



Application number (for FCA/PRA use only)

The FCA and PRA have produced notes which will assist both the applicant and the candidate in answering the questions in this form. Please read these notes, which are available on both FCA and PRA websites at: <a href="https://www.handbook.fca.org.uk/handbook/SUP/10C/Annex2D.html">https://www.handbook.fca.org.uk/handbook/SUP/10C/Annex2D.html</a>

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Both the applicant and the candidate will be treated by the FCA and PRA as having taken these notes into consideration when completing this form.

# Short Form A – UK Relevant Authorised Persons and Third Country Relevant Authorised Persons only

## Application to perform senior management functions

FCA Handbook Reference: SUP 10C Annex 2D

PRA Rulebook Reference: Senior Managers Regime - Applications and Notifications

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Name of <i>candidate</i> (to be completed by applicant firm)	
Name of <i>firm</i> (as entered in 2.01)	
Firm reference number <sup>T</sup> (as entered in 2.02)	

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Pers	onal identification details	Section 1
1.01 a	Candidate Individual Reference Number (IRN)	
b	OR name of previous regulatory body	
С	AND previous reference number (if applicable)	
1.02	Title (e.g. Mr, Mrs, Ms, etc)	
1.03	Surname	
1.04	ALL forenames	
1.05	Name commonly known by	
1.06	Date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy)	
1.07	National Insurance number	
1.08	Previous name	
1.09	Date of name change	
1.10 a	Nationality	
b	Passport number (if National Insurance number not available)	

1.11

Place of birth

4	I have supplied further information	YES	NO
7	related to this page in Section 6	1E9	NO _

1.12	а	Private address				
	b			Postcode		
	С	Dates resident at this address (mm/yyyy)	From		То	PRESEN T
		(If address has changed in the last three y three years.)	ears, please	provide addresses	for the pre	vious
1.13	а	Previous address 1				
	b			Postcode		
	С	Dates resident at this address (mm/yyyy)	From		То	
1.14	а	Previous address 2				
	b			Postcode		
	С	Dates resident at this address (mm/yyyy)	From		То	
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2.01		Name of <i>firm</i> making the application	
2.02		Firm Reference Number (FRN)	
2.03	a	Who should the <i>FCA/PRA</i> contact at the <i>firm</i> in relation to this application?	
	b	Position	
	С	Telephone	
	d	Fax	
	e	E-mail	
		I have supplied further inf	ormation Section 6 YES NO

Section 2

Firm identification details

# Arrangement and Senior Management Functions Section 3

3.01	Nature of the arrangement	а	Employee		
	between the candidate and the applicant.	b	Group employee		
			Name of group		
		С	Contract for services		
		d	Partner		
		е	Other		
			Give details		
3.02	management functions	s to b	ple firm, please tick the boxes that e performed. If the senior manage use go to question <b>3.04</b>		
Function	Description of a Senior	Mana	gement Function	Tick (if applicable)	Effective Date
SMF 1	Chief Executive function				
SMF 2	Chief Finance function				
SMF 3	Executive Director				
SMF 4	Chief Risk function				
SMF 5	Head of Internal Audit				
SMF 6	Head of Key Business Area				
SMF 7	Group Entity Senior Man	ager			
SMF 8	Credit Union SMF				
SMF 9	Chairman				
SMF10	Chair of the Risk Commit	tee			
SMF11	Chair of the Audit Committee				
SMF12	Chair of the Remuneration Committee				
SMF13	Chair of the Nomination Committee				
SMF14	Senior Independent Direct	ctor			
SMF16	Compliance Oversight				

SMF17

Money Laundering Reporting

Function	Description of a Senior Mana	gement Function	Tick (if applicable)	Effective Date
SMF18	Other overall responsibility fund	ction		
SMF19	Head of Overseas Branch			
SMF22	Other local responsibility function	on		
SMF24	Chief Operations function			
3.03 Job	title			
Insurance n	nediation			
Will the cand	didate be responsible for Insu	rance mediation at the firm?	YES	NO
(Note: Yes of function))	an only be selected if the indi	vidual is applying for a governing f	unction (other	than a non-executive dire
		I have supplied fu		

#### Complete this section only if the application is on behalf of more than one firm. 3.04

List all firms within the group (including the firm entered in 2.01) for which the candidate requires approval and the requested senior management function for that firm. †

	Firm Reference Number	Name of <i>firm</i>	Senior Management Function	Job title		Effective date
а						
b						
С						
d						
е						
		-	I have supplie related to the	d further information is page in Section 6	YES	NO 🗌

# **Employment History**

Section 4

This section has been removed. However if there has been a change to the detail in this section since your last approval, you must submit a Long Form A as opposed to a Short Form A informing the *FCA* and/or *PRA* of the revised detail.

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5.1 Has / Have a reference or references been obtained from current or previous employer(s) in accordance with the requirements of the FCA or PRA.

If No, please provide details why the reference or references has/have not been obtained.

Please note that a firm is required to use reasonable steps to obtain an appropriate reference from any current or previous employer of the candidate during the last 6 years (see SYSC 22 and Fitness and Propriety 2 in the PRA Rulebook. "Employer" has an extended meaning for these purposes.

YES NO

→ I have supplied further information related to this page in Section 6

YES NO

6.00

- If there is any other information the candidate or the firm considers to be relevant to the
  application, it must be included here.
- · Please provide full details of
  - why the *candidate* is competent and capable to carry out the senior management function(s) applied for;
  - why the appointment complements the firm's business strategy, activity and market in which it operates;
  - how the appointment was agreed including details of any discussions at governing body level (where applicable).
  - Provide a copy of the candidate's:
    - Statement of Responsibilities with this form
    - o Roles description
    - o Curriculum vitae (C.V)
    - Organisational chart
    - Provide a copy of the firm's management responsibilities map (SYSC 4.5, SYSC 4.6 and SUP 10C.9.10G and Allocation of Responsibilities in the PRA Rulebook).
    - A firm should include a summary of any handover material (as referred to in SYSC 4.9.4R to SYSC 4.9.8G and SUP 10C.10.13G) and Senior Management Functions Chapter 2 in the PRA Rulebook.
- Please also include here any additional information indicated in previous sections of the Form.
- Please include a list of all directorships currently or previously held by the *candidate* in the past 10 years (where *director* has the meaning given in the *Glossary*).
- If there is insufficient space, please continue on a separate sheet of paper and clearly identify the section and question to which the additional information relates.
- Full details must be provided here if there were any issues that could affect the Fitness and Propriety of the individual that arose when leaving an employer listed in section 4 or if any question has been answered 'yes' in section 5.

Question	Information

## **Declarations and signatures**

## Section 7

#### Declaration of Candidate

It is a criminal offence, knowingly or recklessly, to give the FCA and/or PRA information that is materially false, misleading or deceptive (see sections 398 and 400 Financial Services and Markets Act 2000). Even if you believe or know that information has been provided to the FCA and/or PRA before (whether as part of another application or otherwise) or is in the public domain, you must nonetheless disclose it clearly and fully in this form and as part of this application – you should not assume that the FCA and/or PRA will itself identify such information during the assessment of this application.

There will be a delay in processing the application if information is inaccurate or incomplete, and it may call into question the suitability of the *candidate* and/or lead to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* exercising their powers (including but not limited to taking disciplinary/ Enforcement action). You must notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* immediately if there is a change to the information in this form and/or if inaccurate information has been provided (insofar as the *FCA* and/or *PRA* are reasonably likely to consider the information material).

The *candidate* confirms that the information provided in this application is accurate and complete to the best of his/her knowledge and that he or she has read the notes to this form. The *candidate* will notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* immediately if there is a material change to the information provided.

The *candidate* confirms that the attached Statement of Responsibilities accurately reflects the aspects of the affairs of the *firm* which it is intended that the *candidate* will be responsible for managing. The *candidate* confirms that they have accepted all the responsibilities set out in this Statement of Responsibilities.

The *candidate* authorises the *FCA* and/or *PRA* to make such enquiries and seek such further information as it thinks appropriate to identify and verify information that it considers relevant to the assessment of this application.

The *candidate* acknowledges and agrees that these checks may include credit reference checks or information pertaining to fitness and propriety, and is aware that the results of these enquiries may be disclosed to the employer/Applicant.

Where applicable, the candidate agrees that he or she may be required to apply for a search to be made as to whether any criminal records are held in relation to him or her and to obtain a certificate (where such certificate can be obtained) and to disclose the result of that search to the *firm* submitting this application.

The candidate agrees that the FCA and/or PRA may use the address specified for the candidate in this form as the proper address for service in the United Kingdom (as defined in the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Service of Notice) Regulations (SI 2001/1420)) to serve any notices on the candidate.

For the purposes of complying with the Data Protection Act 1998, the personal information provided in this form will be used by the *FCA* and *PRA* to discharge their statutory functions under the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 and other relevant legislation, and will not be disclosed for any other purpose without the permission of the *candidate*.

The *candidate* confirms that he or she understands the regulatory responsibilities of the proposed role as set out in the rules of conduct in the *FCA*'s *COCON* and/or the *PRA Rulebook*: Conduct Rules.

The *candidate* is aware that, while advice may be sought from a third party (e.g. legal advice), responsibility for the accuracy of information, as well as the disclosure of relevant information, on the form is ultimately the responsibility of those who sign the application.

In addition to other regulatory responsibilities, *firms*, and *approved persons* have a responsibility to disclose to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* matters of which it would reasonably expect to be notified. Failure to notify the *FCA* and/or *PRA* of such information may lead to the *FCA* and/or *PRA* taking disciplinary or other action against the Applicant and/or the *candidate*.

Tick here to	ick here to confirm you have read and understood this declaration:				
7.01	Name of candidate				
7.02	Signature				
	Date				

#### Declaration of Firm

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The Applicant confirms that the information provided in this application is accurate and complete to the best of its knowledge and that it has read the notes to this form. The Applicant will notify the FCA and/or PRA immediately if there is a material change to the information provided.

The Applicant authorises the FCA and/or PRA to make such enquiries and seek such further information as it thinks appropriate to identify and verify information that it considers relevant to the assessment of this application.

Where applicable, the Applicant confirms that it has requested the fullest information that it is lawfully able to obtain about the *candidate* under Part V of the Police Act 1997 and any related subordinate legislation of the *UK* or any part of the *UK*, and (where available) has given due consideration to that information in determining that *candidate* to be fit and proper.

In making this application the Applicant believes on the basis of due and diligent enquiry and, where applicable, by reference to the criteria in *FIT* in the *FCA handbook* and/or the Fitness and Propriety sections in the *PRA Rulebook* that the *candidate* is a fit and proper person to perform the controlled function(s) listed in section 3.

The Applicant also believes, on the basis of due and diligent enquiry, that the candidate is competent to fulfil the duties required in the performance of such function(s). Note: For *EEA firms*, this would only apply to those *firms* undertaking any Non MiFID business.

The Applicant confirms that it has complied with its obligations under Equality and Diversity legislation when selecting the *candidate* to perform the function(s) applied for.

The Applicant confirms that it has made the *candidate* aware of their regulatory responsibilities as set out in the rules of conduct in the *FCA*'s *COCON* and/or the *PRA Rulebook*: Conduct Rules.

The Applicant confirms that the Statement of Responsibilities submitted with this form accurately reflects the aspects of the affairs of the *Firm* which it is intended that the *candidate* will be responsible for managing.

The Applicant is aware that, while advice may be sought from a third party (e.g. legal advice), responsibility for the accuracy of information, as well as the disclosure of relevant information, on the form is ultimately the responsibility of those who sign the application.

In signing this form on behalf of the Applicant:

I confirm that the information in this form is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief and that I have read the notes to this form.

I confirm that I have authority to make this application and provide the declarations given by the Applicant, and sign this form, on behalf of the *firm* identified in section 2.01 and/or each *firm* identified in section 3.04. I also confirm that a copy of this form, as submitted to the *FCA* and/or *PRA*, will be sent to each of those firms at the same time as submitting the form to the *FCA* and/or *PRA*.

7.03	Name of the <i>firm</i> submitting the application
7.04	Name of <i>person</i> signing on behalf of the <i>firm</i>
7.05	Job title
7.06	Signature
	Date