The UK government has issued some clear and friendly regulations for cryptoassets generally and staking specifically in the past couple of days. You can find full details in the document here:

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(https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/media/653bd1a180884d0013f71cca/Future_financial_services_regulatory_regime_for_cryptoassets_RESPONSE.pdf)

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Or for a tldr; of the document, you can find a good summary from a web3 lawyer in the UK:

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17/Staking: The specific process of operating a validator node using on-chain staked cryptoassets would generally constitute a technical function essential to the operational activities and security of a PoS blockchain. NOT a financial services activity.

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