

Directive 2009/138/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council  
of 25 November 2009 on the taking-up and pursuit of the business of  
Insurance and Reinsurance (Solvency II) (recast) (Text with EEA relevance)

TITLE III

**SUPERVISION OF INSURANCE AND  
REINSURANCE UNDERTAKINGS IN A GROUP**

CHAPTER IV

**Third countries**

*Article 261*

**Parent undertakings outside the Community: equivalence**

1 In the event of equivalent supervision referred to in Article 260, Member States shall rely on the equivalent group supervision exercised by the third-country supervisory authorities, in accordance with paragraph 2.

2 Articles 247 to 258 shall apply *mutatis mutandis* to the cooperation with third-country supervisory authorities.