STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2016 No. 715

The Financial Services and Markets Act 2000 (Transparency of Securities Financing Transactions and of Reuse) Regulations 2016

PART 3

Administration and enforcement

CHAPTER 2

Information gathering

Power of the FCA to require information

- **5.**—(1) This regulation applies where—
 - (a) it is necessary for the FCA to determine whether a person is subject to an SFTR requirement; or
 - (b) the FCA requires information or documents from a non-authorised counterparty in connection with the exercise of its functions under the SFT regulation or these Regulations.
- (2) The FCA may, by notice in writing, require a non-authorised counterparty or any other person—
 - (a) to provide specified information or information of a specified description; or
 - (b) to produce specified documents or documents of a specified description.
 - (3) The information or documents must be provided or produced—
 - (a) before the end of such reasonable period as may be specified; and
 - (b) at such place as may be specified.
- (4) The FCA may require any information provided under this regulation to be provided in such a form as it may reasonably require.
 - (5) The FCA may require—
 - (a) any information provided, whether in a document or otherwise, to be verified in such a manner; or
- (b) any document produced to be authenticated in such a manner, as it may reasonably require.
 - (6) In this regulation "specified" means specified in the notice.

Reports by skilled persons

- **6.**—(1) Section 166(1) of the Act (reports by skilled persons) applies where the FCA has required or could require a non-authorised counterparty to provide information or produce a document under regulation 5 as it applies where the FCA has required or could require a person to provide information or produce a document under the Act with the following modifications.
- (2) In section 166(1) the reference to any matter is to be read as a reference to any matter related to the exercise of the FCA's functions under the SFT regulation.
- (3) In section 166(2)(a) the reference to an authorised person is to be read as a reference to a non-authorised counterparty.

Information and documents: supplemental provisions

- 7.—(1) Section 175(2) of the Act (information and documents: supplemental provisions) applies where the FCA has the power under regulation 5 to require a non-authorised counterparty or any other person to produce a document as it applies where the FCA has a power to require a person to produce a document under Part 11 of the Act with the following modifications.
 - (2) In subsection (1) and (3) of section 175 the reference to an investigator is to be ignored.
 - (3) Section 175(8) is to be ignored.

⁽¹⁾ Section 166 was amended by the Financial Services Act 2012, Schedule 12, paragraph 5.

⁽²⁾ Section 175 was amended by the Financial Services Act 2012, Schedule 12, paragraph 13.