 5(12)(a)(ii) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 5(12)(a)(b) omitted immediately before IP completion day by virtue of S.I. 2020/1385, regs. 1(4), 51(2)(f))
- s. 214(5A) inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 8
- s. 261E(A1) inserted by 2023 c. 29 s. 64(2)(a)
- s. 367A inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 10
- s. 395(13)(h)(i) inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 12(2)(c)

-	s. 395(13)(bc)-(be) word inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 12(2)(b)	

- s. 395(14) inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 12(3)
- s. 427A(3) words substituted by 2002 c. 40 Sch. 17 para. 59 (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 does not contain a section 427A.)
- Sch. 1ZA para. 32(c) and word inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 8 para. 18
- Sch. 2A para. 19(2)(b)(iia) inserted by 2023 c. 29 Sch. 10 para. 19(a)
- Sch. 2A2B power to apply (with modifications) conferred by 2021 c. 22 s. 23(10)
- Sch. 2A power to apply (with modifications) conferred by 2021 c. 22 s. 23(10)
- Sch. 2B inserted by 2021 c. 22 Sch. 7
- Sch. 2B power to apply (with modifications) conferred by 2021 c. 22 s. 23(10)
- Sch. 11A para. 5(3) inserted by S.I. 2019/707 reg. 38(5)(b) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 38(2)-(5)(7)(8) omitted (6.9.2019) by virtue of S.I. 2019/1234, regs. 1(2), 20)
- Sch. 17A para. 12 words substituted by S.I. 2019/662 reg. 13(1) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 13(1) substituted (25.6.2020) by S.I. 2020/646, regs. 1(2)(c), 11(3))