

Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 14 June 2017 on the prospectus to be published when securities are offered to the public or admitted to trading on a regulated market, and repealing Directive 2003/71/EC (Text with EEA relevance)

CHAPTER I

GENERAL PROVISIONS

Article 4

Voluntary prospectus

1 Where an offer of securities to the public or an admission of securities to trading on a regulated market is outside the scope of this Regulation in accordance with Article 1(3), or exempted from the obligation to publish a prospectus in accordance with Article 1(4), 1(5) or 3(2), an issuer, an offeror or a person asking for admission to trading on a regulated market shall be entitled to voluntarily draw up a prospectus in accordance with this Regulation.

2 Such voluntarily drawn up prospectus approved by the competent authority of the home Member State, as determined in accordance with point (m) of Article 2, shall entail all the rights and obligations provided for a prospectus required under this Regulation and shall be subject to all provisions of this Regulation, under the supervision of that competent authority.

Changes to legislation:

There are outstanding changes not yet made to Regulation (EU) 2017/1129 of the European Parliament and of the Council. Any changes that have already been made to the legislation appear in the content and are referenced with annotations.

View outstanding changes

Changes and effects yet to be applied to :

- Regulation power to modify conferred by [2023 c. 29 s. 3Sch. 1 Pt. 1](#)
- Regulation revoked by [2023 c. 29 Sch. 1 Pt. 1](#)
- Art. 4(2) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 35](#)

Changes and effects yet to be applied to the whole legislation item and associated provisions

- Signature words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 69](#)
- Annex A replacement by [EUR 2019/2146 Regulation](#)
- Annex B replacement by [EUR 2019/2146 Regulation](#)
- Annex C replacement by [EUR 2019/2146 Regulation](#)
- Annex D replacement by [EUR 2019/2146 Regulation](#)
- Art. 1(2)(b) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 1(2)(c) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 1(2)(d) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 1(2)(e) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(3\)\(d\)](#)
- Art. 1(4)(b) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(4\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 1(4)(f) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(4\)\(aa\) \(as inserted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 1(4)(g) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(4\)\(bb\) \(as inserted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(a\)](#)
- Art. 1(4)(j) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(4\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 1(5)(e) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(5\)\(a\) \(as substituted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 1(5)(f) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(5\)\(b\) \(as substituted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 1(5)(j)(v) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 32\(5\)](#) (This amendment not applied to legislation.gov.uk. Reg. 32(5) substituted immediately before IP completion day by [S.I. 2020/628, regs. 1\(3\), 17\(3\)\(b\)](#))
- Art. 1(5)(j)(v) words omitted by virtue of [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(5\)\(c\) \(as substituted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(b\)](#)
- Art. 1(5)(ca) inserted by [S.I. 2021/1376 reg. 28\(2\)](#)
- Art. 1(6a)(b) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(5A\) \(as inserted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 1(6c) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 32\(5B\) \(as inserted\) by S.I. 2020/628 reg. 17\(3\)\(c\)](#)
- Art. 2(a) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(b\)](#)
- Art. 2(e) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(c\)](#)
- Art. 2(e) words substituted in earlier amending provision [S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 33\(c\)](#) by [S.I. 2020/1301 reg. 3Sch. para. 48\(c\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 2(g) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(d\)](#)
- Art. 2(j) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(e\)](#)
- Art. 2(l) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(f\)](#)
- Art. 2(m)(n) omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(g\)](#)
- Art. 2(o) word substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(h\)](#)
- Art. 2(r) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(i\)](#)
- Art. 2(t) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(j\)](#)
- Art. 2(u) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(k\)](#)
- Art. 2(v) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(l\)](#)

- Art. 2(w) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(m\)](#)
- Art. 2(za)-(zf) inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 33\(a\)](#)
- Art. 2(ze)(zf) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 33(a) by [S.I. 2020/1301 reg. 3Sch. para. 48\(c\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 2(zg) inserted by [S.I. 2021/1376 reg. 28\(3\)](#)
- Art. 7(5)(d) omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 36\(a\)](#)
- Art. 7(7)(a)(iv) words inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 36\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- Art. 15(1)(c) words substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 43\(b\)\(i\)\(bb\)](#)
- Art. 19(1)(a) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 47\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 19(1)(a) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 47(a)(ii) by [S.I. 2020/1301 reg. 3Sch. para. 48\(d\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 19(1)(j) substituted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 47\(a\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 19(1)(j) words substituted in earlier amending provision S.I. 2019/1234, reg. 47(a)(iii) by [S.I. 2020/1301 reg. 3Sch. para. 48\(d\)\(iii\)](#)
- Art. 29(1)(b) words omitted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 54\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- Art. 45a inserted by [S.I. 2019/1234 reg. 66\(2\)](#)