#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

## 2017 No. 692

The Money Laundering, Terrorist Financing and Transfer of Funds (Information on the Payer) Regulations 2017

## PART 1

#### Introduction

### Meaning of beneficial owner: bodies corporate or partnership

- **5.**—(1) In these Regulations, "beneficial owner", in relation to a body corporate which is not a company whose securities are listed on a regulated market, means—
  - (a) any individual who exercises ultimate control over the management of the body corporate;
  - (b) any individual who ultimately owns or controls (in each case whether directly or indirectly), including through bearer share holdings or by other means, more than 25% of the shares or voting rights in the body corporate; or
  - (c) an individual who controls the body corporate.
  - (2) For the purposes of paragraph (1)(c), an individual controls a body corporate if—
    - (a) the body corporate is a company or a limited liability partnership and that individual satisfies one or more of the conditions set out in Part 1 of Schedule 1A to the Companies Act 2006 (people with significant control over a company) M1; or
    - (b) the body corporate would be a subsidiary undertaking of the individual (if the individual was an undertaking) under section 1162 (parent and subsidiary undertakings) of the Companies Act 2006 read with Schedule 7 to that Act.
- (3) In these Regulations, "beneficial owner", in relation to a partnership (other than a limited liability partnership), means any individual who—
  - (a) ultimately is entitled to or controls (in each case whether directly or indirectly) more than 25% share of the capital or profits of the partnership or more than 25% of the voting rights in the partnership;
  - (b) satisfies one or more the conditions set out in Part 1 of Schedule 1 to the Scottish Partnerships (Register of People with Significant Control) Regulations 2017 (references to people with significant control over an eligible Scottish partnership) M2; or
  - (c) otherwise exercises ultimate control over the management of the partnership.
- (4) In this regulation "limited liability partnership" has the meaning given by the Limited Liability Partnerships Act  $2000^{M3}$ .

## **Marginal Citations**

**M1** OJ L 156, 19.06.2018, p.43-74.

M2 S.I. 2017/694.

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**M3** 2000 c.12.

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