

STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2013 No. 1773

The Alternative Investment Fund Managers Regulations 2013

[^{F1}PART 7

Duties and powers of the FCA

[^{F1}Limits on leverage

68.—(1) The FCA must—

- (a) assess the risks that the use of leverage by full-scope UK AIFMs with respect to the AIFs managed by them could entail;
- (b) use the measures in paragraph (2), if they are necessary in order to ensure the stability and integrity of the financial system, to limit the extent to which the use of leverage by a full-scope UK AIFM with respect to the AIFs managed by it contributes to—
 - (i) the build up of systemic risk in the financial system; or
 - (ii) the risks of disorderly markets.

(2) The measures are—

- (a) imposing limits on the level of leverage that such an AIFM may employ; or
- (b) imposing other restrictions on the management of such an AIF.

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(7) The FCA may use its powers under section 55J and 55L of the Act (variation or cancellation on initiative of regulator and imposition of requirements by the FCA) to impose limits on leverage or other restrictions on the management of an AIF, but this paragraph does not limit the powers of the FCA.]

Textual Amendments

- F1** Regulations revoked (14.12.2023 for the revocation of reg. 79) by [Financial Services and Markets Act 2023 \(c. 29\)](#), s. 86(3), [Sch. 1 Pt. 2](#) (with s. 1(4)); S.I. 2023/1382, reg. 2(c)(vi)
- F2** Reg. 68(3)-(6) omitted (31.12.2020) by virtue of [The Alternative Investment Fund Managers \(Amendment etc.\) \(EU Exit\) Regulations 2019 \(S.I. 2019/328\)](#), regs. 1(3), **11(5)** (as amended by S.I. 2019/325, reg. 58); 2020 c. 1, Sch. 5 para. 1(1)

Changes to legislation:

The Alternative Investment Fund Managers Regulations 2013, Section 68 is up to date with all changes known to be in force on or before 24 June 2024. There are changes that may be brought into force at a future date. Changes that have been made appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

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Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole Instrument associated Parts and Chapters:

Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Instrument (including any effects on those provisions):

- reg. 2(1)(c) words inserted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(2\)\(c\)\(ii\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. This amendment is omitted (20.2.2019) by virtue of [S.I. 2019/328, reg. 20\(3\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#) without ever being in force)
- reg. 2(4) inserted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(3\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 67.6 of the directive as the date when the rules set out in Articles 35 and 37 to 41 of the directive become applicable. No such date has as yet been specified)
- reg. 5A amendment to earlier affecting provision [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(5\)](#) by [S.I. 2019/328 reg. 20\(3\)\(b\)](#) (This S.I. is amended by [S.I. 2019/325, reg. 58](#); This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The original amendments by [S.I. 2013/1797](#) are prospective)
- reg. 5A inserted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(5\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 67.6 of the directive as the date when the rules set out in Articles 35 and 37 to 41 of the directive become applicable. No such date has as yet been specified)
- reg. 88A amendment to earlier affecting provision [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(6\)](#) by [S.I. 2019/328 reg. 20\(3\)\(c\)](#) (This S.I. is amended by [S.I. 2019/325, reg. 58](#); This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The original amendments by [S.I. 2013/1797](#) are prospective)
- reg. 88A substituted for reg. 8 by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(6\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. This amendment is omitted (20.2.2019) by virtue of [S.I. 2019/328, reg. 20\(3\)\(c\)](#) without ever being in force)
- reg. 29(1)(b) substituted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 2 para. 3\(3\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 68.6 of the directive as the date when the national regimes set out in Articles 36 and 42 of the directive are to be terminated. No such date has as yet been specified)
- reg. 49(c) and word inserted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(10\)\(d\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. This amendment is omitted (20.2.2019) by virtue of [S.I. 2019/328, reg. 20\(3\)\(e\)](#) without ever being in force)
- reg. 49(c) omitted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 2 para. 3\(5\)\(c\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 68.6 of the directive as the date when the national regimes set out in Articles 36 and 42 of the directive are to be terminated. No such date has as yet been specified)
- reg. 54(9) amendment to earlier affecting provision [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(12\)\(b\)](#) by [S.I. 2019/328 reg. 20\(3\)\(h\)](#) (This S.I. is amended by [S.I. 2019/325, reg. 58](#); This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. The original amendments by [S.I. 2013/1797](#) are prospective)
- reg. 54(9)(10) inserted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(12\)\(b\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 67.6 of the directive as the date when the rules set out in Articles 35 and 37 to 41 of the directive become applicable. No such date has as yet been specified)

- reg. 56-56C substituted for reg. 56 by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 2 para. 3\(7\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 68.6 of the directive as the date when the national regimes set out in Articles 36 and 42 of the directive are to be terminated. No such date has as yet been specified)
- reg. 59(5) amendment to earlier affecting provision [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(15\)\(b\)](#) by [S.I. 2019/328 reg. 20\(3\)\(i\)\(ii\)](#) (This S.I. is amended by [S.I. 2019/325](#), reg. 58; This amendment not applied to [legislation.gov.uk](#). The original amendments by [S.I. 2013/1797](#) are prospective)
- reg. 59(5)(6) inserted by [S.I. 2013/1797 Sch. 1 para. 2\(15\)\(b\)](#) (This amendment comes into force on the date specified by the delegated act adopted by the European Commission pursuant to Article 67.6 of the directive as the date when the rules set out in Articles 35 and 37 to 41 of the directive become applicable. No such date has as yet been specified)