
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2018 No. 1253

**The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000
(Claims Management Activity) Order 2018**

PART 6

Consequential amendments, revocations and saving and supplemental provisions

CHAPTER 1

Amendment of primary legislation

Legal Services Act 2007

- 95.**—(1) The Legal Services Act 2007⁽¹⁾ is amended as follows.
- (2) In section 8 (the Consumer Panel), in subsection (5) for paragraph (e) substitute—
- “**(e)** an authorised person (within the meaning given in section 31 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (authorised persons)) in relation to regulated claims management activity (within the meaning given by section 417(1) of that Act (definitions));”.
- (3) In section 122 (appointment of the Chief Ombudsman and assistant ombudsmen), for subsection (3) substitute—
- “**(3)** It is a condition of appointment under subsection (1)(b) that the person appointed must not during the appointment carry on for or in expectation of any fee, gain or reward—
- (a) any activity which is a reserved legal activity, or
- (b) a regulated claims management activity (within the meaning given by section 417(1) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (definitions))”.
- (4) Omit section 161 (extension of Part 6 to claims management services).
- (5) In section 173 (the levy)—
- (a) in subsection (5) omit paragraph (b); and
- (b) in subsection (6)(b) omit the words from “or by virtue of” to the end.
- (6) Omit section 174A (OLC expenditure relating to claims management services)⁽²⁾.
- (7) Omit section 187 and Schedule 19 (amendments of Part 2 of the Compensation Act 2006 (claims management services)).
- (8) In section 206 (Parliamentary control of orders and regulations), in subsection (4) omit paragraph (oa)⁽³⁾.
- (9) In Schedule 1 (the Legal Services Board)—
- (a) in paragraph 2—

⁽¹⁾ 2007 c. 29.

⁽²⁾ Section 174A was inserted by the Financial Services (Banking Reform) Act 2013 (c. 33), section 140(4) and (5).

⁽³⁾ Paragraph (oa) of section 206(4) was inserted by the Financial Services (Banking Reform) Act 2013, section 140(4) and (6).

- (i) in sub-paragraph (3) for paragraph (b) substitute—
 - “(b) carry on a regulated claims management activity (within the meaning given by section 417(1) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (definitions)), or”;
 - (ii) in sub-paragraph (4) after paragraph (b) insert—
 - “(ba) an authorised person (within the meaning given in section 31 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (authorised persons)) in relation to regulated claims management activity (within the meaning given by section 417(1) of that Act (definitions));”;
 - (b) in paragraph 3, in sub-paragraph (1) for “Part 2 of the Compensation Act 2006 (c. 29)” substitute “section 419A of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (c. 8)”.
- (10) In Schedule 15 (the Office for Legal Complaints)—
- (a) in paragraph 2, in sub-paragraph (3) after paragraph (a) insert—
 - “(aa) an authorised person (within the meaning given in section 31 of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (authorised persons)) in relation to regulated claims management activity (within the meaning given by section 417(1) of that Act (definitions));”;
 - (b) in paragraph 4, in sub-paragraph (i) for “Part 2 of the Compensation Act 2006 (c. 29)” substitute “section 419A of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (c. 8)”.