#### DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 2020 No.

The Securities Financing Transactions, Securitisation and Miscellaneous Amendments (EU Exit) Regulations 2020

# PART 2

Transitional and saving provisions concerning the SFT Regulation

#### **CHAPTER 4**

Registration conversion

## **Registration under the SFT Regulation**

- **19.**—(1) Notwithstanding Articles 5 to 10 of the SFT Regulation, a person to whom this regulation applies is, on and after IP completion day, registered as a trade repository under Chapter III of that Regulation.
- (2) Reference in an enactment to a person registered under that Chapter, however expressed, includes a person registered by virtue of this regulation.

# **Application to regulation 19**

- 20. Regulation 19 applies to a person who—
  - (a) satisfies the conditions in regulation 21; and
  - (b) notifies the FCA in accordance with regulation 22.

# Conditions to be satisfied for regulation 19 to apply

- **21.** The conditions are that the person is a body corporate which, immediately before IP completion day, is—
  - (a) incorporated under the law of any part of the United Kingdom; and
  - (b) registered as a trade repository under the EU SFT Regulation.

### **Notification for registration**

- **22.**—(1) The person must, no later than the final day, notify the FCA that the person wishes to be registered in accordance with regulation 19.
  - (2) For the purposes of paragraph (1), the notification must—
    - (a) be made in such a manner as the FCA may direct; and
    - (b) contain, or be accompany by, such information as the FCA may direct.
  - (3) For the purposes of paragraph (1), the final day is—
    - (a) the day before IP completion day; or

(b) such earlier day as the FCA may direct.

# Acknowledgement of receipt

23. The FCA must, within a period of 10 working days beginning with the day on which it receives a notification under regulation 22, confirm in writing to the person making the notification that the notification has been received.

### FCA response

- **24.** The FCA must, within a period of 20 working days beginning with the day on which it receives a notification under regulation 22—
  - (a) if it considers that the notification complies with the requirements of, or made under, that regulation, confirm in writing to the person making the notification that the notification is valid; or
  - (b) if it considers that the notification does not comply with those requirements—
    - (i) confirm in writing to the person making the notification that the notification is not valid; and
    - (ii) where applicable, inform the person of the steps which need to be taken, and the time within which they need to be taken, for the notification to be considered valid.