### STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# PART II

# SPECIFIED ACTIVITIES

# CHAPTER IV

#### Dealing in Investments as Principal

#### Exclusions

#### **Risk management**

**19.**—(1) A person ("B") does not carry on an activity of the kind specified by article 14 by entering as principal into a transaction with another person ("C") if—

- (a) the transaction relates to investments of the kind specified by any of articles 83 to 85 (or article 89 so far as relevant to any of those articles);
- (b) neither B nor C is an individual;
- (c) the sole or main purpose for which B enters into the transaction (either by itself or in combination with other such transactions) is that of limiting the extent to which a relevant business will be affected by any identifiable risk arising otherwise than as a result of the carrying on of a regulated activity; and
- (d) the relevant business consists mainly of activities other than-
  - (i) regulated activities; or
  - (ii) activities which would be regulated activities but for any exclusion made by this Part.
- (2) In paragraph (1), "relevant business" means a business carried on by-
  - (a) B;
  - (b) a member of the same group as B; or
  - (c) where B and another person are, or propose to become, participators in a joint enterprise, that other person.