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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Payment and Electronic Money Institution  
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PART 12

Provisions of general effect

CHAPTER 3

The giving of notice and the supply of documents to or by the administrator

**Authentication**

**256.**—(1) A notice, other document or information given, delivered, sent or supplied in hard copy form is sufficiently authenticated if it is signed by the person giving, delivering, sending or supplying it.

(2) A notice, other document or information given, delivered or sent in electronic form is sufficiently authenticated—

- (a) if the identity of the sender is confirmed in a manner specified by the recipient, or
- (b) where no such manner has been specified by the recipient, if the communication contains or is accompanied by a statement of the identity of the sender and the recipient has no reason to doubt the truth of that statement.

(3) If a notice, other document or information is authenticated by the signature of an individual on behalf of—

- (a) a body of persons, the document must also state the position of that individual in relation to the body;
- (b) a body corporate of which the individual is the sole member, the document must also state that fact.