#### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# The Pensions Dashboards Regulations 2022

### PART 2

Prescribed requirements for qualifying pensions dashboard services

#### **Connection and functionality**

- **8.**—(1) A provider must—
  - (a) register with the Money and Pensions Service, and
  - (b) meet the requirements in paragraphs (2) to (6).
- (2) The provider must connect its pensions dashboard service to the Money and Pensions Service in compliance with—
  - (a) connection and security standards, and
  - (b) technical standards,

published from time to time by the Money and Pensions Service.

- (3) The provider must ensure that its pensions dashboard service complies with service standards and operational standards published from time to time by the Money and Pensions Service.
  - (4) The provider must—
    - (a) if the consent of the user is provided, immediately seek to obtain the user's registered pension identifier from the Money and Pensions Service;
    - (b) if the user has given consent to a delegate to access the user's view data, and if the pensions dashboard service allows for delegated access, enable the delegate to access the user's view data;
    - (c) provide a link to the Money and Pensions Service to enable a user to review, revoke or amend the consents referred to in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b).
  - (5) The provider must issue a view request if—
    - (a) a pension identifier has been obtained,
    - (b) the user requests their view data or state pension information, and
    - (c) the consent of the user is provided in relation to the provider issuing a view request or requesting state pensions information for the user.
  - (6) The provider must notify the Money and Pensions Service without delay of any—
    - (a) connection state changes, such as downtime (whether scheduled or unscheduled) or maintenance, or
    - (b) systemic issues, such as cyber-attacks that could affect the security of the dashboards ecosystem.
  - (7) For the purposes of this regulation, a "delegate" must be—

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- (a) a Money and Pensions Service guider (meaning a person from the Money and Pensions Service whose role involves guiding users of pensions dashboard services),
- (b) a person who has permission under Part 4A of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000(1) (permission to carry on regulated activities) to advise on either of the following—
  - (i) investments as referred to in article 53(1) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) Order 2001(2);
  - (ii) conversion or transfer of pension benefits as referred to in article 53E(1) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) Order 2001(3), or
- (c) another person whom the Money and Pensions Service considers appropriate.
- (8) For the purposes of this regulation and regulation 11, a "view request" also includes a request made by a qualifying pensions dashboard service or by the pensions dashboard service provided by the Money and Pensions Service to a specified authorised person pursuant to section 137FAA (FCA general rules: pensions dashboards) of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000(4).
- (9) For the purposes of this regulation and regulations 9 and 11, "view data" also includes similar data provided by a personal or stakeholder pension scheme pursuant to rules made under section 137FAA (FCA general rules: pensions dashboards).

#### **Commencement Information**

II Reg. 8 in force at 12.12.2022, see reg. 1(2)

<sup>(1) 2000</sup> c. 8. Part 4A was substituted for sections 40 to 55 by section 11(2) of the Financial Services Act 2012 (c. 21).

<sup>(2)</sup> S.I. 2001/544; article 53(1) was amended by S.I. 2016/392, S.I. 2017/488 and S.I. 2017/500.

<sup>(3)</sup> S.I. 2001/544; article 53E was inserted by article 2(1) and (2) of S.I. 2015/731.

<sup>(4)</sup> Section 137FAA was inserted by section 121(2) of the Pension Schemes Act 2021.

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