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## STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# 2001 No. 544

## The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Regulated Activities) Order 2001

### PART III

#### SPECIFIED INVESTMENTS

##### Government and public securities

**78.**—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), loan stock, bonds and other instruments creating or acknowledging indebtedness, issued by or on behalf of any of the following—

- (a) the government of the United Kingdom;
- (b) the Scottish Administration;
- (c) the Executive Committee of the Northern Ireland Assembly;
- (d) the National Assembly for Wales;
- (e) the government of any country or territory outside the United Kingdom;
- (f) a local authority in the United Kingdom or elsewhere; or
- (g) a body the members of which comprise—
  - (i) states including the United Kingdom or another EEA State; or
  - (ii) bodies whose members comprise states including the United Kingdom or another EEA State.

(2) [<sup>F1</sup>Subject to paragraph (3),] there are excluded from paragraph (1)—

- (a) so far as applicable, the instruments mentioned in article 77(2)(a) to (d);
- (b) any instrument creating or acknowledging indebtedness in respect of—
  - (i) money received by the Director of Savings as deposits or otherwise in connection with the business of the National Savings Bank;
  - (ii) money raised under the National Loans Act 1968 <sup>M1</sup> under the auspices of the Director of Savings or treated as so raised by virtue of section 11(3) of the National Debt Act 1972 <sup>M2</sup>.

[<sup>F2</sup>(3) Paragraph (2)(a) does not exclude an instrument which meets the requirements set out in sub-paragraphs (a) to (e) of article 77A(2).]

##### Textual Amendments

**F1** Words in art. 78(2) inserted (24.2.2010) by [The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 \(Regulated Activities\) \(Amendment\) Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/86\)](#), arts. 1(2), **2(4)**

**F2** Art. 78(3) inserted (24.2.2010) by [The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 \(Regulated Activities\) \(Amendment\) Order 2010 \(S.I. 2010/86\)](#), arts. 1(2), **2(5)**

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