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Subject:	AMLA - Proposal for a Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council establishing the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism and amending Regulations (EU) No 1093/2010, (EU) 1094/2010, (EU) 1095/2010	
	<ul> <li>Initial positions of the three Institutions prior to commencement of trilogues</li> </ul>	

Delegations will find enclosed the opening position of the three institutions on the proposal

mentioned above, prior to the commencement of the trilogue phase.

## Proposal for a REGULATION OF THE EUROPEAN PARLIAMENT AND OF THE COUNCIL establishing the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism and amending Regulations (EU) No 1093/2010, (EU) 1094/2010, (EU) 1095/2010 (Text with EEA relevance)

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1	2021/0240 (COD)	2021/0240 (COD)	2021/0240 (COD)
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5	Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,	Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,	Having regard to the proposal from the European Commission,
6	After transmission of the draft legislative act to the national parliaments,	After transmission of the draft legislative act to the national parliaments,	After transmission of the draft legislative act to the national parliaments,
6a			<u>3a</u> <u>Having regard to the opinion of the</u> <u>European Central Bank,</u>
7	Having regard to the opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee <sup>1</sup> , $\overline{1. \text{ OJ C}_{,,p}}$	Having regard to the opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee <sup>1</sup> , $\overline{1. \text{ OJ C}_{,, p}}$	Having regard to the opinion of the European Economic and Social Committee <sup>1</sup> , $\overline{1. \text{ OJ C}_{,,p}}$
8	Having regard to the opinion of the European Data Protection Supervisor <sup>1</sup> , $\overline{1. \text{ [add reference] OJ C}, p}$	Having regard to the opinion of the European Data Protection Supervisor <sup>1</sup> , <u>1. [add reference]</u> OJ C , , p	Having regard to the opinion of the European Data Protection Supervisor <sup>1</sup> , <u>1. [add reference]</u> OJ C , , p

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9	Acting in accordance with the ordinary legislative procedure,	Acting in accordance with the ordinary legislative procedure,	Acting in accordance with the ordinary legislative procedure,
10	Whereas:	Whereas:	Whereas:
11	(1) Experience with the current Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (AML/CTF) framework, which heavily relies on the national implementation of AML/CFT measures, has disclosed weaknesses not only with regard to the efficient functioning of the AML/CFT framework of the Union but also with regards to integrating international recommendations. Those weaknesses lead to the emergence of new obstacles to the proper functioning of internal market both due to the risks within the internal market as well as external threats facing the internal market.	(1) Experience with the current Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (AML/CTF) framework, which heavily relies on the national implementation of AML/CFT measures, has disclosed weaknesses not only with regard to the efficient functioning of the AML/CFT framework of the Union but also with regards to integrating international recommendations. Those weaknesses lead to the emergence of new obstacles to the proper functioning of internal market both due to the risks within the internal market as well as external threats facing the internal market.	(1) Experience with the current Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism (AML/CTF) framework, which heavily relies on the national implementation of AML/CFT measures, has disclosed weaknesses not only with regard to the efficient functioning of the AML/CFT framework of the Union but also with regards to integrating international recommendations. Those weaknesses lead to the emergence of new obstacles to the proper functioning of internal market both due to the risks within the internal market as well as external threats facing the internal market.
12	(2) Cross-border nature of crime and criminal proceeds endanger Union financial system efforts relating to prevention of money laundering and financing of terrorism. Those efforts have to be tackled at Union level through the creation of an Authority responsible	<ul><li>(2) Cross-border nature of crime and criminal proceeds endanger Union financial system efforts relating to prevention of money laundering and financing of terrorism. Those efforts have to be tackled at Union level through the creation of an Authority</li></ul>	(2) Cross-border nature of crime, <i>especially</i> organised crime, and criminal proceeds endanger Union financial system efforts relating to prevention of money laundering and financing of terrorism. Those efforts have to be tackled at Union level through the creation of an

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	for contributing to the implementation of harmonised rules. In addition, the Authority should pursue a harmonised approach to strengthen the Union's existing AML/CFT preventive framework, and specifically AML supervision and cooperation between FIUs. That approach should reduce divergences in national legislation and supervisory practices and introduce structures that benefit the smooth functioning of the internal market in a determined manner and should, consequently, be based on Article 114 TFEU.	responsible for contributing to the implementation of harmonised rules. In addition, the Authority should pursue a harmonised approach to strengthen the Union's existing AML/CFT preventive framework, and specifically AML supervision and cooperation between FIUs. That approach should reduce divergences in national legislation and supervisory practices and introduce structures that benefit the smooth functioning of the internal market in a determined manner and should, consequently, be based on Article 114 TFEU.	Authority responsible for contributing to the implementation of harmonised rules. In addition, the Authority should pursue a harmonised approach to strengthen the Union's existing AML/CFT preventive framework, and specifically AML supervision and cooperation between FIUs. That approach should reduce divergences in national legislation and supervisory practices and introduce structures that benefit the smooth functioning of the internal market in a determined manner and should, consequently, be based on Article 114 TFEU. <i>Moreover, it should strengthen the financial system's resilience by tackling ML/TF risks, including those originating from third countries.</i>
13	(3) Therefore, a European Authority for anti- money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, the Anti-Money Laundering Authority ('the Authority') should be established. The creation of this new Authority is crucial to ensure efficient and adequate supervision of obliged entities having high inherent Money Laundering/Terrorist Financing (ML/TF) risk, strengthening common supervisory approaches for non-selected obliged entities and facilitating joint analyses and cooperation between Financial Investigation Units (FIUs).	(3) Therefore, a European Authority for anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, the Anti-Money Laundering Authority ('the Authority') should be established. The creation of this new Authority is crucial to ensure efficient and adequate supervision of obliged entities having high <i>inherent</i> Money Laundering/Terrorist Financing (ML/TF) risk, strengthening common supervisory approaches for non-selected obliged entities and facilitating joint analyses and cooperation between Financial Investigation	(3) Therefore, a European Authority for anti- money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, the Anti-Money Laundering Authority ('the Authority') should be established. The creation of this new Authority is crucial to ensure efficient and adequate supervision of obliged entities <i>having high</i> <i>inherent[hat pose a high risk with regard to</i> Money Laundering/Terrorist Financing (ML/TF) <i>risk</i> , strengthening common supervisory approaches for non-selected obliged entities and facilitating joint analyses and cooperation between Financial Investigation

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14	(4) This new instrument is part of a comprehensive package aiming at strengthening the Union's AML/CFT framework. Together, this instrument, Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive], Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for a recast of Regulation (EU) 2015/847] and Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for the Anti- Money Laundering Regulation] will form the legal framework governing the AML/CFT requirements to be met by obliged entities and underpinning the Union's AML/CFT institutional framework.	<ul> <li>(4) This new instrument is part of a comprehensive package aiming at strengthening the Union's AML/CFT framework. Together, this instrument, Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive], Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for a recast of Regulation (EU) 2015/847] and Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for the Anti-Money Laundering Regulation] will form the legal framework governing the AML/CFT requirements to be met by obliged entities and underpinning the Union's AML/CFT institutional framework.</li> </ul>	(4) This new instrument is part of a comprehensive package aiming at strengthening the Union's AML/CFT framework. Together, this instrument, Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive], Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for a recast of Regulation (EU) 2015/847] and Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for the Anti-Money Laundering Regulation] will form the legal framework governing the AML/CFT requirements to be met by obliged entities and underpinning <i>thea</i> Union's AML/CFT institutional framework <i>that has been strengthened with a view to tackling internal risks and risks originating from third countries.</i> -
15	(5) To bring AML/CFT supervision to an efficient and uniform level across the Union, it is necessary to provide the Authority with the following powers: direct supervision of a certain number of selected obliged entities of the financial sector; monitoring, analysis and exchange of information concerning ML/TF risks affecting internal market; coordination	(5) To bring AML/CFT supervision to an efficient and uniform level across the Union, it is necessary to provide the Authority with the following powers: direct supervision of a certain number of selected obliged entities of the financial sector, <i>including crypto-asset service providers</i> ; monitoring, analysis and exchange of information concerning ML/TF	(5) To bring AML/CFT supervision to an efficient and uniform level across the Union, it is necessary to provide the Authority with the following powers: direct supervision of a certain number of selected obliged entities of the financial sector, <i>including crypto-asset service providers</i> ; monitoring, analysis and exchange of information concerning ML/TF risks affecting

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16	<ul> <li>(6) Combining both direct and indirect supervisory competences over obliged entities, and also functioning as a support and cooperation mechanism for FIUs, is the most appropriate means of bringing about supervision and cooperation between FIUs at Union level. This should be achieved by creating an Authority which should combine independence and a high level of technical expertise and which should be established in line with the Joint Statement and Common Approach of the European Parliament, the Council of the European Union and the European Commission on decentralised agencies<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. https://europa.eu/european-union/sites/default/files/docs/body/joint_statement_and_c ommon_approach_2012_en.pdf.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(6) Combining both direct and indirect supervisory competences over obliged entities, and also functioning as a support and <i>cooperation_coordination</i> mechanism for FIUs, is the most appropriate means of bringing about supervision and cooperation between FIUs at Union level. This should be achieved by creating an Authority which should combine independence and a high level of technical expertise and which should be established in line with the Joint Statement and Common Approach of the European Parliament, the Council of the European Union and the European Commission on decentralised agencies<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. https://europa.eu/european-union/sites/default/files/docs/body/joint_statement_and _common_approach_2012_en.pdf.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(6) Combining both direct and indirect supervisory competences over obliged entities, and also functioning as a support and <i>cooperationcoordination</i> mechanism for FIUs, is the most appropriate means of bringing about supervision and cooperation between FIUs at Union level. This should be achieved by creating an Authority which should combine independence and a high level of technical expertise and which should be established in line with the Joint Statement and Common Approach of the European Parliament, the Council of the European Union and the European Commission on decentralised agencies<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. [1]https://europa.eu/european-union/sites/default/files/docs/body/joint_statement_and_common_approach_2012_en.pdf.</li> </ul>
17	(7) A seat agreement should be established	(7) A seat agreement should be established	(7) <i>A seat agreement<u>The arrangements</u></i>

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	between the Authority and the host Member State, stipulating the conditions of establishment of the seat and advantages conferred by the Member State on the Authority and its staff.	between the Authority and the host Member State, stipulating the conditions of establishment of the seat and advantages conferred by the Member State on the Authority and its staff.	<i>concerning the seat of the Authority</i> should be <i>establishedlaid down in a headquarters</i> <i>agreement</i> between the Authority and the host Member State, <i>stipulating</i> . <i>The headquarters</i> <i>agreement should stipulate</i> the conditions of establishment of the seat and <u>the</u> advantages conferred by the Member State on the Authority and its staff. <i>In line with the Common</i> <i>Approach, the Authority should conclude a</i> <i>headquarters agreement with the host Member</i> <i>State in a timely manner before it begins</i> <i>operations. In light of the case-law of the</i> <i>Court of Justice, the choice of the location of</i> <i>the seat should be made in accordance with the</i> <i>ordinary legislative procedure and should</i> <i>comply with the criteria laid down in this</i> <i>Regulation.</i>
18	(8) The powers of the Authority should allow it to improve AML/CFT supervision in the Union in various ways. With respect to selected obliged entities, the Authority should ensure group-wide compliance with the requirements laid down in the AML/CFT framework and any other legally binding Union acts that impose AML/CFT-related obligations on financial institutions. Furthermore, the Authority should carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of	(8) The powers of the Authority should allow it to improve AML/CFT supervision in the Union in various ways. With respect to selected obliged entities, the Authority should ensure group-wide compliance with the requirements laid down in the AML/CFT framework and any other legally binding Union acts that impose AML/CFT-related obligations on financial institutions. Furthermore, the Authority should carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all financial supervisors have adequate resources and	(8) The powers of the Authority should allow it to improve AML/CFT supervision in the Union in various ways. With respect to selected obliged entities, the Authority should ensure group-wide compliance with the requirements laid down in the AML/CFT framework and any other legally binding Union acts that impose AML/CFT-related obligations on financial institutions. Furthermore, the Authority should carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all financial supervisors <i>have adequate resources</i> <i>and powers necessary for the performance</i>

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	their tasks. It should facilitate the functioning of the AML supervisory colleges and contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards. With respect to non-financial supervisors, including self-regulatory bodies where appropriate, the Authority should coordinate peer reviews of supervisory standards and practices and request non-financial supervisors to investigate possible breaches of AML/CFT requirements. In addition, the Authority should coordinate the conduct of joint analyses by FIUs and make available to FIUs IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, including through hosting of FIU.net.	powers necessary for the performance of their tasks. It should facilitate the functioning of the AML supervisory colleges and contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards. With respect to non-financial supervisors, including self-regulatory bodies where appropriate, the Authority should coordinate peer reviews of supervisory standards and practices and request non- financial supervisors to investigate possible breaches of AML/CFT requirements. In addition, the Authority should coordinate the conduct of joint analyses by FIUs and make available to FIUs, <i>IT tools and services to</i> <i>enhance the analysis capabilities, as well</i> IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, including through hosting of FIU.net.	<i>ofperform</i> their tasks <i>adequately</i> . It should facilitate the functioning of the <i>AML_AML/CFT</i> supervisory colleges and contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards. With respect to non-financial supervisors, including self-regulatory bodies where appropriate, the Authority should coordinate peer reviews of supervisory standards and practices and request non-financial supervisors to <i>investigate possible</i> <i>breachesensure the observance</i> of AML/CFT requirements <i>in their sphere of competence</i> . In addition, the Authority should <i>be able to</i> <i>initiate</i> , coordinate <i>and support</i> the conduct of joint analyses <i>byalongside</i> FIUs and make available to FIUs IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, including through hosting of FIU.net.
19	(9) With the objective to strengthen AML/CFT rules at Union level and to enhance their clarity while ensuring consistency with international standards and other legislation, it is necessary to establish the coordinating role of the Authority at Union level in relation to all types of obliged entities to assist national supervisors and promote supervisory convergence, in order to increase the efficiency of the implementation of AML/CFT measures, also in the non-	(9) With the objective to strengthen AML/CFT rules at Union level and to enhance their clarity while ensuring consistency with international standards and other legislation, it is necessary to establish the coordinating role of the Authority at Union level in relation to all types of obliged entities to assist national supervisors and promote supervisory convergence, in order to increase the efficiency of the implementation	(9) With the objective to strengthen AML/CFT rules at Union level and to enhance their clarity while ensuring consistency with international standards and other legislation, it is necessary to establish the coordinating role of the Authority at Union level in relation to all types of obliged entities to assist national supervisors and promote supervisory convergence, in order to increase the efficiency of the implementation of AML/CFT measures, also in the non-financial

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financial sector. Consequently, the Authority should be mandated to prepare regulatory technical standards, to adopt guidelines, recommendations and opinions with the aim that where supervision remains at national level, the same supervisory practices and standards apply in principle to all comparable entities. The Authority should be entrusted, due to its highly specialised expertise, with the development of a supervisory methodology, in line with a risk-based approach. Certain aspects of the methodology, which can incorporate harmonised quantitative benchmarks, such as approaches for classifying the inherent risk profile of obliged entities should be detailed in directly applicable binding regulatory measures – regulatory or implementing technical standards. Other aspects, which require wider supervisory discretion, such as approaches to assessing residual risk profile and internal controls in the obliged entities should be covered by non-binding guidelines, recommendations and opinions of the Authority. The harmonised supervisory methodology should take due account of, and where appropriate, leverage the existing supervisory methodologies relating to other aspects of supervision of the financial sector obliged entities, especially where there is interaction between AML/CFT supervision and prudential supervision. Specifically, the supervisory methodology to be developed by	of AML/CFT measures, also in the non- financial sector. Consequently, the Authority should be mandated to prepare regulatory technical standards, to adopt guidelines, recommendations and opinions with the aim that where supervision remains at national level, the same supervisory practices and standards apply in principle to all comparable entities. The Authority should be entrusted, due to its highly specialised expertise, with the development of a supervisory methodology, in line with a risk- based approach. Certain aspects of the methodology, which can incorporate harmonised quantitative benchmarks, such as approaches for classifying the inherent risk profile of obliged entities should be detailed in directly applicable binding regulatory measures – regulatory or implementing technical standards. Other aspects, which require wider supervisory discretion, such as approaches to assessing residual risk profile and internal controls <i>inof</i> the obliged entities should be covered by non-binding guidelines, recommendations and opinions of the Authority. The harmonised supervisory methodology should take due account of, and where appropriate, leverage the existing supervisory methodologies relating to other aspects of supervision of the financial sector	sector. Consequently, the Authority should be mandated to prepare regulatory technical standards, to adopt guidelines, recommendations and opinions with the aim that where supervision remains at national level, the same supervisory practices and standards apply in principle to all comparable entities. The Authority should be entrusted, due to its highly specialised expertise, with the development of a supervisory methodology, in line with a risk- based approach. Certain aspects of the methodology, which can incorporate harmonised quantitative benchmarks, such as approaches for classifying the <i>inherent risk</i> <i>profileresidual risk profiles</i> of obliged entities should be detailed in directly applicable binding regulatory measures – regulatory or implementing technical standards. <i>Other</i> <i>aspects, which require wider supervisory</i> <i>discretion, such as approaches to assessing</i> <i>residual risk profile and internal controls in the</i> <i>obliged entities should be covered by non</i> <i>binding guidelines, recommendations and</i> <i>opinions of the Authority, drawing a distinction</i> <i>between obliged entities based on the type and</i> <i>nature of money laundering and terrorism</i> <i>financing risks to which they are exposed</i> . The harmonised supervisory methodology should take due account of, and where appropriate, leverage the existing supervisory methodologies relating to other aspects of supervision of the financial sector obliged entities, especially

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20	(10) The Authority should be empowered to develop regulatory technical standards in order to complete the harmonised rulebook established in the [please insert references – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive, Anti-money laundering Regulation and proposal for a recast of Regulation (EU) 2015/847]. The Commission should endorse draft regulatory technical standards by means of delegated acts pursuant to Article 290 TFEU in order to give them binding legal effect. They should be subject to amendment only in very restricted and extraordinary circumstances, since the Authority is the actor in close contact with and knowing best the AML/CFT framework. To ensure a smooth and expeditious adoption process for those	(10) The Authority should be empowered to develop regulatory technical standards in order to complete the harmonised rulebook established in the [please insert references – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive, Anti-money laundering Regulation and proposal for a recast of Regulation (EU) 2015/847]. The Commission should endorse draft regulatory technical standards by means of delegated acts pursuant to Article 290 TFEU in order to give them binding legal effect. They should be subject to amendment only in very restricted and extraordinary circumstances, since the Authority is the actor in close contact with and knowing best the AML/CFT framework. To ensure a smooth and expeditious adoption process for	(10) The Authority should be empowered to develop regulatory technical standards in order to complete the harmonised rulebook established in the [please insert references – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive, Anti-money laundering Regulation and proposal for a recast of Regulation (EU) 2015/847]. The Commission should endorse draft regulatory technical standards by means of delegated acts pursuant to Article 290 TFEU in order to give them binding legal effect. They should be subject to amendment only in very restricted and extraordinary circumstances, since the Authority is the actor in close contact with and knowing best the AML/CFT framework. To ensure a smooth and expeditious adoption process for those standards, the

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2	21	(11) The Commission should also be empowered to adopt implementing technical standards by means of implementing acts pursuant to Article 291 TFEU.	(11) The Commission should also be empowered to adopt implementing technical standards by means of implementing acts pursuant to Article 291 TFEU.	(11) The Commission should also be empowered to adopt implementing technical standards by means of implementing acts pursuant to Article 291 TFEU.
	22	(12) Since there are no sufficiently effective arrangements to handle AML/CFT incidents involving cross-border aspects it is necessary to put in place an integrated AML/CFT supervisory system at Union level that ensures consistent high-quality application of the AML/CFT supervisory methodology and promotes efficient cooperation between all relevant competent authorities. For these reasons, the Authority and national AML/CFT supervisory authorities ('supervisory authorities') should constitute an AML/CFT supervisory system. This would also benefit supervisory authorities when facing specific challenges, for example vis-à-vis an enhanced AML/CFT risk or due to a lack of resources, as within that system mutual assistance should be possible on request. This could involve exchange and secondments of personnel,	(12) Since there are no sufficiently effective arrangements to handle AML/CFT incidents involving cross-border aspects it is necessary to put in place an integrated AML/CFT supervisory system at Union level that ensures consistent high-quality application of the AML/CFT supervisory methodology and promotes efficient cooperation between all relevant competent authorities. For these reasons, the Authority and national AML/CFT supervisory authorities ('supervisory authorities') should constitute an AML/CFT supervisory system. This would also benefit supervisory authorities when facing specific challenges, for example vis-à-vis an enhanced AML/CFT risk or due to a lack of resources, as within that system mutual assistance should be possible on request. This could involve exchange and	(12) Since there are no sufficiently effective arrangements to handle AML/CFT incidents involving cross-border aspects it is necessary to put in place an integrated AML/CFT supervisory system at Union level that ensures consistent high-quality application of the AML/CFT supervisory methodology and promotes efficient cooperation between all relevant competent authorities. For these reasons, the Authority and national AML/CFT supervisory authorities ('supervisory authorities') should constitute an AML/CFT supervisory system <u>as defined in this</u> <u>Regulation</u> . This would also benefit supervisory authorities when facing specific challenges, for example vis-à-vis an enhanced AML/CFT risk or due to a lack of resources, as within that system mutual assistance should be possible on request. This could involve exchange and

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	training activities and exchanges of best practices. Furthermore, the Commission could provide technical support to Member States under Regulation (EU) 2021/240 of the European Parliament and of the Council to promote reforms aimed at reinforcement of the fight against money laundering. <sup>1</sup> <u>1. Regulation (EU) 2021/240 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 February 2021 establishing a</u> Technical Support Instrument (OJ L 57, 18.2.2021, p. 1).	secondments of personnel, training activities and exchanges of best practices. Furthermore, the Commission could provide technical support to Member States under Regulation (EU) 2021/240 of the European Parliament and of the Council to promote reforms aimed at reinforcement of the fight against money laundering. <sup>1</sup> <u>1. Regulation (EU) 2021/240 of the European</u> Parliament and of the Council of 10 February 2021 establishing a Technical Support Instrument (OJ L 57, 18.2.2021, p. 1).	secondments of personnel, training activities and exchanges of best practices, <i>including on</i> <i>data protection</i> . Furthermore, the Commission could provide technical support to Member States under Regulation (EU) 2021/240 of the European Parliament and of the Council to promote reforms aimed at reinforcement of the fight against money laundering. <sup>1</sup> 1. Regulation (EU) 2021/240 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 February 2021 establishing a Technical Support Instrument (OJ L 57, 18.2.2021, p. 1).
23	(13) Considering the important role of thematic reviews in AML/CFT supervision across the Union as they enable to identify and compare the level of exposure to risks and trends in relation to obliged entities under supervision, and that currently supervisors in different Member States do not benefit from these reviews, it is necessary that the Authority identifies national thematic reviews that have a similar scope and time-frame and ensures their coordination at the level of the Union. To avoid situations of possibly conflicting communications with supervised entities, the coordination role of the Authority should be limited to interaction with relevant supervisory authorities, and should not include any direct interaction with non-selected obliged entities.	(13) Considering the important role of thematic reviews in AML/CFT supervision across the Union as they enable to identify and compare the level of exposure to risks and trends in relation to obliged entities under supervision, and that currently supervisors in different Member States do not benefit from these reviews, it is necessary that the Authority identifies national thematic reviews that have a similar scope and time-frame and ensures their coordination at the level of the Union. To avoid situations of possibly conflicting communications with supervised entities, the coordination role of the Authority should be limited to interaction with relevant supervisory authorities, and should not	(13) Considering the important role of thematic reviews in AML/CFT supervision across the Union as they enable to identify and compare the level of exposure to risks and trends in relation to obliged entities under supervision, and that currently supervisors in different Member States do not benefit from these reviews, it is necessary that the Authority identifies national thematic reviews that have a similar scope and time-frame and ensures their coordination at the level of the Union. To avoid situations of possibly conflicting communications with supervised entities, the coordination role of the Authority should <u>in</u> <u>principle</u> be limited to interaction with relevant supervisory authorities, and should not include any direct interaction with non-selected obliged

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	For the same reason, the Authority should explore the possibility of aligning or synchronising the timeframe of the national thematic reviews and facilitate any activities that the relevant supervisory authorities may wish to carry out jointly or similarly.	include any direct interaction with non- selected obliged entities. For the same reason, the Authority should explore the possibility of aligning or synchronising the timeframe of the national thematic reviews and facilitate any activities that the relevant supervisory authorities may wish to carry out jointly or similarly.	entities, <i>except in duly justified cases</i> . For the same reason, the Authority should explore the possibility of aligning or synchronising the timeframe of the national thematic reviews and facilitate any activities that the relevant supervisory authorities may wish to carry out jointly or similarly.
24	(14) The efficient usage of data leads to better monitoring and compliance of firms. Therefore, both direct and indirect supervision by the Authority and supervisory authorities of all obliged entities across the system should rely on expedient access to relevant data and information about the obliged entities themselves and the supervisory actions and measures taken towards them. To that end, the Authority should establish a central AML/CFT database with information collected from all supervisory authorities, and should make such information selectively available to any supervisory authority within the system. This data should also cover withdrawal of authorisation procedures, fit and proper assessments of shareholders and members of individual obliged entities as this will enable relevant authorities to duly consider possible shortcomings of specific entities and individuals that might have materialised in	(14) The efficient usage of data leads to better monitoring and compliance of firms. Therefore, both direct and indirect supervision by the Authority and supervisory authorities of all obliged entities across the system should rely on expedient access to relevant data and information about the obliged entities themselves and the supervisory actions and measures taken towards them. To that end, the Authority should establish a central AML/CFT database with information collected from all supervisory authorities, <i>without any</i> <i>reference to specific STRs</i> , and should make such information selectively available to any supervisory authority within the system <i>and</i> <i>non-AML/CFT authorities for the purposes</i> <i>of facilitating their respective activities and</i> <i>without prejudice of applicable professional</i> <i>secrecy requirements</i> . This data should also cover <i>withdrawal of authorisation</i>	(14) The efficient usage of data leads to better monitoring and compliance of firms. Therefore, both direct and indirect supervision by the Authority and supervisory authorities of all obliged entities across the system should rely on expedient access to relevant data and information about the obliged entities themselves and the supervisory actions and measures taken towards them, <i>subject to limited</i> <i>retention periods in accordance with the</i> <i>applicable data protection framework</i> . To that end, <i>and taking into account the confidential</i> <i>and sensitive nature of the information</i> , the Authority should establish a central AML/CFT database with information collected from all supervisory authorities, and should make such information <i>selectively</i> available to any supervisory authority within the system <i>when</i> <i>necessary, on a confidential and need-to-know</i> <i>basis. To that end, the Authority should use</i> <i>innovative technological solutions, including</i>

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	other Member States. The database should also	procedures, fit and proper assessments of	<b><u>blockchain</u></b> . This data should also cover
	include statistical information about	shareholders and members of individual obliged entities as this will enable relevant	withdrawal of authorisation procedures, fit and
	supervisory and other public authorities		proper assessments of shareholders and
	involved in AML/CFT supervision. Such	authorities to duly consider possible	members of individual obliged entities as this
	information would enable effective oversight	shortcomings of specific entities and	will enable relevant authorities to duly consid
	by the Authority of the proper functioning and	individuals that might have materialised in	possible shortcomings of specific entities and
	effectiveness of the AML/CFT supervisory	other Member Statesrelevant information	individuals that might have materialised in oth
	system. The information from the database	for the purposes of AML/CFT supervisory	Member States. The database should also
	would enable the Authority to react in a timely	activities provided by non-AML/CFT	include the information included in the
	manner to potential weaknesses and cases of	authorities as well as other prudential	common regulatory templates submitted by
	non-compliance by non-selected obliged	national authorities and bodies. When	selected and non-selected obliged entities,
	entities. Pursuant to Article 24 of Council	collecting data from non-financial	consolidated information from selected and
	Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 <sup>1</sup> , the Authority will	supervisors, the Authority should take	non-selected obliged entities that might be
	without undue delay report to the EPPO any	account of the specificities and exposure to	relevant for benchmarking purposes in the r
	criminal conduct in respect of which it could	risk of the concerned activities according to	assessment process for the selection of direct
	exercise its competence in accordance with	the principle of proportionality.	supervised obliged entities, risk indicators of
	Article 22 and Article 25(2) and (3) of that		obliged entities, qualitative information
	Regulation. Pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation	This data, their transmission procedure and	regarding supervisory plans, statistical
	883/2013 <sup>2</sup> , the Authority will transmit to OLAF	its timing should be specified in a	information about supervisory and other publ
	without delay any information relating to	regulatory technical standard. The database	authorities involved in AML/CFT supervisior
	possible cases of fraud, corruption or any other	should could also include data which due to	as well as information pertaining to
	illegal activity affecting the financial interests	its nature might require prior approval of	weaknesses identified during supervision an
	of the Union.	the supervisory authorities which provided	authorisation procedures. Such information
		this data before it is shared, and statistical	would enable effective oversight by the
	1. Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 of 12 October	information about supervisory and other	Authority of the proper functioning and
	2017 implementing enhanced cooperation on the	public authorities involved in AML/CFT	effectiveness of the AML/CFT supervisory
	establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office ('the EPPO') (OJ L 283, 31.10.2017, p. 1).	supervision. Such information would enable	system. The information from the database
	2. Regulation (EU, EURATOM) No 883/2013 of the	effective oversight by the Authority of the	would enable the Authority to react in a time
	European Parliament and of the Council of 11 September	proper functioning and effectiveness of the	manner to potential weaknesses and cases of
	2013 concerning investigations conducted by the	AML/CFT supervisory system. The	non-compliance by non-selected obliged
	European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) and repealing	information from the database would enable	entities. Pursuant to Article 24 of Council
	Regulation (EC) No 1073/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Council Regulation	the Authority to react in a timely manner to	Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 <sup>1</sup> , the Authority w
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	(Euratom) No 1073/1999 (OJ L 248, 18.9.2013, p. 1).	potential weaknesses and cases of non- compliance by non-selected obliged entities. Pursuant to Article 24 of Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 <sup>1</sup> , the Authority will without undue delay report to the EPPO any criminal conduct in respect of which it could exercise its competence in accordance with Article 22 and Article 25(2) and (3) of that Regulation. Pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation 883/2013 <sup>2</sup> , the Authority will transmit to OLAF without delay any information relating to possible cases of fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the Union. <u>1. Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939 of 12 October</u> 2017 implementing enhanced cooperation on the establishment of the European Public Prosecutor's Office ('the EPPO') (OJ L 283, 31.10.2017, p. 1). 2. Regulation (EU, EURATOM) No 883/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 11 September 2013 concerning investigations conducted by the European Anti-Fraud Office (OLAF) and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1073/1999 of the European Parliament and of the Council and Council Regulation (Euratom) No 1073/1999 (OJ L 248, 18.9.2013, p. 1).	without undue delay report to the EPPO any criminal conduct in respect of which it could exercise its competence in accordance with Article 22 and Article 25(2) and (3) of that Regulation. Pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation 883/2013 <sup>2</sup> , the Authority will transmit to OLAF without delay any information relating to possible cases of fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the Union.
24a			(14a) <u>The Authority should establish and keep</u> up-to-date a central database of information relevant for the AML/CFT supervisory system. That database should include, in particular,

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		information regarding the fit-and-proper assessment, obliged entities' weaknesses in complying with AML/CFT requirements, sanctions and supervisory responses to those weaknesses, results of the Authority's inspections, outcomes of supervisory activities, results from supervisory inspections and other relevant information for risk assessment purposes. The personal data processed should be retained for a period of up to 10 years after the date of their collection by the Authority. Such duration of the retention period is strictly necessary and proportionate for the purpose of supervisory activities carried out by the Authority and supervisory authorities. The length of the data retention period ensures that the Authority and supervisory authorities retain access to the necessary information on the risk assessment, business activities, controls in place and breaches of individual obliged entities in order to carry out their duties, which requires them to access case- related information of the retention period of time. Such duration of the retention period is notably necessary since supervisory authorities should take into account, among other factors, the gravity, the duration and the repetitiveness of the breach to determine the level of sanctions or measures to be applied, which requires to analyse case-related information regarding a longer period of reference. Similarly, such duration of the data retention
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			period is also necessary with regard to information resulting from fit-and-proper assessments of shareholders or members of the management in order to ensure that supervisory authorities have sufficient information to assess whether they are of good repute, act with honesty and integrity and possesses the knowledge and expertise necessary to carry out their functions, and to ensure ongoing monitoring of those conditions as required by [AMLD]. Personal data should be deleted where it is no longer necessary to keep them. On a case-by-case basis, and based on a regular assessment of their necessity, personal data may be deleted before the expiry of that period.
24b			(14b) To enable the Authority to carry out its duties, the supervisory authorities should provide the Authority with all necessary information regarding selected and non- selected obliged entities, provided that they have legal access to the relevant information. In exceptional and duly justified cases, the Authority should be able to address a request directly to the relevant obliged entities or associations of obliged entities in order to conduct its tasks related to AML/CFT supervision.

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24c			(14c) To bring AML/CFT supervision to an effective and consistent level across the Union, and to carry out their duties, supervisory authorities and the Authority should cooperate and exchange all necessary information regarding selected and non-selected obliged entities. The Authority should ensure that adequate and effective cooperation mechanisms are put in place and implemented so that it can exchange information with supervisors, including non-AML/CFT authorities, and other stakeholders.
24d			(14d) The Authority should also promote exchanges between supervisory authorities and obliged entities in a structured and efficient manner. To that end, the Authority should develop a structured system, including questionnaires and common regulatory templates, available to all supervisors, that enables the collection of information while avoiding double reporting.
24e			(14e) In the context of its supervisory tasks, the Authority should also actively cooperate with competent FIUs and Europol. Where the Authority, in the course of its supervisory and

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			oversight activities, discovers facts, that could be related to money laundering, to a predicate offence or to terrorist financing, it should ensure that the information is promptly made available to the competent FIUs and, where the facts have a cross-border relevance, to Europol within their respective areas of competence.
25	(15) With the objective of ensuring a more effective and less fragmented protection of the Union's financial framework, a limited number of the riskiest obliged entities should be directly supervised by the Authority. As ML/TF risks are not proportional to the size of the supervised entities, other criteria should be applied to identify the most risky entities. In particular, two categories should be considered: high-risk cross-border credit and financial institutions with activity in a significant number of Member States, selected periodically; and, in exceptional cases, any entity whose material breaches of applicable requirements are not sufficiently or in a timely manner addressed by its national supervisor. Those entities would fall under the category of 'selected obliged entities'.	(15) With the objective of ensuring a more effective and less fragmented protection of the Union's financial framework, a limited number of the riskiest obliged entities should be directly supervised by the Authority. As ML/TF risks are not proportional to the size of the supervised entities, other criteria should be applied to identify the most risky entities. In particular, two categories should be considered: high-risk cross-border credit and financial institutions with activity in a significant number of Member States, selected periodically; and, in exceptional cases, any entity whose <i>materialserious</i> , <i>systematic or repeated</i> breaches of applicable requirements are not sufficiently or in a timely manner addressed by its national supervisor. <i>ThoseIn addition, the</i> <i>Authority shall ensure, as of the second</i> <i>selection process, that it directly supervises</i> <i>at least one entity in each Member State.</i>	(15) With the objective of ensuring a more effective and less fragmented protection of the Union's financial framework, a limited number of the riskiest obliged entities should be directly supervised by the Authority. As ML/TF risks are not proportional to the size of the supervised entities, other criteria should be applied to identify the most risky entities. In particular, two categories should be considered: high-risk cross-border credit and financial institutions with activity in a significant number of Member States, selected periodically; and, in exceptional cases, any entity whose <i>materialserious</i> , <i>systematic or repeated</i> breaches of applicable requirements are not sufficiently or in a timely manner addressed by its national supervisor. In <i>addition, in order to enhance the prevention of</i> <i>ML/TF and ensure that supervisory practices</i> <i>are aligned across the Union, the Authority</i> <i>shall ensure that it directly supervises at least</i> <i>one entity per Member State.</i> Those entities

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		Council Mandate This entity could be either a parent undertaking of a group, a subsidiary of a group authorised and headquartered in another Member State or an obliged entity that does not belong to a group and which is authorized or registered in a Member state where no group or subsidiary has already been selected for direct supervision. Those entities would fall under the category of 'selected obliged entities'.	would fall under the category of 'selected obliged entities'.
26	(16) The first category of credit and financial institutions, or groups of such institutions should be assessed every three years, based on a combination of objective criteria related to their cross-border presence and activity, and criteria related to their inherent ML/FT risk profile. Only large complex financial groups present in a number of Member States that could be more efficiently supervised at Union level should be included in the selection process. With respect to credit institutions, minimal cross-border presence for inclusion in the selection process should be based on the number of subsidiaries and branches in different Member States, because risky banking activities of significant volume require a local presence in a form of an establishment. Other financial sector entities may, in contrast, carry	(16) The first category of credit and financial institutions, <i>including CASP</i> , or groups of such institutions should be assessed every three years, based on a combination of objective criteria related to their cross-border presence and activity, and criteria related to their- <i>inherent</i> ML/FT risk profile. <i>Only large complex financial groups</i> <i>present in a number of Member States that</i> <i>could be more efficiently supervised at Union</i> <i>level should be included in theFor the first</i> <i>selection process, the Authority should</i> <i>assess those institutions taking into account</i> <i>only inherent risk. For the second</i> selection process. <i>With respect to credit institutions,</i> <i>minimal cross border presence for inclusion</i> <i>in the selection process, the Authority</i> should <i>be based on the number of</i>	(16) <u>ML/TF supervision should be risk-based.</u> The first category of credit and financial institutions, <u>including crypto-asset service</u> <u>providers</u> , or groups of such institutions should be assessed every three years, based on a combination of objective criteria related to their cross-border presence and activity, and criteria related to their inherent ML/FT risk profile. <u>Only large complex financial groups present in</u> a number of Member States that could be more <u>efficiently supervised at Union level The</u> <u>Authority</u> should <u>be included in the selection</u> process. With respect to creditassess those institutions, minimal cross-border presence for inclusion in the selection process should be based on the number of subsidiaries and <u>branches in different Member States, because</u> risky banking activities of significant volume

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out activities that can be sufficiently risky from an ML/TF perspective by means of direct provision of services, for example via a network of agents, but may not have established subsidiaries or branches in a large number of Member States. Therefore, applying the same cross-border criteria, that is to say the one related to freedom of establishment, would result in scoping out large financial sector entities that can have a significant risk profile in a number of Member States, without being established there. Since the volume of activities via direct provision of services is generally smaller than the volume of activities carried out in a branch or a subsidiary, it is appropriate to consider only groups that are established in at least two Member States, but provide services directly or via a network of agents in at least eight more Member States.	subsidiaries and branches in different Member States, because risky banking activities of significant volume require a local presence in a form of an establishment. Other financial sectorassess those institutions taking into account residual risk in order to better target the riskiest of those obliged entities-may, in contrast, carry out activities that can be sufficiently risky	require a local presence in a form of an establishment. Other financial sector entities may, in contrast, carry out activities that can be sufficiently risky from an ML/TF perspective by means of residual risk benchmarks in order to better target the riskiest of those obliged entities. In order to ensure that direct provision of services, for example via a network of agents, but may not have established subsidiaries or branches in a large number of Member States. Therefore, applying the same cross-border criteria, that is to say the one related to freedom of establishment, would result in scoping out large financial sector supervision by the Authority has added value, only cross-border entities that can have a significant risk profile in a operating in a minimum number of Member States, without being established there. Since the volume of activities via direct provision of services is generally smaller than the volume of activities carried out in a branch or a subsidiary, it is appropriate to consider only groups that are established in at least two Member States, buteither through establishments or under the freedom to provide services, should fall within the remit of the Authority. directly or via a network of agents in at least eight more Member States.

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		groups that are established in at least two Member States, but provide services directly or via a network of agents in at least eight more Member States <mark>should fall within the</mark> remit of the Authority.	
27	(17) In order to ensure that only the riskiest obliged entities among those with significant cross-border operations are supervised directly at the level of the Union, the assessment of their inherent risk should be harmonised. Currently, there are various national approaches and supervisory authorities use distinct benchmarks for assessment and classification of inherent ML/TF risk of obliged entities. Using these national methodologies for selection of entities for direct supervision at Union level could lead to a different playing field among them. Therefore, the Authority should be empowered to develop regulatory technical standards laying out a harmonised methodology and benchmarks for categorising the inherent ML/TF risk as low, medium, substantial, or high. The methodology should be tailored to particular types of risks and therefore should follow different categories of obliged entities which are financial institutions in accordance with the Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money	(17) In order to ensure that only the riskiest obliged entities among those <i>with significant</i> <i>cross border operations<u>categories of</u> <i>institutions</i> are supervised directly at the level of the Union, the assessment of their <i>inherent</i> risk should be harmonised. Currently, there are various national approaches and supervisory authorities use distinct benchmarks for assessment and classification of <i>inherent</i>-ML/TF risk of obliged entities. Using these national methodologies for selection of entities for direct supervision at Union level could lead to a different playing field among them. Therefore, the Authority should be empowered to develop regulatory technical standards laying out a harmonised methodology and benchmarks for categorising the inherent ML/TF risk as low, medium, substantial, or high. The <u>Authority</u> <i>shall also develop by the end of the first</i> <i>selection period residual risk benchmarks</i> <i>based on objective and comparable criteria.</i> <u>The</u> methodology should be tailored to</i>	(17) In order to ensure that only the riskiest obliged entities- <i>among those with significant</i> eross border operations are supervised directly at the level of the Union, the assessment of their inherent and residual risk should be harmonised. Currently, there are various national approaches and supervisory authorities use distinct benchmarks for assessment and classification of the inherent and residual ML/TF risk of obliged entities. Using these national methodologies for selection of entities for direct supervision at Union level could lead to a different playing field among them. Therefore, the Authority should be empowered to develop regulatory technical standards laying out a harmonised methodology methodologies and benchmarks for categorising the inherent ML/TF risk as low, medium, substantial, or high. The methodology Authority should also develop common residual risk benchmarks. Those methodologies should be tailored to particular types of risks and therefore should follow different categories of obliged entities which are financial institutions in accordance

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	laundering or terrorist financing [OP please insert the next number for COM(2021)420]. That methodology should be sufficiently detailed and should establish specific quantitative and qualitative benchmarks considering at least the risk factors related to types of customers served, products and services offered, and geographical areas, including third country jurisdictions that obliged entities operate in or are related to. Specifically, each assessed obliged entity would have its inherent risk profile classified in each Member State where it operates in a manner consistent with the classification of any other obliged entity in the Union. The quantitative and qualitative benchmarks would allow such classification to be objective and not dependent on the discretion of a given supervisory authority in a Member State, or the discretion of the Authority.	particular types of risks and therefore should follow different categories of obliged entities which are financial institutions in accordance with the Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing [OP please insert the next number for COM(2021)420]. That methodology should be sufficiently detailed and should establish specific quantitative and qualitative benchmarks considering at least the risk factors related to types of customers served, products and services offered, and geographical areas, <i>including third country</i> <i>jurisdictions that obliged entities operate in</i> <i>or are related to. Specifically, each assessed</i> <i>obliged entity would have its inherent risk</i> <i>profile classified in each Member State</i> <i>where it operates in a manner consistent</i> <i>with the classification of any other obliged</i> <i>entity in the Union. The quantitative and</i> <i>qualitative benchmarks would allow such</i> <i>classification to be objective and not</i> <i>dependent on the discretion of a given</i> <i>supervisory authority in a Member State, or</i> <i>the discretion of the Authority.</i>	with the Regulation of the European Parliament and of the Council on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing [OP please insert the next number for COM(2021)420], as well as crypto-asset service providers. Those methodologies. That methodology should be sufficiently detailed and should establish specific quantitative and qualitative benchmarks considering at least the risk factors related to types of customers served, products and services offered, and geographical areas, including third country jurisdictions that obliged entities operate in or are related to. Specifically, each assessed obliged entity would have its inherent <u>and residual risk profilesrisk</u> profile classified in each Member State where it operates in a manner consistent with the classification of any other obliged entity in the Union. The quantitative and qualitative benchmarks would allow such classification to be objective and not dependent on the discretion of a given supervisory authority in a Member State, or the discretion of the Authority.
27a		(17a) The periodic assessment of the risk profile of credit and other financial	

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			institutions for the purpose of selection for direct supervision should rely on data to be provided by the national financial supervisors and, for already selected obliged entities, by the Authority. In addition, the Authority should ensure harmonised application of the methodology by financial supervisors and provide coordination of the assessment of the risk profile of entities at group level. A regulatory technical standard should precise the respective role of the Authority and the financial supervisors in the assessment process. The Authority should ensure alignment, where appropriate, between the methodology for assessment of risk profile for the purpose of the selection process pursuant to article 12 and the methodology for harmonising the assessment of the inherent and residual risk profiles of obliged entities at national level, to be developed in the regulatory technical standards pursuant to article 31(2) of [OP: please insert reference to AMLD6].	
2	8	(18) The final selection criterion should warrant a level playing field among directly supervised obliged entities, and to that end, no discretion should be left to the Authority or supervisory authorities in deciding on the list of obliged entities that should be subject to direct	(18) The final selection criterion should warrant a level playing field among directly supervised obliged entities, and to that end, no discretion should be left to the Authority or supervisory authorities in deciding on the list of obliged entities that should be subject	(18) The final selection criterion should warrant a level playing field among directly supervised obliged entities, and to that end, no discretion should be left to the Authority or supervisory authorities in deciding on the list of obliged entities that should be subject to direct

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	supervision. Therefore, where a given assessed obliged entity operates cross-border and falls within the high risk category in accordance with the harmonised methodology in a minimum number of Member States, it should be deemed a selected obliged entity. In case of credit institutions, the cross-border aspect should be addressed by including those credit institutions that are classified as high risk in at least four Member States and where in at least one Member State of those four the entity has been under supervisory or other public investigation for material breaches of AML/CFT requirements. In case of other financial institutions, the cross-border aspect should be addressed by including those financial institutions that are classified as high risk in at least one Member State where they are established and at least five other Member States where they operate by means of direct provision of services.	to direct supervision. Therefore, where a given assessed obliged entity operates cross- border and falls within the high risk category in accordance with the harmonised methodology- <i>in a minimum number of</i> <i>Member States</i> , it should be deemed a selected obliged entity. <i>In case of credit</i> <i>institutions, the cross-border aspect should</i> <i>be addressed by including those credit</i> <i>institutions that are classified as high risk in</i> <i>at least four Member States and where in at</i> <i>least one Member State of those four the</i> <i>entity has been under supervisory or other</i> <i>public investigation for material breaches of</i> <i>AML/CFT requirements. In case of other</i> <i>financial institutions, the cross-border aspect</i> <i>should be addressed by including those</i> <i>financial institutions that are classified as</i> <i>high risk in at least one Member State where</i> <i>they are established and at least five other</i> <i>Member States where they operate by means</i> <i>of direct provision of services.</i>	supervision. Therefore, where a given assessed obliged entity operates cross-border and falls within the high risk category in accordance with the harmonised methodology in a minimum number of Member States, it should be deemed a selected obliged entity. <i>In case of credit</i> <i>institutions, the cross-border aspect should be</i> <i>addressed by including those credit institutions</i> <i>that are classified as high risk in at least four</i> <i>Member States and where in at least one</i> <i>Member State of those four the entity has been</i> <i>under supervisory or other public investigation</i> <i>for material breaches of AML/CFT</i> <i>requirements. In case of other financial</i> <i>institutions, the cross-border aspect should be</i> <i>addressed by including those financial</i> <i>institutions, the cross-border aspect should be</i> <i>addressed by including those financial</i> <i>institutions that are classified as high risk in at</i> <i>least one Member State where they are</i> <i>established and at least five other Member</i> <i>States where they operate by means of direct</i> <i>provision of services.</i>
29	(19) To provide transparency and clarity to the relevant institutions, the Authority should publish a list of the selected obliged entities within one month of commencement of a selection round, after verifying the correspondence of information provided by the financial supervisors to the cross-border	(19) To provide transparency and clarity to the relevant institutions, the Authority should publish a list of the selected obliged entities within one month of commencement of a selection round, after verifying the correspondence of information provided by the financial supervisors to the cross-border	(19) To provide transparency and clarity to the relevant institutions, the Authority should publish a list of the selected obliged entities within one month of commencement of a selection round, after verifying the correspondence of information provided by the financial supervisors to the cross-border

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30	(20) To ensure legal certainty and a level playing field among selected entities, any selected entity should remain under direct supervision of the Authority for at least three	(20) To ensure legal certainty and a level playing field among selected entities, any selected entity should remain under direct supervision of the Authority for at least three	(20) To ensure legal certainty and a level playing field among selected entities, any selected entity should remain under direct supervision of the Authority for at least three

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	years, even if since the moment of selection and in the course of the three years it ceases to meet any of the cross-border activity or risk-related criteria due to e.g. potential consolidation, expansion or re-allocation of activities carried out via establishments or freedom to provide services. The Authority should also ensure that sufficient time is allocated to preparation by the obliged entities and their supervisory authorities to the transfer of supervision from national to Union level. Therefore, each subsequent selection should commence six months before the end-date of the three year period of supervision of the previously selected entities.	years, even if since the moment of selection and in the course of the three years it ceases to meet any of the cross-border activity or risk-related criteria due to e.g. potential <i>ceasing</i> , consolidation, expansion or re- allocation of activities carried out via establishments or freedom to provide services. The Authority should also ensure that sufficient time is allocated to preparation by the obliged entities and their supervisory authorities to the transfer of supervision from national to Union level. Therefore, each subsequent selection should commence six months before the end-date of the three year period of supervision of the previously selected entities.	years, even if since the moment of selection and in the course of the three years it ceases to meet any of the cross-border activity or risk-related criteria due to e.g. potential consolidation, expansion or re-allocation of activities carried out via establishments or freedom to provide services. The Authority should also ensure that sufficient time is allocated to preparation by the obliged entities and their supervisory authorities to the transfer of supervision from national to Union level. Therefore, each subsequent selection should commence six months before the end-date of the three year period of supervision of the previously selected entities.
30a		(20a) The Authority should supervise financial sector obliged entities with a high risk profile within the Union, where such entities operate in a large number of Member States through multiple establishments or through the freedom to provide services within the EU. In such cases, indeed, supranational supervision by the Authority would bring significant added value compared to fragmented supervision between home and host Member States by eliminating the need for national supervisors of home and host Member	

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	States to coordinate and align the measures	
	taken vis-à-vis various parts of the single	
	<u>group.</u>	
	While the exact number of entities that	
	could meet the risk and cross-border	
	activities criteria for direct supervision	
	varies and depends on their business model	
	and money-laundering risk profile at the moment of the assessment, it is necessary to	
	ensure an optimal and dynamic repartition	
	of competence between the Union and	
	national authorities in the first phase of the	
	existence of the Authority, until its mandate	
	and functioning is duly evaluated.	
	To ensure a sufficient number and	
	adequate range of types of high risk groups	
	and entities that are supervised at Union	
	level, the Authority should have sufficient	
	resources to simultaneously supervise up to	
	40 groups and entities at least in the first selection process.	
	selection process.	
	In case more than 40 entities would qualify	
	for direct supervision based on their high	
	risk profile, the Authority should select	
	among them the 40 entities operating	
	through the freedom of establishment or the freedom to provide services in the highest	
	number of Member States. In the event that	
	this criterion is not sufficient to select 40	

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	entities, in particular where several obliged	
	entities operate in the same number of	
	Member States – for example, entity	
	number 39, 40 and 41 all operate in the	
	same number of Member States – the	
	Authority should be able to distinguish	
	among them and should select those that	
	have the highest ratio of volume of	
	transactions with third countries to the total	
	volume of transactions.	
	In addition, in the steady state of	
	functioning of the Authority, and building	
	on experience with supervision in the first	
	selection process, it would be beneficial that	
	the Authority ensure a complete coverage of	
	<u>the internal market under its supervision.</u>	
	<u>To that end, the Authority should supervise</u>	
	<u>at least one entity – which may be a parent</u>	
	<u>undertaking of a group, a subsidiary of a</u>	
	group authorised and headquartered in	
	another Member State or an obliged entity	
	that does not belong to a group and which is authorized or registered in a Member	
	State – in each Member State, as of the	
	second selection process. In the event that	
	no entity has been selected in a Member	
	State as a result of the regular selection	
	process, it should be the entity with high	
	risk profile in accordance with the risk	
	methodology designed for the selection	
	process. In case in the Member State in	
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		guestion several entities have a high risk profile, the entity operating in the largest number of Member States should be selected. If several entities with high risk profile operate in the same number of Member States, the Authority should select the one with the highest ratio of the volume of transactions with third countries to the total volume of transactions.	
31	(21) The relevant actors involved in the application of the AML/CFT framework should cooperate with each other in accordance with the duty of sincere cooperation enshrined in the Treaties. In order to ensure that the AML supervisory system composed of the Authority and supervisory authorities functions as an integrated mechanism, and that jurisdiction- specific risks and local supervisory expertise are duly taken into account and well utilised, direct supervision of selected obliged entities should take place in the form of joint supervisory teams. These teams should be led by a staff member of the Authority coordinating all supervisory activities of the team. To ensure an adequate understanding of possible national specificities, the team leader ('JST coordinator') should be stationed in the Member State where a selected entity has its headquarter. The Authority should be in charge	(21) The relevant actors involved in the application of the AML/CFT framework should cooperate with each other in accordance with the duty of sincere cooperation enshrined in the Treaties. In order to ensure that the AML supervisory system composed of the Authority and supervisory authorities functions as an integrated mechanism, and that jurisdiction-specific risks and local supervisory expertise are duly taken into account and well utilised, direct supervision of selected obliged entities should take place in the form of joint supervisory teams <i>and, where appropriate, dedicated on-site inspection teams</i> . These teams should be led by a staff member of the Authority coordinating all supervisory activities of the team. <i>To ensure an adequate understanding of possible national specificities, the team leader ('JST</i> )	(21) The relevant actors involved in the application of the AML/CFT framework should cooperate with each other in accordance with the duty of sincere cooperation enshrined in the Treaties. In order to ensure that the AML supervisory system composed of the Authority and supervisory authorities functions as an integrated mechanism, and that jurisdiction-specific risks and local supervisory expertise are duly taken into account and well utilised, direct supervision of selected obliged entities should take place in the form of joint supervisory teams. These teams should be led by a staff member of the Authority coordinating all supervisory activities of the team. <i>To ensure an adequate understanding of possible national specificities, the team leader ('JST coordinator') should be stationed in the Member State where a selected entity has its headquarter.</i> The Authority should be in

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		of establishment and composition of the joint supervisory team, and the local supervisors should ensure that a sufficient number of their staff members are appointed to the team, taking into account the risk profile of the selected entity in their jurisdiction.	<ul> <li>coordinator') should be stationed in the Member State where a selected entity has its headquarter.</li> <li>The Authority should be in charge of establishment and composition of the joint supervisory team, and theeach local supervisors involved in the supervision of the entity should ensure that a sufficient number of their staff members are appointed to the team, taking into account the risk profile of the selected entity in their jurisdiction as well as its overall volume of activity.</li> </ul>	charge of establishment and composition of the joint supervisory team, and <u>each local</u> <u>supervisor involved in the supervision of the</u> <u>selected obliged entitythe local supervisors</u> should ensure that a sufficient number of <u>theirits</u> staff members are appointed to the team, taking into account the risk profile of the selected entity in <u>theirits</u> jurisdiction <u>as well as its</u> <u>overall volume of activity</u> .
3	32	(22) To ensure that the Authority can fulfil its supervisory obligations in an efficient manner with regard to selected obliged entities, the Authority should be able to obtain any internal documents and information necessary for the exercise of its tasks and for that purpose have general investigation powers afforded to all supervisory authorities under national administrative law.	(22) To ensure that the Authority can fulfil its supervisory obligations in an efficient manner with regard to selected obliged entities, the Authority should be able to obtain any internal documents and information necessary for the exercise of its tasks and for that purpose have general investigation powers afforded to all supervisory authorities under national administrative law.	(22) To ensure that the Authority can fulfil its supervisory obligations in an efficient manner with regard to selected obliged entities, the Authority should be able to obtain any internal documents and information necessary for the exercise of its tasks and for that purpose have general investigation powers afforded to all supervisory authorities under national administrative law.
3	33	(23) The Authority should have the power to require actions, internal to the entity, to	(23) The Authority should have the power to require actions, internal to the entity, to	(23) The Authority should have the power to require actions, internal to the entity, to enhance

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	enhance the compliance of obliged entities with the AML/CFT framework, including reinforcement of internal procedures and changes in the governance structure, going as far as removal of members of the management body, without prejudice to the powers of other relevant supervisory authorities of the same selected entity. Following relevant findings related to non-compliance or partial compliance with applicable requirements by the obliged entity, it should be able to impose specific measures or procedures for particular clients or categories of clients who pose high risks. On- site inspections should be a regular feature of such supervision. If a specific type of on-site inspection requires an authorisation by the national judicial authority, such authorisation should be applied for by the Authority.	enhance the compliance of obliged entities with the AML/CFT framework, including reinforcement of internal procedures and changes in the governance structure, going as far as removal of members of the management body, without prejudice to the powers of other relevant supervisory authorities of the same selected entity. Following relevant findings related to non- compliance or partial compliance with applicable requirements by the obliged entity, it should be able to impose specific measures or procedures for particular clients or categories of clients who pose high risks. On-site inspections should be a regular feature of such supervision <u>and could be</u> <u>performed by dedicated teams</u> . If a specific type of on-site inspection requires an authorisation by the national judicial authority, such authorisation should be applied for by the Authority.	the compliance of obliged entities with the AML/CFT framework, including reinforcement of internal procedures and changes in the governance structure, going as far as removal of members of the management body, without prejudice to the powers of other relevant supervisory authorities of the same selected entity. Following relevant findings related to non-compliance or partial compliance with applicable requirements by the obliged entity, it should be able to impose specific measures or procedures for particular clients or categories of clients who pose high risks. On-site inspections should be a regular feature of such supervision. If a specific type of on-site inspection requires an authorisation by the national judicial authority, such authorisation should be applied for by the Authority.
34	(24) The Authority should have a full range of supervisory powers in relation to directly supervised entities in order to ensure compliance with applicable requirements. These powers should apply in cases where the selected entity does not meet its requirements, in cases where certain requirements are not likely to be met, as well as in cases where	(24) The Authority should have a full range of supervisory powers in relation to directly supervised entities in order to ensure compliance with applicable requirements. These powers should apply in cases where the selected entity does not meet its requirements, in cases where certain requirements are not likely to be met, as well	(24) The Authority should have a full range of supervisory powers in relation to directly supervised entities in order to ensure compliance with applicable requirements. These powers should apply in cases where the selected entity does not meet its requirements, in cases where certain requirements are not likely to be met, as well as in cases where internal

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35	(25) In addition to supervisory powers and in order to ensure compliance, in cases of material breaches of directly applicable requirements, the Authority should be able to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions on the selected obliged entities. Such sanctions should be proportionate and dissuasive, should have both punitive and deterrent effect, and should comply with the principle of ne bis in idem. The maximum amounts of pecuniary sanctions should be in line with those established by [please insert reference – 6 <sup>th</sup> Anti-Money Laundering Directive] and available to all supervisory authorities across the Union. The basic amounts of these sanctions should be determined within the limits established by the AML/CFT framework, taking into account the nature of the requirements that have been breached. In order for the Authority to take aggravating or mitigating factors adequately into account, adjustments to the relevant basic amount should be possible. With the objective	(25) In addition to supervisory powers and in order to ensure compliance, in cases of <i>materialserious, systematic or repeated</i> breaches of directly applicable requirements, the Authority should be able to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions on the selected obliged entities. Such sanctions should be proportionate and dissuasive, should have both punitive and deterrent effect, and should comply with the principle of <i>ne bis in idemne bis in idem</i> . The maximum amounts of pecuniary sanctions should be in line with those established by [please insert reference – 6 <sup>th</sup> Anti-Money Laundering Directive] and available to all supervisory authorities across the Union. The basic amounts of these sanctions should be determined within the limits established by the AML/CFT framework, taking into account the nature of the requirements that have been breached. In order for the Authority to take aggravating or mitigating	(25) In addition to supervisory powers and in order to ensure compliance, in cases of <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of directly applicable requirements, the Authority should be able to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions <u>and other</u> <u>measures</u> on the selected obliged entities. <u>Those</u> <u>measures should be defined in regulatory</u> <u>technical standards by means of indicators to</u> <u>classify the level of gravity of the breaches and</u> <u>the criteria to be taken into account when</u> <u>setting the level of administrative pecuniary</u> <u>sanctions and other measures.</u> Such sanctions should be proportionate and dissuasive, should have both punitive and deterrent effect, and should comply with the principle of <u>ne bis in</u> <u>idemne bis in idem</u> . The maximum amounts of pecuniary sanctions should be in line with those established by [please insert reference – 6 <sup>th</sup> Anti-Money Laundering Directive] and available to all supervisory authorities across the Union. The basic amounts of these sanctions

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	to achieve a timely change of the damaging business practice, the Executive Board of the Authority should be empowered to impose periodic penalty payments to compel the relevant legal or natural person to cease the relevant conduct. With the aim to heighten awareness of all obliged entities, by encouraging them to adopt business practices in line with the AML/CFT framework, the sanctions and penalties should be disclosed. The Court of Justice should have jurisdiction to review the legality of decisions adopted by the Authority, the Council and the Commission, in accordance with Article 263 TFEU, as well as for determining their non-contractual liability.	factors adequately into account, adjustments to the relevant basic amount should be possible. With the objective to achieve a timely change of the damaging business practice, the Executive Board of the Authority should be empowered to impose periodic penalty payments to compel the relevant legal or natural person to cease the relevant conduct. With the aim to heighten awareness of all obliged entities, by encouraging them to adopt business practices in line with the AML/CFT framework, the sanctions and penalties should be disclosed. The Court of Justice should have jurisdiction to review the legality of decisions adopted by the Authority, the Council and the Commission, in accordance with Article 263 TFEU, as well as for determining their non- contractual liability.	should be determined within the limits established by the AML/CFT framework, taking into account the nature of the requirements that have been breached. In order for the Authority to take aggravating or mitigating factors adequately into account, adjustments to the relevant basic amount should be possible. With the objective to achieve a timely change of the damaging business practice, the Executive Board of the Authority should be empowered to impose periodic penalty payments to compel the relevant legal or natural person to cease the relevant conduct. With the aim to heighten awareness of all obliged entities, by encouraging them to adopt business practices in line with the AML/CFT framework, the sanctions and penalties should be disclosed. The Court of Justice should have jurisdiction to review the legality of decisions adopted by the Authority, the Council and the Commission, in accordance with Article 263 TFEU, as well as for determining their non-contractual liability.
36	(26) In order for the Authority and financial supervisors to communicate swiftly and efficiently within AML/CFT supervisory system and to enable more coherent decision- making processes, it is necessary to have specific arrangements for communication within that system.	(26) In order for the Authority and financial supervisors to communicate swiftly and efficiently within AML/CFT supervisory system and to enable more coherent decision-making processes, it is necessary to have specific arrangements for communication within that system.	(26) In order for the Authority and financial supervisors to communicate swiftly and efficiently within AML/CFT supervisory system and to enable more coherent decision-making processes, it is necessary to have specific arrangements for communication within that system.

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36a		(26a) It is important that authorities in charge of overseeing implementation of targeted financial sanctions at national level are timely informed of any violation of such obligation by selected obliged entities. To that end, the Authority may share such information with the financial supervisor in the relevant Member State and instruct it to convey such information to the national authority responsible for overseeing the implementation of those sanctions.	
37	(27) For non-selected obliged entities, the AML/CFT supervision is to remain primarily at national level, with national competent authorities retaining full responsibility and accountability for direct supervision. The Authority should be granted adequate indirect supervisory powers to ensure that supervisory actions at national level are consistent and of a high quality across the Union. Therefore, it should carry out assessments of the state of supervisory convergence and publish reports with its findings. It should be empowered to issue guidelines and recommendations, addressed to both obliged entities as well as supervisory authorities, with a view to ensuring	(27) For non-selected obliged entities, the AML/CFT supervision is to remain primarily at national level, with national competent authorities retaining full responsibility and accountability for direct supervision. The Authority should be granted adequate indirect supervisory powers to ensure that supervisory actions at national level are consistent and of a high quality across the Union. Therefore, it should carry out assessments of the state of supervisory convergence and publish reports with its findings. It should be empowered to issue guidelines and recommendations, addressed to both obliged entities as well as	(27) For non-selected obliged entities, the AML/CFT supervision is to remain primarily at national level, with national competent authorities retaining full responsibility and accountability for direct supervision. The Authority should be granted adequate indirect supervisory powers to ensure that supervisory actions at national level are consistent and of a high quality across the Union. Therefore, it should carry out assessments of the state of supervisory convergence and publish reports with its findings. It should be empowered to issue guidelines and recommendations, addressed to both obliged entities as well as supervisory authorities, <i>and should request the</i>

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	harmonised and high level supervisory practices across the Union.	supervisory authorities, with a view to ensuring harmonised and high level supervisory practices across the Union.	<i>relevant authorities to take follow-up measures</i> <i>on their application</i> with a view to ensuring harmonised and high level supervisory practices across the Union.
37a			(27a) The Authority should lead in ensuring a consistent functioning of colleges of supervisors for non-selected obliged entities operating in several Member States, taking account of the systemic risk posed by financial institutions, and should, where appropriate, convene a meeting of a college. The Authority should also have a role in legally binding mediation to resolve disputes between financial supervisors upon their request and, where necessary, to take supervisory decisions directly applicable to the institution concerned. Prudential supervisors including the European Central Bank, the European Supervisory Authorities and, where necessary, FIUs, should actively engage in such colleges, using them as forums for discussion and to exchange relevant information.
38	(28) Certain obliged entities in the financial sector that do not meet the requirements for regular selection might still have a high inherent profile from the money laundering and	(28) Certain obliged entities in the financial sector that do not meet the requirements for regular selection might still have a high inherent profile from the money laundering	(28) Certain obliged entities in the financial sector that do not meet the requirements for regular selection might still have a high <i>inherentresidual risk</i> profile from the money

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	terrorism financing perspective, or might take on, change or expand activities that entail high risk, not mitigated with a commensurate level of internal controls, thus leading to material breaches of its AML/CFT requirements. If there are indications of possible material breaches of applicable AML/CFT requirements, they may be a sign of gross negligence on part of the obliged entity. The supervisory authority should in most cases be able to adequately respond to any possible breaches and prevent the risks from materialising and leading to gross negligence of AML/CFT requirements. However, in certain cases a national level response might not be sufficient or timely, especially when there are indications that material breaches at the level of the entity have already occurred. In those cases, the Authority should be able to request the local supervisor to take specific measures to remedy the situation, including requesting to issue financial sanctions. To prevent money laundering and terrorism risks from materialising, the deadline for action at national level should be sufficiently short.	and terrorism financing perspective, or might take on, change or expand activities that entail high risk, not mitigated with a commensurate level of internal controls, thus leading to <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <i>repeated</i> breaches of its AML/CFT requirements. If there are indications of possible <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <i>repeated</i> breaches of applicable AML/CFT requirements, they may be a sign of gross negligence on part of the obliged entity. The supervisory authority should in most cases be able to adequately respond to any possible breaches and prevent the risks from materialising and leading to gross negligence of AML/CFT requirements. However, in certain cases a national level response might not be sufficient or timely, especially when there are indications that <i>materialserious</i> , <i>systematic or repeated</i> breaches at the level of the entity have already occurred. In those cases, the Authority should be able to request the local supervisor to take specific measures to remedy the situation, including requesting to issue financial sanctions. To prevent money laundering and terrorism risks from materialising, the deadline for action at national level should be sufficiently short.	laundering and terrorism financing perspective, or might take on, change or expand activities that entail high risk, not mitigated with a commensurate level of internal controls, thus leading to <i>materialserious, repeated or</i> <i>systematic</i> breaches of its AML/CFT requirements. If there are indications of possible <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of applicable AML/CFT requirements, they may be a sign of gross negligence on part of the obliged entity. The supervisory authority should <i>in most cases</i> be able to adequately respond to any possible breaches and prevent the risks from materialising and leading to gross negligence of AML/CFT requirements. However, in certain cases a national level response might not be sufficient or timely, especially when there are indications that <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches at the level of the entity have already occurred. In those cases, the Authority should <i>be able to</i> request the local supervisor to take specific measures to remedy the situation, including requesting to issue financial sanctions <i>or other coercive measures</i> . To prevent money laundering and terrorism risks from materialising, the deadline for action at national level should be sufficiently short.
38a			(28a) In the case of possible serious, repeated

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		Council Mandate	or systematic breaches, the Authority should be notified where the situation of any non- selected obliged entity with regard to its compliance with applicable requirements and its exposure to money laundering and terrorism financing risks deteriorates rapidly and significantly, especially where such deterioration could lead to significant harm to the reputation of several Member States or of the Union as a whole.
39	(29) The Authority should have the opportunity to request a transfer of supervisory tasks and powers relating to a specific obliged entity on its own initiative in case of inaction or failure to follow its instructions within the provided deadline. Since the transfer of tasks and powers over an obliged entity without the specific request of the financial supervisor to the Authority would require a discretionary decision on the part of the Authority, the Authority should address a specific request to that end to the Commission. In order for the Commission to be able to take a decision coherent with the framework of the tasks allocated to the Authority within the AML/CFT framework, the request of the Authority should enclose an appropriate justification, and should indicate a precise duration of the reallocation of tasks and powers towards the Authority. The	<ul> <li>(29) The Authority should have the opportunity to request a transfer of supervisory tasks and powers relating to a specific obliged entity on its own initiative in case of inaction, <i>failure or inability-or failure</i> to follow its instructions within the provided deadline. Since the transfer of tasks and powers over an obliged entity without the specific request of the financial supervisor to the Authority would require a discretionary decision on the part of the Authority, the Authority should address a specific request to that end to the Commission.</li> <li>In order for the Commission to be able to take a decision coherent with the framework of the tasks allocated to the Authority within the AML/CFT framework, the request of the</li> </ul>	(29) The Authority should have the opportunity to request a transfer of supervisory tasks and powers relating to a specific obliged entity on its own initiative in case of inaction or failure to follow its instructions within the provided deadline. Since the transfer of tasks and powers over an obliged entity without the specific request of the financial supervisor to the Authority would require a discretionary decision on the part of the Authority, the Authority should address a specific request to that end to the Commission. In order for the Commission to be able to take a decision coherent with the framework of the tasks allocated to the Authority within the AML/CFT framework, the request of the Authority should enclose an appropriate justification, and should indicate a precise duration of the reallocation of tasks and powers towards the Authority. The timeframe

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	timeframe for the reallocation of powers should correspond to the time the Authority requires to deal with the risks at entity level, and should not exceed three years. The Commission should adopt a decision transferring powers and tasks for supervising the entity to the Authority swiftly, and in any case within a month.	Authority should enclose an appropriate justification, and should indicate a precise duration of the reallocation of tasks and powers towards the Authority. The timeframe for the reallocation of powers should correspond to the time the Authority requires to deal with the risks at entity level, and should not exceed three <u>years. The</u> <u>Authority should be able to request a</u> <u>prolongation of this timeframe in case the</u> <u>breaches identified have not been</u> <u>addressed. This prolongation should be</u> <u>limited to what is necessary to address those</u> <u>breaches and not exceed 3</u> years. The Commission should adopt a decision transferring powers and tasks for supervising the entity to the Authority swiftly, and in any case within a month.	for the reallocation of powers should correspond to the time the Authority requires to deal with the risks at entity level, and should not exceed three years. The Commission should adopt a decision transferring powers and tasks for supervising the entity to the Authority swiftly, and in any case within a monthwithout undue delay. That decision should be communicated to the European Parliament and to the Council.
39a			(29a) In specific cases, upon the request of a financial supervisor, the Authority should assess whether it is necessary to exercise direct supervision in accordance with this Regulation in respect of non-selected obliged entities in order to ensure the consistent application of high supervisory standards. Member States could set out specific arrangements regarding the delegation of responsibilities that are required to be complied with before their competent authorities enter into such

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			delegation agreements, and could limit the scope of delegation to that which is necessary for the effective supervision of cross-border financial market participants or groups. The financial supervisor's request should be accompanied by a report indicating the supervisory history and risk profile of the relevant non-selected obliged entity. In cases where the Authority does not agree with the financial supervisor's request, it should consult with that financial supervisor prior to its final assessment as to whether AML/CFT supervision by the Authority of the non- selected obliged entity is necessary. If the Authority agrees with the financial supervisor's request, the Authority should take over the relevant tasks and powers related to direct supervision of the non-selected obliged entity from the financial supervisor concerned to the Authority. That decision should also be communicated to the European Parliament and to the Council.
39b			(29b) <u>The Authority should play an important</u> role in the settlement of disagreements between financial supervisors in cross-border situations in relation to this Regulation, by assisting financial supervisors in reaching an agreement. Such assistance should occur at the request of one or more of the financial

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39c			(29c) The Executive Board should assess whether the Authority is able to act at the request of the financial supervisors concerned. The Authority should set a time limit for conciliation between the financial supervisors, taking into account any relevant time periods specified in Union law and the complexity and urgency of the matter. At that stage the Authority should act as a mediator. In cases where financial supervisors concerned fail to reach an agreement during the conciliation phase, the Authority should be able to take a decision requiring those supervisors to take specific action, or to refrain from certain action, in order to settle the matter, and to ensure compliance with Union law. The decision of the Authority should be able to require financial supervisors concerned. The Authority's decision should be able to require financial supervisors to revoke or amend a decision that they have adopted or to make use of the powers which they have under the relevant Union law. The Authority should

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			notify the financial supervisors concerned of the conclusion of the procedure. The Chair of the Authority should set out the nature and type of disagreements between financial supervisors, the agreements reached and the decisions taken to settle such disagreements in the annual report of the Authority.
40	(30) In order to improve supervisory practices in the non-financial sector, the Authority should carry out peer reviews of supervisory authorities in the non-financial sector, including public authorities overseeing self-regulatory bodies (SRBs), and publish reports with its findings; those could be accompanied by guidelines or recommendations addressed to the relevant public authorities, including public authorities overseeing SRBs. SRBs should be able to participate in peer reviews on a case-by- case basis where they have expressed their willingness to participate.	(30) In order to improve supervisory practices in the non-financial sector, the Authority should carry out peer reviews of supervisory authorities in the non-financial sector, including public authorities overseeing self-regulatory bodies (SRBs), and publish reports with its findings; those could be accompanied by guidelines or recommendations addressed to the. When performing those peer reviews, the Authority should not duplicate existing assessment and take account of all relevant public authorities information accessible, including public authorities overseeing SRBs. SRBs should be able to participate in peer reviews on a case-by-case basis where they have expressed their willingness to participate.	(30) In order to improve supervisory practices in the non-financial sector, the Authority should carry out peer reviews of supervisory authorities in the non-financial sector, including public authorities overseeing self-regulatory bodies (SRBs), and publish reports with its findings; those could be accompanied by guidelines or recommendations addressed to the relevant public authorities, including public authorities overseeing SRBs. <i>SRBs should be able to</i> <i>participate in peer reviews on a case by case</i> <i>basis where they have expressed their</i> <i>willingnessWhen performing those peer</i> <i>reviews, the Authority should not duplicate</i> <i>existing assessments and should take into</i> <i>account all relevant information. SRBs should</i> <i>be able</i> to participate <i>in peer reviews</i> .
40a			(30a) Cooperation between national

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			supervisors is essential to ensure a common supervisory approach across the Union. To be effective, it is also essential for that cooperation to be leveraged to the greatest extent possible. Accordingly, it is appropriate to mandate the Authority to decide whether it is necessary to set up AML/CFT supervisory colleges with respect to non-financial sector obliged entities that operate under the freedom to provide services or of establishment in several Member States and that have a significant annual EU-wide turnover. In addition, the Authority should facilitate the functioning of AML/CFT supervisory colleges and contribute to the convergence of supervisory practices and the promotion of high supervisory standards.
41	(31) With the objective to increase the efficiency of the implementation of AML/CFT measures also in the non-financial sector, the Authority should also be able to investigate possible breaches or incorrect application of Union law by supervisory authorities in that sector, including public authorities overseeing SRBs.	(31) With the objective to increase the efficiency of the implementation of AML/CFT measures also in the non-financial sector, the Authority should also be able to investigate possible breaches or incorrect application of Union law by supervisory authorities in that sector, including public authorities overseeing SRBs. <i>These investigations are without prejudice to the powers of the Commission to launch an infringement procedure pursuant to TFEU.</i>	(31) With the objective to increase the efficiency of the implementation of AML/CFT measures also in the non-financial sector, the Authority should also be able to investigate possible breaches or incorrect application of Union law by supervisory authorities in that sector, including public authorities overseeing SRBs. <i>The national oversight authority should be able to request a derogation to that rule when there is a risk of interference with the independence of the judiciary.</i>

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41a	Commission Proposal	ST 10507/22 REV1 Council Mandate	(31a) Taking into account the cross-border nature of money laundering and terrorist financing, coordination and cooperation between FIUs are extremely important. In order to improve such coordination and cooperation, and, in particular, to ensure that subjects of the FIU's interest in other Member States are identified, along with their proceeds, and funds, the Authority and FIUs should constitute the FIU Support and Coordination Mechanism. Its aim should be preventing, detecting and effectively combating money laundering and terrorism financing in the internal market, facilitating cooperation among FIUs, supporting and, in some cases,
			among FIUs, supporting and, in some cases, initiating joint analyses in order to bring together all relevant information, identifying trends and factors relevant in assessing the risks of money laundering and terrorist financing at national and Union level, as well as exchanging views on cooperation-related issues such as effective cooperation among FIUs and between FIUs and third-country financial intelligence units. To that end, Europol, Eurojust and EPPO should have liaison officers based in the Authority's premises in order to ensure a smooth cooperation.

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41b			(31b) The Authority should support FIUs in relation to the following tasks: to support, coordinate and, where necessary, direct joint analyses to be performed with the relevant FIUs as well as to develop methods and procedures to coordinate and facilitate their planning, organisation and conduct; to support cooperation among FIUs, particularly by developing best practices, methods and formats; to develop expert knowledge on detection analysis and dissemination methods; to develop criteria for the identification of cross-border cases that FIUs are required to share; to prepare indicators, formats and contents for the detection and reporting of STRs and other disclosures received by FIUs; to follow the management, maintenance and update of FIU.net and the development of IT and artificial intelligence tools for secure information sharing; to follow the work of international and European fora on FIU- related matters. In performing those tasks, the Authority should have dedicated human, financial and IT resources, and should guarantee their independence from the supervisory functions provided for in Chapter II, Sections 2 to 6.
42	(32) In order to analyse suspicious activity	(32) In order to analyse suspicious activity	(32) In order to analyse suspicious activity

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affecting multiple jurisdictions, the relevant FIUs that received linked reports should be able to efficiently conduct joint analyses of cases of common interest. To this end, the Authority should be able to propose, coordinate and support with all appropriate means the joint analyses of cross-border suspicious transactions or activities. The joint analyses should be triggered where there is a need to conduct just such joint analyses pursuant to the relevant provisions in Union law. Upon the explicit consent of the FIUs participating in the joint analyses, the staff of the Authority supporting the conduct of joint analyses should be able to receive and process all necessary data and information, including the data and information pertaining to the analysed cases.	affecting multiple jurisdictions, the relevant FIUs that received linked reports should be able to efficiently conduct joint analyses of cases of common interest. To this end, the Authority should be able to <i>propose</i> , coordinate and support with all appropriate means the joint analyses of cross-border suspicious transactions or activities. The joint analyses should be triggered where there is a need to conduct just such joint analyses pursuant to the relevant provisions in Union law. <i>Joint analyses should be</i> <i>primarily conducted by national FIU staff,</i> <i>and supported by FIU delegates and AMLA</i> <i>staff. The Authority should establish and</i> <i>review methods and criteria for the</i> <i>selection and prioritisation of cases relevant</i> <i>for joint analysis, and grant support</i> <i>accordingly.</i> Upon the explicit consent of <i>all</i> the FIUs participating in the joint analyses, the staff of the Authority supporting the conduct of joint analyses should be able to receive and process all necessary data and information, including the data and information pertaining to the analysed cases. <i>If unanimous consent is not obtained, the</i> <i>joint analysis should be supported by FIU</i> <i>delegates for all tasks that require access to</i> <i>operational data and AMLA staff for tasks</i> <i>that do not. On the basis of unanimity,</i> <i>FIUs should grant prior consent for</i> <i>disseminating the outputs of joint analyses</i>	affecting multiple jurisdictions, the relevant FIUs that received linked reports should be able to efficiently conduct joint analyses of cases of common interest. To this end, the Authority should be able to <i>initiate</i> , propose, coordinate and support with all appropriate means the joint analyses of cross-border suspicious transactions or activities. <i>The joint analyses should be</i> <i>triggered where there is a need to conduct just</i> <i>such joint analyses pursuant to the</i> , <i>as well as to</i> <i>adopt internal procedures on the methods and</i> <i>criteria for the selection and prioritisation of</i> <i>cases</i> relevant <i>provisions in Union law. Upon</i> <i>the explicit consent of the FIUs participating</i> <i>infor joint analyses. The relevant FIUs should</i> <i>participate in the conduct of</i> the joint <i>analyses</i> , <i>the staff of the Authority supportinganalysis.</i> <i>Exceptionally, an FIU could decline to</i> <i>participate in</i> the conduct of <i>the</i> joint <i>analyses</i> <i>should be able to receive and process all</i> <i>necessary data and information, including the</i> <i>data and information pertaininganalysis by duly</i> <i>explaining and justifying it to the Authority in</i> <i>writing. The Authority should provide such</i> <i>explanations and justifications</i> to the <i>analysed</i> <i>cases</i> <u>other FIUs involved without delay</u> .

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		<u>and define the modalities of such</u> dissemination.	
42a			(32a) The joint analyses should be triggered with the aim of establishing cross-border links between suspicious transactions and underlying possible criminal activity in order to prevent and combat money laundering and terrorist financing. When conducting the analyses, the Authority and FIUs should disseminate their results as well as additional information to the competent authorities, including, where relevant, Europol, where there are grounds to suspect money laundering, associated predicate offences or financing of terrorism. The FIU delegates of the FIUs participating in the joint analysis should be granted access, directly or indirectly, to all data pertaining to the subject-matter of the joint analysis and should be able to process those data for the purposes of conducting the joint analysis in accordance with the applicable data protection rules, in particular in respect of receiving and analysing suspicious transactions and other information in accordance with Article 17 [please insert reference to the proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final]. Upon the explicit consent of the FIUs participating in the joint analyses, the staff of

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		Council Mandate	the Authority supporting the conduct of joint analyses should be able to receive and process the necessary data pertaining to the analysed cases. With the aim of facilitating cooperation with Europol, where relevant, Europol should be able to take part in the joint analysis, subject to the agreement of participating FIUs, when such joint analysis is requested by an FIU. Europol should be given access to a part or all of the data with the explicit consent of the participating FIUs and Europol data should be processed in accordance with [please insert reference to Regulation 2016/794 (Recast)].
43	(33) In order to improve the effectiveness of the joint analyses, the Authority should be able to initiate reviews of methods, procedures and conduct of the joint analyses, with the aim of determining the lessons learnt and of improving and promoting these analyses. The feedback on the joint analysis should enable the authority to issue conclusions and recommendations which would ultimately lead to the regular refinement and improvement of the methods and procedures for the conduct of joint analyses.	(33) In order to improve the effectiveness of the joint analyses, the Authority should be able to <i>initiate reviews of establish and</i> <i>review</i> methods <del>, and</del> procedures <i>and for the</i> conduct of the joint analyses, with the aim of determining the lessons learnt and of improving and promoting these analyses. The feedback on the joint analysis should enable the authority to <i>issue conclusions and</i> <i>recommendations which would ultimately</i> <i>lead to the regular refinement and</i> <i>improvement of therefine and improve these</i> methods and procedures <i>for the conduct of</i> <i>joint analyses.</i>	(33) In order to improve the effectiveness of the joint analyses, the Authority should be able to <i>initiate reviews of establish and review the</i> methods, procedures and <i>the</i> conduct of the joint analyses, with the aim of determining the lessons learnt and of improving and promoting these analyses. The feedback on the joint analysis should enable the authority to issue conclusions and recommendations which would ultimately lead to the regular refinement and improvement of the methods and procedures for the conduct of joint analyses.

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44	(34) In order to facilitate and improve cooperation between FIUs and the Authority, including for the purposes conducting joint analyses, the FIUs should be able to delegate one staff member per FIU to the Authority on a voluntary basis. The national FIU delegates should support the Authority's staff in carrying out all the tasks relating to FIUs, including the conduct of joint analyses and the preparation of threat assessments and strategic analyses of money laundering and terrorist financing threats, risks and methods. Apart from the joint analyses, the Authority should encourage and facilitate various forms of mutual assistance between FIUs, including training and staff exchanges in order to improve capacity building and enable the exchange of knowledge and good practices amongst FIUs.	(34) In order to facilitate and improve cooperation between FIUs and the Authority, including for the purposes conducting joint analyses, the FIUs should be able to delegate one staff member per FIU to the Authority on a voluntary basis. The national FIU delegates should <u>remain under the authority</u> of their national FIU. They should support the Authority's staff in carrying out all the tasks relating to FIUs, including the conduct of joint analyses and the preparation of threat assessments and strategic analyses of money laundering and terrorist financing threats, risks and methods. Apart from the joint analyses, the Authority should encourage and facilitate various forms of mutual assistance between FIUs, including training and staff exchanges in order to improve capacity building and enable the exchange of knowledge and good practices amongst FIUs. The Authority should also facilitate the development or procurement of IT tools and services to enhance the analysis capabilities of FIUs.	(34) In order to facilitate and improve cooperation between FIUs and the Authority, including for the purposes of conducting joint analyses, the FIUs should be able to delegate one staff member per FIU to the Authority on a voluntary basis. The national FIU delegates should support the Authority's staff in carrying out all the tasks relating to FIUs, including the conduct of joint analyses and the preparation of threat assessments and strategic analyses of money laundering and terrorist financing threats, risks and methods. In that regard, delegating FIUs should facilitate the exercise of the functions of the relevant FIU delegates and refrain from any action or policy that could adversely affect their career or status in the national system. In particular, FIUs should provide the relevant FIU delegates with the resources and equipment necessary for the exercise of their functions, ensuring that they are fully integrated in the delegating FIU and remain able to receive and analyse suspicious transactions and other information in accordance with Article 17 [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final]. Apart from the joint analyses, the Authority should encourage and facilitate various forms of mutual assistance between FIUs, including training and staff exchanges in order to improve capacity building and enable the exchange of

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			knowledge and good practices amongst FIUs. <u>The Authority should also facilitate the</u> <u>development or procurement of IT tools and</u> <u>services to enhance its analysis capabilities</u> <u>and those of the FIUs, for example on</u> <u>blockchain analysis and on commercially-held</u> <u>data, where appropriate.</u>
45	(35) The Authority should manage, host, and maintain FIU.net, the dedicated IT system allowing FIUs to cooperate and exchange information amongst each other and, where appropriate, with their counterparts from third countries and third parties. The Authority should, in cooperation with Member States, keep the system up-to-date. To this end, the Authority should ensure that at all times the most advanced available state-of-the-art technology is used for the development of the FIU.net, subject to a cost-benefit analysis.	(35) The Authority should manage, host, and maintain FIU.net, the dedicated IT system allowing FIUs to cooperate and exchange information amongst each other and, where appropriate, with their counterparts from third countries and third parties. The Authority should, <i>in cooperation</i> <i>with Member States, keep the system up-to-</i> <i>date keep the system up-to-date, taking into</i> <i>account the needs of FIUs</i> . To this end, the Authority should ensure that at all times the most advanced available state-of-the-art technology is used for the development of the FIU.net, subject to a cost-benefit analysis. <i>The Authority should rely on</i> <i>third-party service providers only for non-</i> <i>essential tasks. In particular, the Authority</i> <i>should not outsource the hosting and</i> <i>management of FIU.net. The Authority</i> <i>should not have access to the content of the</i> <i>information exchanged within FIU.net</i> , <i>except where it is an intended recipient of</i>	(35) The Authority should manage, host, and maintain FIU.net, the dedicated IT system allowing FIUs to cooperate and exchange information amongst each other and, where appropriate, with their counterparts from third countries and third parties. The Authority should, <i>in cooperation with Member States,</i> <i>keep the system up-to-date keep the system up- to-date, taking into account the needs</i> <i>expressed by the FIUs</i> . To this end, the Authority should, <i>in consultation with the</i> <i>European Data Protection Supervisor</i> , ensure that at all times the most advanced available state-of-the-art technology, <i>including</i> <i>blockchain-based solutions</i> , is used for the development of the FIU.net, <i>subject to a cost- benefit analysis</i> .

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46	(36) In order to establish consistent, efficient and effective supervisory and FIU-related practices and ensure common, uniform and coherent application of Union law, the Authority should be able to issue guidelines and recommendations addressed to all or category of obliged entities and all or a category of supervisory authorities and FIUs. The guidelines and recommendations could be issued pursuant to a specific empowerment in the applicable Union acts, or on the own initiative of the Authority, where there is a need to strengthen the AML/CFT framework at Union level.	(36) In order to establish consistent, efficient and effective supervisory and FIU-related practices and ensure common, uniform and coherent application of Union law, the Authority should be able to issue guidelines and recommendations addressed to all or <u>a</u> category of obliged entities and all or a category of supervisory authorities and FIUs. The guidelines and recommendations could be issued pursuant to a specific empowerment in the applicable Union acts, or on the own initiative of the Authority, where there is a need to strengthen the AML/CFT framework at Union level.	(36) In order to establish consistent, efficient and effective supervisory and FIU-related practices and ensure common, uniform and coherent application of Union law, the Authority should be able to issue guidelines and recommendations addressed to all or category of obliged entities and all or a category of supervisory authorities and FIUs. The guidelines and recommendations could be issued pursuant to a specific empowerment in the applicable Union acts, or on the own initiative of the Authority, where there is a need to strengthen the AML/CFT framework at Union level.
46a			(36a) In order to improve FIU's practices, the Authority should carry out peer reviews and publish reports setting out its findings. Those reports could be accompanied by guidelines or recommendations addressed to the relevant FIUs. FIUs should be able to participate in peer reviews on a case-by-case basis. The Authority should lay down detailed rules on the confidentiality of its exchanges with FIUs and other relevant actors in the context of peer reviews, including of its results.

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46b			(36b) The Authority should be responsible for the effective and consistent supervision of obliged entities and competent authorities relating to the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions and act as a central contact point ensuring outreach and seemless communication with obliged entities for the purpose of improving compliance. In that regard, the Authority should monitor the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions across Member States, supporting competent authorities in their efforts to apply targeted financial sanctions, including by acting as a central contact point for competent authorities for sharing information on designated persons, their assets and controlled legal entities. The Authority should furthermore provide guidance and assistance in the application of targeted financial sanctions.
46c			(36c) An inconsistent enforcement of restrictive measures undermines the Union's ability to speak with one voice. It is therefore paramount that restrictive Union measures are fully implemented and that any violation of those measures does not provide any benefit. It

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			is also necessary to ensure that the assets of individuals and entities that violate the restrictive measures can be effectively confiscated in the future. The Authority can play an important role in that regard. The Authority should also cooperate with Asset Recovery Offices in Member States and contribute towards attaining the goals set in [please insert reference – Proposal for a Directive on asset recovery and confiscation, COM(2022) 245 final].
46d			(36d) The Authority should specify the format to be used to request, collect or exchange information with the purpose of enhancing the comparability of the information and ensuring the efficiency of reporting.
47	(37) The establishment of a solid governance structure within the Authority is essential for ensuring effective exercise of the tasks granted to the Authority, and for an efficient and objective decision-making process. Due to the complexity and variety of the tasks conferred on the Authority in both the supervision and FIU areas, the decisions cannot be taken by a single governing body, as is often the case in decentralised agencies. Whereas certain types	(37) The establishment of a solid governance structure within the Authority is essential for ensuring effective exercise of the tasks granted to the Authority, and for an efficient and objective decision-making process. Due to the complexity and variety of the tasks conferred on the Authority in both the supervision and FIU areas, the decisions cannot be taken by a single governing body, as is often the case in decentralised agencies.	(37) The establishment of a solid governance structure within the Authority is essential for ensuring effective exercise of the tasks granted to the Authority, and for an efficient and objective decision-making process. Due to the complexity and variety of the tasks conferred on the Authority in both the supervision and FIU areas, the decisions cannot be taken by a single governing body, as is often the case in decentralised agencies. Whereas certain types of

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	of decisions, such as decisions on adoption of common instruments, need to be taken by representatives of appropriate authorities or FIUs, and respect voting rules of the TFEU, certain other decisions, such as the decisions towards individual selected obliged entities, or individual authorities, require a smaller decision-making body, whose members should be subject to appropriate accountability arrangements. Therefore, the Authority should comprise a General Board, and an Executive Board composed of five full-time independent members and of the Chair of the Authority.	Whereas certain types of decisions, such as decisions on adoption of common instruments, need to be taken by representatives of appropriate authorities or FIUs, and respect voting rules of the TFEU, certain other decisions, such as the decisions towards individual selected obliged entities, or individual authorities, require a smaller decision-making body, whose members should be subject to appropriate accountability arrangements. Therefore, the Authority should comprise a General Board, and an Executive Board composed of five full-time independent members and of the Chair of the Authority.	decisions, such as decisions on adoption of common instruments, need to be taken by representatives of appropriate authorities or FIUs, and respect voting rules of the TFEU, certain other decisions, such as the decisions towards individual selected obliged entities, or individual authorities, require a smaller decision-making body, whose members should be subject to appropriate accountability arrangements. Therefore, the Authority should comprise a General Board, and an Executive Board composed of five full-time independent members and of the Chair of the Authority.
48	(38) In order to ensure the relevant expertise, the General Board should have two compositions. For all the decisions on the adoption of acts of general application such as the regulatory and implementing technical standards, guidelines, recommendations, and opinions relating to FIUs, it should be composed of the heads of FIUs of Member States ('General Board in FIU composition'). For the same types of acts related to direct or indirect supervision of financial and non- financial obliged entities, it should be composed of the heads of AML/CFT supervisors which are public authorities	(38) In order to ensure the relevant expertise, the General Board should have two compositions. For all the decisions on the adoption of acts of general application such as the regulatory and implementing technical standards, guidelines, recommendations, and opinions relating to FIUs, it should be composed of the heads of FIUs of Member States <u>or their alternates</u> ('General Board in FIU composition'). For the same types of acts related to direct or indirect supervision of financial and non- financial obliged entities, it should be composed of the heads of AML/CFT	(38) In order to ensure the relevant expertise, the General Board should have two compositions. For all the decisions on the adoption of acts of general application such as the regulatory and implementing technical standards, guidelines, recommendations, and opinions relating to FIUs, it should be composed of the heads of FIUs of Member States ('General Board in FIU composition'). For the same types of acts related to direct or indirect supervision of financial and non- financial obliged entities, it should be composed of the heads of AML/CFT supervisors which are public authorities ('General Board in

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49	(39) For a smooth decision making process, the tasks should be clearly divided: the General Board in FIU composition should decide on the relevant measures for FIUs, the General Board in supervisory composition should decide on delegated acts, guidelines and similar measures for obliged entities. The General Board in supervisory composition should also be able to provide its opinion and advice to the Executive Board on all draft decisions towards individual selected obliged entities proposed by the Joint Supervisory Teams. In absence of such opinion or advice, the decisions should be taken by the Executive Board deviates from the advice provided by the General Board in supervisory composition in the final decision, it should explain the reasons thereof in writing.	(39) For a smooth decision making process, the tasks should be clearly divided: the General Board in FIU composition should decide on the relevant measures for FIUs, the General Board in supervisory composition should decide on delegated acts, guidelines and similar measures for obliged entities. The General Board in supervisory composition should also be able to provide, <i>following procedures to be defined in</i> <i>agreement with the Executive board</i> , its opinion <i>and advice</i> to the Executive Board on all draft decisions towards individual selected obliged entities proposed by the Joint Supervisory Teams. In absence of such opinion <i>or advice</i> , the decisions should be taken by the Executive Board. Whenever the Executive Board deviates from the <i>adviceopinion</i> provided by the General Board in supervisory composition in the final	(39) For a smooth decision making process, the tasks should be clearly divided: the General Board in FIU composition should decide on the relevant measures for FIUs, the General Board in supervisory composition should decide on delegated acts, guidelines and similar measures for obliged entities. The General Board in supervisory composition should also be able to provide its opinion and advice to the Executive Board on all draft decisions towards individual selected obliged entities proposed by the Joint Supervisory Teams. In absence of such opinion or advice, the decisions should be taken by the Executive Board. Whenever the Executive Board deviates from the advice provided by the General Board in supervisory composition in the final decision, it should explain the reasons thereof in writing.

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50	(40) For the purposes of voting and taking decisions, each Member State should have one voting representative. Therefore, the heads of public authorities should appoint a permanent representative as the voting member of the General Board in supervisory composition. Alternatively, depending on the subject-matter of the decision or agenda of a given General board meeting, public authorities of a Member State may decide on an ad-hoc representative. The practical arrangements related to decision- making and voting by the General Board members in supervisory composition should be laid down in the Rules of Procedure of the General Board, to be developed by the Authority.	(40) For the purposes of voting and taking decisions, each Member State should have one voting representative. Therefore, the heads of public authorities should appoint a permanent representative as the voting member of the General Board in supervisory composition. Alternatively, depending on the subject-matter of the decision or agenda of a given General board meeting, public authorities of a Member State may decide on an ad-hoc representative. The practical arrangements related to decision-making and voting by the General Board members in supervisory composition should be laid down in the Rules of Procedure of the General Board, to be developed by the Authority.	(40) For the purposes of voting and taking decisions, each Member State should have one voting representative. Therefore, the heads of public authorities should appoint a permanent representative as the voting member of the General Board in supervisory composition. Alternatively, depending on the subject-matter of the decision or agenda of a given General board meeting, public authorities of a Member State may decide on an ad-hoc representative. The practical arrangements related to decision- making and voting by the General Board members in supervisory composition should be laid down in the Rules of Procedure of the General Board, to be developed by the Authority.
50a		(40a) <u>The General Board in FIU</u> <u>composition should be supported by a</u> <u>standing committee with a more limited</u> <u>composition. The standing committee</u> <u>should support the work of the General</u> <u>Board in FIU composition and perform its</u> <u>duties solely in the interest of the Union as</u> <u>a whole. It should work in close cooperation</u>	

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		with FIU delegates and AMLA staff in charge of tasks related to FIUs, and in full transparency with the General Board in FIU composition.	
51	(41) The Chair of the Authority should chair the General Board meetings and have a right to vote when decisions are taken by simple majority. The Commission should be a non- voting member on the General Board. To establish good cooperation with other relevant institutions, the General Board should also be able to admit other non-voting observers, such as a representative of the Single Supervisory Mechanism and of each of the three European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, EIOPA and ESMA) for the General Board in its Supervisory Composition and Europol, the EPPO and Eurojust for the General Board in its FIU composition, where matters that fall under their respective mandates are discussed or decided upon. To allow a smooth decision making process, decisions of the General Board should be taken by a simple majority, except for decisions concerning draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, guidelines and recommendations which should be taken by a qualified majority of Member State representatives in accordance with voting rules of the TFEU.	(41) The Chair of the Authority should chair the General Board meetings and have a right to vote when decisions are taken by simple majority. The Commission should be a non- voting member on the General Board. To establish good cooperation with other relevant institutions, the General Board should also be able to admit other non-voting observers, <i>such as a representative</i> <u>in</u> <u>particular representatives</u> of the Single Supervisory Mechanism and of each of the three European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, EIOPA and ESMA) for the General Board in its supervisory composition. <u>In</u> <u>addition-and</u> Europol, the EPPO and Eurojust for the General Board in its FIU composition, where matters that fall under their respective mandates are discussed or decided upon would be particularly entitled to habitually qualify as observers. To allow a smooth decision makingdecision-making process, decisions of the General Board should be taken by a simple majority, except for decisions concerning draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, guidelines	(41) The Chair of the Authority should chair the General Board meetings and have a right to vote when decisions are taken by simple majority. The Commission should be a non- voting member on the General Board. To establish good cooperation with other relevant institutions, the General Board should also be able to admit other non-voting observers, such as a representative of the Single Supervisory Mechanism and of each of the three European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, EIOPA and ESMA) for the General Board in its Supervisory Composition and Europol, the EPPO and Eurojust for the General Board in its FIU composition, where matters that fall under their respective mandates are discussed or decided upon. To allow a smooth decision making process, decisions of the General Board should be taken by a simple majority, except for decisions concerning draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, guidelines and recommendations which should be taken by a qualified majority of Member State representatives in accordance with voting rules of the TFEU.

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		and recommendations which should be taken by a qualified majority of Member State representatives in accordance with voting rules of the TFEU.	
52	(42) The governing body of the Authority should be the Executive Board composed of the Chair of the Authority and of five full time members, appointed by the General Board based on the shortlist by the Commission. With the aim of ensuring a speedy and efficient decision making process, the Executive Board should be in charge of planning and execution of all the tasks of the Authority except where specific decisions are explicitly allocated to the General Board. In order to ensure objectivity and appropriate rapidity of the decision-making process in the area of direct supervision of the selected obliged entities, the Executive Board should take all binding decisions addressed to selected obliged entities. In addition, together with a representative of the Commission the Executive Board should be collectively responsible for the administrative and budgetary decisions of the Authority. The consent of the Commission should be required when the Executive Board is taking decisions related to the budget administration, procurement, recruitment, and audit of the Authority, given that a portion of funding of the	(42) The governing body of the Authority should be the Executive Board composed of the Chair of the Authority and of five full time members, appointed by the General Board based on the shortlist by the Commission. With the aim of ensuring a speedy and efficient decision making process, the Executive Board should be in charge of planning and execution of all the tasks of the Authority except where specific decisions are explicitly allocated to the General Board. In order to ensure objectivity and appropriate rapidity of the decision- making process in the area of direct supervision of the selected obliged entities, the Executive Board should take all binding decisions addressed to selected obliged entities. <i>The representatives of the financial</i> <i>supervisors where the entity is established</i> <i>should be able to attend the deliberation of</i> <i>the Executive Board</i> . In addition, together with a representative of the Commission, the Executive Board should be collectively responsible for the administrative and budgetary decisions of the Authority. The	(42) The governing body of the Authority should be the Executive Board composed of the Chair of the Authority and of five full time members, appointed by the <i>General</i> <i>BoardEuropean Parliament and the Council</i> based on the shortlist <u>of qualified candidates</u> <u>drawn up</u> by the Commission. With the aim of ensuring a speedy and efficient decision making process, the Executive Board should be in charge of planning and execution of all the tasks of the Authority except where specific decisions are explicitly allocated to the General Board. In order to ensure objectivity and appropriate rapidity of the decision-making process in the area of direct supervision of the selected obliged entities, the Executive Board should take all binding decisions addressed to selected obliged entities. In addition, together with a representative of the Commission the Executive Board should be collectively responsible for the administrative and budgetary decisions of the Authority. The consent of the Commission should be required when the Executive Board is taking decisions related to the budget administration, procurement, recruitment, and

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	Authority will be provided from Union budget.	consent of the Commission should be required when the Executive Board is taking decisions related to the budget administration, procurement, recruitment, and audit of the Authority, given that a portion of funding of the Authority will be provided from Union budget.	audit of the Authority, given that a portion of funding of the Authority will be provided from Union budget.
53	(43) To allow for swift decisions, all decisions of the Executive Board, including the decision where the Commission has a right to vote, should be taken by simple majority, with the Chair holding a casting vote in case of a tied vote. To ensure sound financial management of the Authority, the Commission's consent should be required for decisions related to budget, administration and recruitment. The voting members of the Executive Board other than the Chair should be selected by the General Board, based on a short-list established by the Commission.	(43) To allow for swift decisions, all decisions of the Executive Board, including the decision where the Commission has a right to vote, should be taken by simple majority, with the Chair holding a casting vote in case of a tied vote. To ensure sound financial management of the Authority, the Commission's consent should be required for decisions related to budget, administration and recruitment. The voting members of the Executive Board other than the Chair should be selected by the General Board, based on a <i>short-listshortlist</i> established by the Commission.	(43) To allow for swift decisions, all decisions of the Executive Board, including the decision where the Commission has a right to vote, should be taken by simple majority, with the Chair holding a casting vote in case of a tied vote. <i>To ensure sound financial management of</i> <i>the Authority, the Commission's consent should</i> <i>be required for decisions related to budget,</i> <i>administration and recruitment. The voting</i> <i>members of the Executive Board other than the</i> <i>Chair should be selected by the General Board,</i> <i>based on a short-list established by the</i> <i>Commission.</i>
54	(44) To ensure the independent functioning of the Authority the five Members of the Executive Board and the Chair of the Authority should act independently and in the interest of the Union as a whole. They should behave, both	(44) To ensure the independent functioning of the Authority the five Members of the Executive Board and the Chair of the Authority should act independently and in the interest of the Union as a wholeThey	(44) To ensure the independent functioning of the Authority the five Members of the Executive Board and the Chair of the Authority should act independently and in the interest of the Union as a wholeThey should behave, both during and

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	during and after their term of office, with integrity and discretion as regards the acceptance of certain appointments or benefits. To avoid giving any impression that a Member of the Executive Board might use its position as a Member of the Executive Board of the Authority to get a high-ranking appointment in the private sector after his term of office and to prevent any post-public employment conflicts of interests, a cooling-off period for the five Members of the Executive Board, including the Chair of the Authority, should be introduced.	should behave, both during and after their term of office, with integrity and discretion as regards the acceptance of certain appointments or benefits. To avoid giving any impression that a Member of the Executive Board might use its position as a Member of the Executive Board of the Authority to get a high-ranking appointment in the private sector after his term of office and to prevent any post-public employment conflicts of interests, a cooling-off period for the five Members of the Executive Board, including the Chair of the Authority, should be introduced.	after their term of office, with integrity and discretion as regards the acceptance of certain appointments or benefits. To avoid giving any impression that a Member of the Executive Board might use its position as a Member of the Executive Board of the Authority to get a high- ranking appointment in the private sector after his term of office and to prevent any post-public employment conflicts of interests, a cooling-off period for the five Members of the Executive Board, including the Chair of the Authority, should be introduced.
55	(45) The Chair of the Authority should be appointed based on objective criteria by the Council after approval by the European Parliament. He or she should represent the Authority externally and should report on the execution of Authority's tasks.	(45) The Chair of the Authority should be appointed based on objective criteria by the Council after approval by the European Parliament <u>and following a hearing and an</u> <u>opinion of the General Board to the</u> <u>Parliament and the Council</u> . He or she should represent the Authority externally and should report on the execution of Authority's tasks.	(45) The Chair of the Authority should be appointed based on objective criteria by the Council after approval by the European Parliament. He or she should represent the Authority externally and should report on the execution of Authority's tasks.
56	(46) The Executive Director of the Authority should be appointed by the Executive Board based on a shortlist from the Commission. The	(46) The Executive Director of the Authority should be appointed by the Executive Board based on a shortlist from	(46) The Executive Director of the Authority should be appointed <u>based on objective criteria</u> by the Executive Board <u>based on a shortlist</u>

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	Executive Director of the Authority should be a senior administrative official of the Authority, in charge of the day-to-day management of the Authority, and responsible for budget administration, procurement, and recruitment and staffing.	the Commission <i>and following a hearing</i> <i>and an opinion of the General Board to the</i> <i>Executive Board</i> . The Executive Director of the Authority should be a senior administrative official of the Authority, in charge of the day-to-day management of the Authority, and responsible for budget administration, procurement, and recruitment and staffing.	<i>from the Commissionafter approval by the</i> <u><i>European Parliament</i></u> . The Executive Director of the Authority should be a senior administrative official of the Authority, in charge of the day-to-day management of the Authority, and responsible for budget administration, procurement, and recruitment and staffing.
57	(47) To protect effectively the rights of parties concerned, for reasons of procedural economy and to reduce the burden on the Court of Justice of the European Union, the Authority should provide natural and legal persons with the possibility to request a review of decisions taken under the powers related to direct supervision and conferred on the Authority by this Regulation and addressed to them, or which are of direct and individual concern to them. The independence and objectivity of the decisions taken by the Administrative Board of Review should be, among others, ensured by its composition of five independent and suitably qualified persons. Decisions of the Administrative Board of Review should be in turn appealable before the Court of Justice of the European Union.	(47) To protect effectively the rights of parties concerned, for reasons of procedural economy and to reduce the burden on the Court of Justice of the European Union, the Authority should provide natural and legal persons with the possibility to request a review of decisions taken under the powers related to direct supervision and conferred on the Authority by this Regulation and addressed to them, or which are of direct and individual concern to them. The independence and objectivity of the decisions taken by the Administrative Board of Review should be, among others, ensured by its composition of five independent and suitably qualified persons. Decisions of the Administrative Board of Review should be in turn appealable before the Court of Justice of the European Union.	(47) To protect effectively the rights of parties concerned, for reasons of procedural economy and to reduce the burden on the Court of Justice of the European Union, the Authority should provide natural and legal persons with the possibility to request <i>a reviewan appeal</i> of decisions taken under the powers related to direct supervision and conferred on the Authority by this Regulation and addressed to them, or which are of direct and individual concern to them. The independence and objectivity of the decisions taken by the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> should be, among others, ensured by its composition of five independent and suitably qualified persons. Decisions of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> should be in turn appealable before the Court of Justice of the European Union.

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58	(48) To guarantee the proper functioning of the Authority, funding should be provided by a combination of fees levied on certain obliged entities and a contribution from the Union budget, depending on the tasks and functions. The budget of the Authority should be part of the Union budget, confirmed by the Budgetary Authority on the basis of a proposal from the Commission. The Authority should submit to the Commission a draft budget and an internal financial regulation for approval.	(48) It is necessary to provide the Authority with the requisite human and financial resources so that it can fulfil the objectives, tasks and responsibilities assigned to it under this Regulation. To guarantee the proper functioning of the Authority, funding should be provided, depending on the tasks and functions by a combination of fees levied on certain obliged entities and a contribution from the Union budget; depending on the tasks and functions. The fees levied on certain obliged entities should be calculated according to the principle of proportionnality and taking into account, in particular, whether the obliged entities have qualified for direct supervision or not. The budget of the Authority should be part of the Union budget, confirmed by the Budgetary Authority on the basis of a proposal from the Commission. The Authority should submit to the Commission a draft budget and an internal financial regulation for approval.	(48) It is necessary to provide the Authority with the requisite human and financial resources so that it can fulfil its objectives, tasks and responsibilities under this Regulation. In order to ensure that the Authority can respond flexibly to human resource needs, it is in particular appropriate that it has autonomy regarding the recruitment of contract agents. To guarantee the proper functioning of the Authority, funding should be provided , depending on the tasks and functions, by a combination of fees levied on certain obliged entities and a contribution from the Union budget, depending on the tasks and functions. The budget of the Authority should be part of the Union budget, confirmed. The contribution from the Union budget is to be decided by the Budgetary Authority on the basis of a proposal from the Commission.through the budgetary procedure. To that end, the Authority should submit to the Commission a draft budget and an internalstatement of estimates. It should also adopt financial regulation for approvalrules after consulting the Commission.
59	(49) To ensure that the Authority can also fulfil its tasks as direct and indirect supervisor of obliged entities, an adequate mechanism for the	(49) To ensure that the Authority can also fulfil its tasks as direct and indirect supervisor of obliged entities, an adequate	(49) To ensure that the Authority can also fulfil its tasks as direct and indirect supervisor of obliged entities, an adequate mechanism for the

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	determination and the collection of the fees should be introduced. As regards the fees levied on selected obliged entities and certain non- selected obliged entities, the methodology for their calculation and the process of collection of fees should be developed in a delegated act of the Commission. The methodology should be based on the risk of the directly and indirectly supervised entities as well as their turnover or revenue.	mechanism for the determination and the collection of the fees should be introduced. As regards the fees levied on selected obliged entities and certain non-selected obliged entities, the methodology for their calculation and the process of collection of fees should be developed in a delegated act of the Commission. The methodology should be based on the risk of the directly and indirectly supervised entities as well as their turnover or revenue.	determination and the collection of the fees should be introduced. As regards the fees levied on selected obliged entities and certain non- selected obliged entities, the methodology for their calculation and the process of collection of fees should be developed in a delegated act of the Commission. The methodology should be based on the risk of the directly and indirectly supervised entities as well as their turnover or revenue. <i>The methodology established should</i> <i>ensure sufficient and stable revenue for the</i> <i>Authority, ensuring the predictability of the</i> <i>contribution from the Union budget, in order</i> <i>to enable the Authority to carry out its duties.</i>
60	<ul> <li>(50) The rules on establishment and implementation of the budget of the Authority, as well as the presentation of annual accounts of the Authority, should follow the provisions of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715<sup>1</sup> as regards cooperation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office and the effectiveness of the European Anti-Fraud Office investigations.</li> <li>1. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715 of 18 December 2018 on the framework financial regulation for the bodies set up under the TFEU and Euratom Treaty and referred to in Article 70 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 122, 10.5.2019, p. 1).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(50) The rules on establishment and implementation of the budget of the Authority, as well as the presentation of annual accounts of the Authority, should follow the provisions of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715<sup>1</sup> as regards cooperation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office and the effectiveness of the European Anti-Fraud Office investigations.</li> <li>1. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715 of 18 December 2018 on the framework financial regulation for the bodies set up under the TFEU and Euratom Treaty and referred to in Article 70 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(50) The rules on establishment and implementation of the budget of the Authority, as well as the presentation of annual accounts of the Authority, should follow the provisions of Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715<sup>1</sup> as regards cooperation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office and the effectiveness of the European Anti-Fraud Office investigations.</li> <li>1. Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715 of 18 December 2018 on the framework financial regulation for the bodies set up under the TFEU and Euratom Treaty and referred to in Article 70 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 122, 10.5.2019, p. 1).</li> </ul>

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		Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 122, 10.5.2019, p. 1).	
61	(51) In order to prevent and effectively combat internal fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity within the Authority, it should be subject to Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013as regards cooperation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office and the effectiveness of the European Anti-Fraud Office investigations. The Authority should accede to Interinstitutional Agreement concerning internal investigations by OLAF, which should be able, to carry out on-the-spot checks within the area of its competence.	(51) In order to prevent and effectively combat internal fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity within the Authority, it should be subject to Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 as regards cooperation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office and the effectiveness of the European Anti-Fraud Office investigations. The Authority should accede to Interinstitutional Agreement concerning internal investigations by OLAF, which should be able, to carry out on-the-spot checks within the area of its competence.	(51) In order to prevent and effectively combat internal fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity within the Authority, it should be subject to Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013as regards cooperation with the European Public Prosecutor's Office and the effectiveness of the European Anti-Fraud Office investigations. The Authority should accede to Interinstitutional Agreement concerning internal investigations by OLAF, which should be able, to carry out on-the-spot checks within the area of its competence.
62	(52) As stated in the Cybersecurity Strategy for the European Union <sup>1</sup> , it is essential to ensure a high level of cyber resilience in all EU institutions, bodies and agencies due to the increasingly hostile threat environment. The Executive Director must thus ensure appropriate IT risk management, a strong internal IT governance and sufficient IT security funding. The Authority shall work closely with the Computer Emergency Response Team of the European Union Institutions, Bodies and Agencies and report	(52) As stated in the Cybersecurity Strategy for the European Union <sup>1</sup> , it is essential to ensure a high level of cyber resilience in all EU institutions, bodies and agencies due to the increasingly hostile threat environment. The Executive Director must thus ensure appropriate IT risk management, a strong internal IT governance and sufficient IT security funding. The Authority shall work closely with the Computer Emergency Response Team of the European Union Institutions, Bodies and Agencies and report	(52) As stated in the Cybersecurity Strategy for the European Union <sup>1</sup> , it is essential to ensure a high level of cyber resilience in all EU institutions, bodies and agencies due to the increasingly hostile threat environment. The Executive Director must thus ensure appropriate IT risk management, a strong internal IT governance and sufficient IT security funding. The Authority shall work closely with the Computer Emergency Response Team of the European Union Institutions, Bodies and Agencies and report major incidents with 24

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	major incidents with 24 hours to CERT EU as well as to the Commission.	Council Mandate major incidents with 24 hours to CERT EU as well as to the Commission. <u>1. https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-</u>	hours to CERT EU as well as to the Commission.
63	<ul> <li>content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A52013JC0001.</li> <li>(53) The Authority should be accountable to both the European Parliament and the Council for the execution of its tasks and implementation of this Regulation. The Chair of the Authority should present a respective report to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on a yearly basis.</li> </ul>	content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A52013JC0001. (53) The Authority should be accountable to both the European Parliament and the Council for the execution of its tasks and implementation of this Regulation. The Chair of the Authority should present a respective report to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on a yearly basis.	<ul> <li>content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A52013JC0001.</li> <li>(53) The Authority should be accountable to both the European Parliament and the Council for the execution of its tasks and implementation of this Regulation. The Chair of the Authority should present a respective report to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission on a yearly basis.</li> </ul>
64	<ul> <li>(54) The staff of the Authority should be composed of temporary agents, contractual agents and seconded national experts as well as national delegates placed at the disposition of the Authority by Union FIUs. The Authority, in agreement with the Commission, should adopt the relevant implementing measures in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 110 of the Staff Regulations<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. Regulation No 31 (EEC), 11 (EAEC) laying down the Staff Regulations of Officials and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community (OJ P 045 14.6.1962, p. 1385).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(54) The staff of the Authority should be composed of temporary agents, contractual agents and seconded national experts as well as national delegates placed at the disposition of the Authority by Union FIUs <u>but</u> remaining under the Authority of their national FIU. The Authority, in agreement with the Commission, should adopt the relevant implementing measures in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 110 of the Staff Regulations<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. Regulation No 31 (EEC), 11 (EAEC) laying down the Staff Regulations of Officials and the Conditions of</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(54) The staff of the Authority should be composed of temporary agents, contractual agents and seconded national experts as well as national delegates placed at the disposition of the Authority by Union FIUs. The Authority, in agreement with the Commission, should adopt the relevant implementing measures in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 110 of the Staff Regulations<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. Regulation No 31 (EEC), 11 (EAEC) laying down the Staff Regulations of Officials and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants of the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community (OJ P 045 14.6.1962, p. 1385).</li> </ul>

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		Employment of Other Servants of the European Economic Community and the European Atomic Energy Community (OJ P 045 14.6.1962, p. 1385).	
65	(55) To ensure that confidential information is treated accordingly, all members of the governing bodies of the Authority, all staff of the Authority, including seconded staff and staff placed at the disposition of the Authority, as well as any persons carrying out tasks for the Authority on a contractual basis, should be subject to obligation of professional secrecy, including any confidentiality restrictions and obligations stemming from the relevant provisions of Union legislation, and related to the specific tasks of the Authority. However, confidentiality and professional secrecy obligations should not prevent the Authority from cooperating with, exchanging or disclosing information to other relevant national or Union authorities or bodies, where it is necessary for the performance of their respective tasks and where such cooperation and exchange of information obligations are envisaged in Union law.	(55) To ensure that confidential information is treated accordingly, all members of the governing bodies of the Authority, all staff of the Authority, including seconded staff and staff placed at the disposition of the Authority, as well as any persons carrying out tasks for the Authority on a contractual basis, should be subject to obligation of professional secrecy, including any confidentiality restrictions and obligations stemming from the relevant provisions of Union legislation, and related to the specific tasks of the Authority. However, confidentiality and professional secrecy obligations should not prevent the Authority from cooperating with, exchanging or disclosing information to other relevant national or Union authorities or bodies, where it is necessary for the performance of their respective tasks and where such cooperation and exchange of information obligations are envisaged in Union law.	(55) To ensure that confidential information is treated accordingly, all members of the governing bodies of the Authority, all staff of the Authority, including seconded staff and staff placed at the disposition of the Authority, as well as any persons carrying out tasks for the Authority on a contractual basis, should be subject to obligation of professional secrecy, including any confidentiality restrictions and obligations stemming from the relevant provisions of Union legislation, and related to the specific tasks of the Authority. However, confidentiality and professional secrecy obligations should not prevent the Authority from cooperating with, exchanging or disclosing information to other relevant national or Union authorities or bodies, where it is necessary for the performance of their respective tasks and where such cooperation and exchange of information obligations are envisaged in Union law.
66	(56) Without prejudice to the confidentiality obligations that apply to the Authority's staff	(56) Without prejudice to the confidentiality obligations that apply to the Authority's staff	(56) Without prejudice to the confidentiality obligations that apply to the Authority's staff

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and representatives in accordance with the relevant provisions in Union law, the Authority should be subject to Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council. <sup>1</sup> In line with the confidentiality and professional secrecy restrictions related to supervisory and FIU support and coordination tasks of the Authority, such access should not be extended to confidential information handled by the staff of the Authority. In particular, any operational data or information related to such operational data or deal the Authority and of the EU FIUs that is in the possession of the Authority due to carrying out the tasks and activities related to support and coordination of FIUs should be deemed as confidential. With regard to supervisory tasks, access to information or data of the Authority, the financial supervisors, or the obliged entities obtained in the process of carrying out the tasks and activities related to direct supervision should in principle also be treated as confidential and not subject to any disclosure. However, confidential information listed that relates to a supervisory procedure can be fully or partially disclosed to the obliged entities which are parties to such supervisory procedure, subject to the legitimate interest of legal and natural persons other than the relevant party, in the protection of their business secrets. <u>1. Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European</u> Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and	and representatives in accordance with the relevant provisions in Union law, the Authority should be subject to Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council- <sup>1</sup> . In line with the confidentiality and professional secrecy restrictions related to supervisory and FIU support and coordination tasks of the Authority, such access should not be extended to confidential information handled by the staff of the Authority. In particular, any operational data or information related to such operational data of the Authority and of the EU FIUs that is <i>in the possession handled by staff</i> of the Authority due to carrying out the tasks and activities related to support and coordination of FIUs should be deemed as confidential. With regard to supervisory tasks, access to information or data of the Authority, the financial supervisors, or the obliged entities obtained in the process of carrying out the tasks and activities related to direct supervision should in principle also be treated as confidential and not subject to any disclosure. However, confidential information listed that relates to a supervisory procedure can be fully or partially disclosed to the obliged entities which are parties to such supervisory procedure, subject to the legitimate interest	and representatives in accordance with the relevant provisions in Union law, the Authority should be subject to Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European Parliament and of the Council. <sup>1</sup> In line with the confidentiality and professional secrecy restrictions related to supervisory and FIU support and coordination tasks of the Authority, such access should not be extended to confidential information handled by the staff of the Authority. In particular, any operational data or information related to such operational data of the Authority and of the EU FIUs that is in the possession of the Authority due to carrying out the tasks and activities related to support and coordination or data of the Authority, the financial supervisors, or the obliged entities obtained in the process of carrying out the tasks and activities related to direct supervision should in principle also be treated as confidential information listed that relates to a supervisory procedure can be fully or partially disclosed to the obliged entities which are parties to such supervisory procedure, subject to the legitimate interest of legal and natural persons other than the relevant party, in the protection of their business secrets.

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		Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).	of legal and natural persons other than the relevant party, in the protection of their business secrets. <u>1. Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 of the European</u> Parliament and of the Council of 30 May 2001 regarding public access to European Parliament, Council and Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).	Commission documents (OJ L 145, 31.5.2001, p. 43).
	57	<ul> <li>(57) Without prejudice to any specific language arrangements that could be adopted within AML supervisory system and with selected obliged entities, Council Regulation No 1<sup>1</sup> should apply to the Authority and any translation services which may be required for the functioning of the Authority should be provided by the Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union.</li> <li>1. Council Regulation No 1 determining the languages to be used by the European Economic Community ( OJ 17, 6.10.1958, p. 385).</li> </ul>	(57) Without prejudice to any specific language arrangements that could be adopted within AML supervisory system and with selected obliged entities, Council Regulation No 1 <sup>1</sup> should apply to the Authority and any translation services which may be required for the functioning of the Authority should be provided by the Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union. $\overline{1. \text{ Council Regulation No 1 determining the languages}}$ to be used by the European Economic Community ( OJ 17, 6.10.1958, p. 385).	<ul> <li>(57) Without prejudice to any specific language arrangements that could be adopted within AML supervisory system and with selected obliged entities, Council Regulation No 1<sup>1</sup> should apply to the Authority and any translation services which may be required for the functioning of the Authority should be provided by the Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union.</li> <li>1. Council Regulation No 1 determining the languages to be used by the European Economic Community ( OJ 17, 6.10.1958, p. 385).</li> </ul>
(	58	(58) Without prejudice to the obligations of the Member States and their authorities, the processing of personal data on the basis of this Regulation for the purposes of the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing should be considered necessary for the	(58) Without prejudice to the obligations of the Member States and their authorities, the processing of personal data on the basis of this Regulation for the purposes of the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing should be considered necessary for	(58) Without prejudice to the obligations of the Member States and their authorities, the processing of personal data on the basis of this Regulation for the purposes of the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing should be considered necessary for the performance of

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performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Authority under Article 5 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1</sup> and Article 6 of Regulation 2016/679of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>2</sup> . When developing any instruments or taking any decisions that may have a significant impact on the protection of personal data, the Authority should closely cooperate, where relevant, with the European Data Protection Board established by Regulation (EU) 2016/679 and with the European Data Protection Supervisor established by Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 to avoid duplication. <u>1. Regulation</u> (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation) (OJ L 119, 4.5.2016, p. 1).	the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Authority under Article 5 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1</sup> and Article 6 of Regulation 2016/679_of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>2</sup> . When developing any instruments or taking any decisions that may have a significant impact on the protection of personal data, the Authority should closely cooperate, where relevant, with the European Data Protection Board established by Regulation (EU) 2016/679 and with the European Data Protection Supervisor established by Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 to avoid duplication. <i>The Authority should take</i> <i>particular attention to opinions issued by</i> <i>the European Data Protection Board and</i> <i>the European Data Protection Supervisor</i> <i>when performing those tasks and, where</i> <i>applicable, in the course of public</i> <i>consultation.</i> 1. Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 23 October 2018 on the protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data by the Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Regulation (EC) No 45/2001 and Decision No 1247/2002/EC (OJ L 295, 21.11.2018, p. 39). 2. Regulation (EU) 2016/679 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 27 April 2016 on the	a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Authority under Article $\frac{55(1)(a)}{2018/1725}$ of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1</sup> and Article $\frac{6 \ of \ Regulation}{2016/6796(1)(b) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2016/679}$ of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>2</sup> , or when necessary for complying with a legal obligation to which the controller is subject pursuant to Article $5(1)(b) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(b) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(b) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ Regulation (EU) \ 2018/1725 \ or \ Article \ 5(1)(c) \ of \ 8(c) \ 5(c) \ $

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		protection of natural persons with regard to the processing of personal data and on the free movement of such data, and repealing Directive 95/46/EC (General Data Protection Regulation) (OJ L 119, 4.5.2016, p. 1).	Regulation) (OJ L 119, 4.5.2016, p. 1).
68a			(58a) The Authority should put in place effective and reliable mechanisms to encourage the reporting of potential and actual breaches of Regulation [please insert reference to Funds Transfer Regulation] or Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420 final] by obliged entities or potential and actual breaches of [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final] by obliged entities, supervisory authorities, FIUs or authorities competent for the implementation of targeted financial sanctions. For that purpose, the Authority should ensure a high level of protection of the persons reporting those breaches, at least equivalent to the level of protection of persons reporting breaches of Union law provided by Directive (EU) 2019/1937.
68b			(58b) Member States should ensure that individuals, including employees and

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	Council Mandate	representatives of the obliged entity, supervisory authorities, FIUs or authorities competent for the implementation of targeted financial sanctions, who report to the Authority actual or potential breaches of Regulation [please insert reference to Funds Transfer Regulation], Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420final] or breaches of [please insert reference – proposal for 6thAnti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final], are legally protected from being exposed to threats, retaliatory or hostile action, and in particular from adverse or discriminatory employment actions. Member States should also ensure that individuals who are exposed to threats, hostile actions, or adverse or discriminatory employment actions for reporting to the Authority actual or potential breaches of Regulation [please insert reference to Funds Transfer Regulation], Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420final] or breaches of [please insert reference to Funds Transfer Regulation], Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420final] or breaches of [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive -COM/2021/423 final], are entitled to present a complaint in a safe manner to the respective competent authorities. Without prejudice to the confidentiality of information gathered by FIUs, Member States should
		ensure that such individuals have the right to

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69	(59) The Authority should establish cooperative relations with the relevant Union agencies and bodies, including Europol, Eurojust, the EPPO, and the European Supervisory Authorities, namely the European Banking Authority, the European Securities and Markets Authority and the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority. To improve cross-sectoral supervision and a better cooperation between prudential and AML/CFT supervisors the Authority should also establish cooperative relations with the authorities competent for prudential supervision of financial sector obliged entities, including the European Central Bank with regard to matters relating to the tasks conferred on it by Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013 <sup>1</sup> , as well as with resolution authorities as defined in Article 3 of Directive (EU) 2014/59/EU of the	(59) The Authority should establish cooperative relations with the relevant Union agencies and bodies, including Europol, Eurojust, the EPPO, and the European Supervisory Authorities, namely the European Banking Authority, the European Securities and Markets Authority and the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority. To improve cross- sectoral supervision and a better cooperation between prudential and AML/CFT supervisors, the Authority should also establish cooperative relations with the authorities competent for prudential supervision of financial sector obliged entities, including the European Central Bank with regard to matters relating to the tasks conferred on it by Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013 <sup>1</sup> , as well as with	(59) The Authority should establish cooperative relations with the relevant Union agencies and bodies, including Europol, Eurojust, the EPPO, and the European Supervisory Authorities, namely the European Banking Authority, the European Securities and Markets Authority and the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority. To improve cross-sectoral supervision and a better cooperation between prudential and AML/CFT supervisors the Authority should also establish cooperative relations with the authorities competent for prudential supervision of financial sector obliged entities, including the European Central Bank with regard to matters relating to the tasks conferred on it by Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013 <sup>1</sup> , as well as with resolution authorities as defined in Article 3 of Directive (EU) 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament

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European Parliament and the Council <sup>2</sup> and designated Deposit Guarantee Schemes authorities as defined in Article 2 (1), point 18 of Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>3</sup> . To this end, the Authority should be able to conclude agreements or memoranda of understanding with such bodies, including with regard to any information exchange which is necessary for the fulfilment of the respective tasks of the Authority and these bodies. The Authority should make its best efforts to share information with such bodies on their request, within the limits posed by legal constraints, including data protection legislation. In addition, the Authority should enable effective information exchange between all financial supervisors in the AML/CFT supervisory system and the aforementioned authorities, such cooperation and information exchanges should take place in a structured and efficient way.	resolution authorities as defined in Article 3 of Directive (EU) 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>2</sup> and designated Deposit Guarantee Schemes authorities as defined in Article 2 (1), point 18 of Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>3</sup> . To this end, the Authority should be able to conclude agreements or memoranda of understanding with such bodies, including with regard to any information exchange which is necessary for the fulfilment of the respective tasks of the Authority and these bodies. The Authority should make its best efforts to share information with such bodies on their request, within the limits posed by legal constraints, including data protection legislation. In addition, the Authority should enable effective information exchange between all financial supervisors in the AML/CFT supervisory system and the aforementioned authorities, such cooperation and information (EU) No 1024/2013 of 15 October 2013 conferring specific tasks on the European Central Bank concerning policies relating to the prudential supervision of credit institutions (OJ L 287, 29.10.2013, p. 63). 2. Directive 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014 establishing a framework for the recovery and resolution of credit institutions and investment firms and amending	and the Council <sup>2</sup> and designated Deposit Guarantee Schemes authorities as defined in Article 2 (1), point 18 of Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>3</sup> . To this end, the Authority should be able to conclude agreements or memoranda of understanding with such bodies, including with regard to any information exchange which is necessary for the fulfilment of the respective tasks of the Authority and these bodies. The Authority should make its best efforts to share information with such bodies on their request, within the limits posed by legal constraints, including data protection legislation. In addition, the Authority should enable effective information exchange between all financial supervisors in the AML/CFT supervisory system and the aforementioned authorities, such cooperation and information exchanges should take place in a structured and efficient way. <u>1. Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013 of 15 October</u> 2013 conferring specific tasks on the European Central Bank concerning policies relating to the prudential supervision of credit institutions (OJ L 287, 29.10.2013, p. 63). 2. Directive 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 15 May 2014 establishing a framework for the recovery and resolution of credit institutions and investment firms and amending Council Directive 82/891/EEC, and Directives 2001/24/EC, 2002/47/EC, 2004/25/EC, 2005/56/EC, 2007/36/EC, 2011/35/EU, 2012/30/EU and 2013/36/EU, and Regulations (EU) No 1093/2010 and (EU) No 648/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 173, 12.6.2014, p.

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	<ul> <li>1093/2010 and (EU) No 648/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 173, 12.6.2014, p. 190).</li> <li>3. Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on deposit guarantee schemes (OJ L 173, 12.6.2014, p. 149).</li> </ul>	Council Directive 82/891/EEC, and Directives 2001/24/EC, 2002/47/EC, 2004/25/EC, 2005/56/EC, 2007/36/EC, 2011/35/EU, 2012/30/EU and 2013/36/EU, and Regulations (EU) No 1093/2010 and (EU) No 648/2012 of the European Parliament and of the Council (OJ L 173, 12.6.2014, p. 190). 3. Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on deposit guarantee schemes (OJ L 173, 12.6.2014, p. 149).	190). 3. Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 16 April 2014 on deposit guarantee schemes (OJ L 173, 12.6.2014, p. 149).
70	(60) Public-private partnerships ('PPPs') have become increasingly important cooperation and information exchange fora between FIUs, various national supervisory and law enforcement authorities and obliged entities in some Member States. Where the Authority would act as direct supervisor of selected obliged entities which are part of a PPP in any Member State, it could be beneficial for the Authority to also participate therein, on conditions determined by the relevant national public authority or authorities that set up such PPP, and with their explicit agreement.	(60) Public-private partnerships ('PPPs') have become increasingly important cooperation and information exchange fora between FIUs, various national supervisory and law enforcement authorities and obliged entities in some Member States. Where the Authority would act as direct supervisor of selected obliged entities which are part of a PPP in any Member State, it could be beneficial for the Authority to also participate therein, on conditions determined by the relevant national public authority or authorities that set up such PPP, and with their explicit agreement.	(60) Public-private partnerships ('PPPs') have become increasingly important cooperation and information exchange fora between FIUs, various national supervisory and law enforcement authorities and obliged entities in some Member States. Where the Authority would act as direct supervisor of selected obliged entities which are part of a PPP in any Member State, it could be beneficial for the Authority to also participate therein, on conditions determined by the relevant national public authority or authorities that set up such PPP, and with their explicit agreement.
70a			(60a) The Authority should be able to set up cooperation arrangements with FIUs and selected obliged entities, as well as with other obliged entities in the financial and non- financial sector. Those cooperation

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			arrangements should also be able to provide for the participation of supervisory authorities, FIUs, Europol and data protection authorities at national and Union level.
71	(61) Considering that cooperation between supervisory, administrative and law enforcement authorities is crucial for successful combatting of money laundering and terrorism financing, and certain Union authorities and bodies have specific tasks or mandates in that area, the Authority should make sure that it is able to cooperate with such authorities and bodies, in particular OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO. If there is a need to establish specific working arrangements or conclude Memoranda of Understanding between the Authority and these bodies and authorities, the Authority should be able to do so. The arrangement should be of strategic and technical nature, should not imply sharing of any confidential or operational information in possession of the Authority and should account for tasks already carried out by the other Union institutions, bodies, offices or agencies as regards the prevention of and fight against money laundering and terrorist financing.	(61) Considering that cooperation between supervisory, administrative and law enforcement authorities is crucial for successful combatting of money laundering and terrorism financing, and certain Union authorities and bodies have specific tasks or mandates in that area, the Authority should make sure that it is able to cooperate with such authorities and bodies, in particular OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO. If there is a need to establish specific working arrangements or conclude Memoranda of Understanding between the Authority and these bodies and authorities, the Authority should be able to do so. The arrangement should be of strategic and technical nature, should not imply sharing of any confidential or operational information in possession of the Authority and should account for tasks already carried out by the other Union institutions, bodies, offices or agencies as regards the prevention of and fight against money laundering and terrorist financing.	(61) Considering that cooperation between supervisory, administrative and law enforcement authorities is crucial for successful combatting of money laundering and terrorism financing, and certain Union authorities and bodies have specific tasks or mandates in that area, the Authority should make sure that it is able to cooperate with such authorities and bodies, in particular OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO. If there is a need to establish specific working arrangements or conclude Memoranda of Understanding between the Authority and these bodies and authorities, the Authority should be able to do so. The arrangement should be of strategic and technical nature, should not imply sharing of any confidential or operational information in possession of the Authority and should account for tasks already carried out by the other Union institutions, bodies, offices or agencies as regards the prevention of and fight against money laundering and terrorist financing.

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72	(62) Since both predicate offenses as well as the crime of money laundering itself often are of global nature, and given that the Union obliged entities also operate with and in third countries, effective cooperation with all the relevant third country authorities in the areas of both supervision and functioning of FIUs are crucial for strengthening the Union AML/CFT framework. Given the Authority's unique combination of direct and indirect supervision and FIU cooperation-related tasks and powers, it should be able to take an active role in such external cooperation arrangements. Specifically, the Authority should be empowered to develop contacts and enter into administrative arrangements with authorities in third countries that have regulatory, supervisory and FIU-related competences. The Authority's role could be particularly beneficial in cases where the interaction of several Union public authorities and FIUs with third country authorities concerns matters within the scope of the Authority's tasks. In such cases, the Authority should have a leading role in facilitating this interaction.	(62) Since both predicate <i>offensesoffences</i> as well as the crime of money laundering itself often are of global nature, and given that the Union obliged entities also operate with and in third countries, effective cooperation with all the relevant third country authorities in the areas of both supervision and functioning of FIUs are crucial for strengthening the Union AML/CFT framework. Given the Authority's unique combination of direct and indirect supervision and FIU cooperation-related tasks and powers, it should be able to take an active role in such external cooperation arrangements. Specifically, the Authority should be empowered to develop contacts and enter into administrative arrangements with authorities in third countries that have regulatory, supervisory and FIU-related competences. The Authority's role could be particularly beneficial in cases where the interaction of several Union public authorities and FIUs with third country authorities concerns matters within the scope of the Authority's tasks. In such cases, the Authority should have a leading role in facilitating this interaction.	(62) Since both predicate offenses as well as the crime of money laundering itself often are of global nature, and given that the Union obliged entities also operate with and in third countries, effective cooperation with all the relevant third country authorities in the areas of both supervision and functioning of FIUs are crucial for strengthening the Union AML/CFT framework. Given the Authority's unique combination of direct and indirect supervision and FIU cooperation-related tasks and powers, it should be able to take an active role in such external cooperation arrangements. Specifically, the Authority should be empowered to develop contacts and enter into administrative arrangements with authorities in third countries that have regulatory, supervisory and FIU- related competences. The Authority's role could be particularly beneficial in cases where the interaction of several Union public authorities and FIUs with third country authorities concerns matters within the scope of the Authority's tasks. In such cases, the Authority should have a leading role in facilitating this interaction.
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		Council Mandate	(62a) It is essential that the Union joins global efforts in fighting money laundering and terrorist financing, notably the work carried out by international organisations active in the field of AML/CFT such as the Financial Action Task Force (FATF). The Commission endorsed, on behalf of the Union, the Ministerial Declaration of the FATF, as well as the revised FATF Mandate at the 12 April 2019 FATF Ministerial Meeting. As a member of FATF, the Commission needs to ensure a united, common, consistent and effective representation of the Union's interests in FATF. Given its tasks and powers in the field of AML/CFT, the Authority should contribute to the representation of the Union and the defence of its interests in international fora, including by assisting the Commission in its tasks relating to Union membership of the FATF and by supporting the work and objectives of the Egmont Group of FIUs and of MONEYVAL, among others.
73	(63) Since the Authority will have a full range of powers and tasks related to direct and indirect supervision and oversight of all obliged entities, it is necessary that these powers remain consolidated within one Union body, and do not give rise to conflicting competences with other Union bodies. Therefore, the European Banking	(63) Since the Authority will have a full range of powers and tasks related to direct and indirect supervision and oversight of all obliged entities, it is necessary that these powers remain consolidated within one Union body, and do not give rise to conflicting competences with other Union	(63) Since the Authority will have a full range of powers and tasks related to direct and indirect supervision and oversight of all obliged entities, it is necessary that these powers remain consolidated within one Union body, and do not give rise to conflicting competences with other Union bodies. Therefore, the European Banking

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Authority should not retain its tasks and powers related to anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, and the respective articles in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1</sup> should be deleted. The resources allocated to the European Banking Authority for the fulfilment of those tasks should be transferred to the Authority. Considering that all three European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, ESMA and EIOPA) will be cooperating with the Authority, and may attend the meetings of the General Board in supervisory composition as observers, the same possibility should be afforded to the Authority in respect of meetings of the Board of Supervisors of the European Supervisory Authorities. In cases where the respective Boards of Supervisors discuss or decide on matters that are relevant for the execution of the Authority's tasks and powers, the Authority should be able to participate in their meetings as an observer. The articles on the compositions of the Board of Supervisors in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010, Regulation (EU) 1094/2010 of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>2</sup> , and Regulation (EU) 1095/2010 of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>3</sup> should therefore be amended accordingly.	bodies. Therefore, the European Banking Authority should not retain its tasks and powers related to anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, and the respective articles in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1</sup> should be deleted. The resources allocated to the European Banking Authority for the fulfilment of those tasks should be transferred to the Authority. Considering that all three European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, ESMA and EIOPA) will be cooperating with the Authority, and may attend the meetings of the General Board in supervisory composition as observers, the same possibility should be afforded to the Authority in respect of meetings of the Board of Supervisors of the European Supervisory Authorities. In cases where the respective Boards of Supervisors discuss or decide on matters that are relevant for the execution of the Authority's tasks and powers, the Authority should be able to participate in their meetings as an observer. The articles on the compositions of the Board of Supervisors in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010, Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010, Regulation (EU) 1094/2010 of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>2</sup> , and Regulation (EU) 1095/2010 of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>3</sup> should therefore be	Authority should not retain its tasks and powers related to anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, and the respective articles in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1</sup> should be deleted. The resources allocated to the European Banking Authority for the fulfilment of those tasks should be transferred to the Authority. Considering that all three European Supervisory Authorities (EBA, ESMA and EIOPA) will be cooperating with the Authority, and may attend the meetings of the General Board in supervisory composition as observers, the same possibility should be afforded to the Authority in respect of meetings of the Board of Supervisors of the European Supervisory Authorities. In cases where the respective Boards of Supervisors discuss or decide on matters that are relevant for the execution of the Authority's tasks and powers, the Authority should be able to participate in their meetings as an observer. The articles on the compositions of the Board of Supervisors in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010, Regulation (EU) 1094/2010 of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>2</sup> , and Regulation (EU) 1095/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>3</sup> should therefore be amended accordingly. <u>I. Regulation (EU) No</u> 1093/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 establishing a European Supervisory Authority (European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010

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	<ul> <li>Banking Authority), amending Decision No 716/2009/EC and repealing Commission Decision 2009/78/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 12).</li> <li>Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 establishing a European Supervisory Authority (European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority), amending Decision No 716/2009/EC and repealing Commission Decision 2009/79/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 48).</li> <li>Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 establishing a European Supervisory Authority (European Securities and Markets Authority), amending Decision No 716/2009/EC and repealing Commission Decision 2009/79/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 48).</li> </ul>	Council Mandateamended accordingly.1. Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 of the EuropeanParliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010establishing a European Supervisory Authority(European Banking Authority), amending Decision No716/2009/EC and repealing Commission Decision2009/78/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 12).2. Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 of the EuropeanParliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010establishing a European Supervisory Authority(European Insurance and Occupational PensionsAuthority), amending Decision No 716/2009/EC andrepealing Commission Decision 2009/79/EC (OJ L331, 15.12.2010, p. 48).3. Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 of the EuropeanParliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010establishing a European Supervisory Authority(European Ferries and Markets Authority),amending Decision No 716/2009/EC and repealingcommission No 716/2009/EC and repealingcommission Decision 2009/77/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 84).	<ul> <li>and repealing Commission Decision 2009/78/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 12).</li> <li>Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 establishing a European Supervisory Authority (European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority), amending Decision No 716/2009/EC and repealing Commission Decision 2009/79/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 48).</li> <li>Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 24 November 2010 establishing a European Supervisory Authority (European Securities and Markets Authority), amending Decision No 716/2009/EC and repealing Commission Decision 2009/77/EC (OJ L 331, 15.12.2010, p. 84).</li> </ul>
74	(64) The Authority should be fully operation by the beginning of 2024. This should give the Authority sufficient time to establish its headquarter in the Member State as determined by this Regulation.	(64) The Authority should be fully <i>operationoperational</i> by the beginning of 2024. <i>Direct supervision of selected obliged</i> <i>entities should commence as of 2026</i> . This should give the Authority sufficient time to establish its headquarter in the Member State as determined by this Regulation.	(64) The Authority should be fully operation by the beginning of 2024. This should give the Authority sufficient time to establish its headquarter in the Member State as determined by this Regulation.
75	(65) The European Data Protection Supervisor	(65) The European Data Protection	(65) The European Data Protection Supervisor

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	has been consulted in accordance with Article	Supervisor has been consulted in accordance	has been consulted in accordance with Article
	42 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 [and	with Article 42 of Regulation (EU)	42 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 [and
	delivered an opinion on],	2018/1725 [and delivered an opinion on],	delivered an opinion on],
76	HAVE ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:	HAVE ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:	HAVE ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:
77	CHAPTER I	CHAPTER I	CHAPTER I
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78	Article 1	Article 1	Article 1
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79	1. The Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism ('the Authority') is established as of 1 January 2023.	1. The Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism ('the Authority') is established as of 1 January 2023.	1. The Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism ('the Authority') is established as of 1 January 2023.
80	2. The Authority shall act within the powers	2. The Authority shall act within the powers	2. The Authority shall act within the powers
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	the mechanisms to be put in place by the Member States for the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing and repealing Directive (EU)2015/849 [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)423] and the Regulation on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)422], including all directives, regulations and decisions based on those acts, of any further legally binding Union act which confers tasks on the Authority and of national legislation implementing the Anti-Money Laundering Directive [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)423] or other Directives conferring tasks on supervisory authorities. <u>1. Regulation</u> (EU) 2015/847 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2015 on information accompanying transfers of funds and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1781/2006 (OJ L 141, 5.6.2015, p. 1).	Directive on the mechanisms to be put in place by the Member States for the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing and repealing Directive (EU)2015/849 [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)423] and the Regulation on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)422], including all directives, regulations and decisions based on those acts, of any further legally binding Union act which confers tasks on the Authority and of national legislation implementing the Anti- Money Laundering Directive [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)423] or other Directives conferring tasks on supervisory authorities. <u>1. Regulation</u> (EU) 2015/847 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2015 on information accompanying transfers of funds and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1781/2006 (OJ L 141, 5.6.2015, p. 1).	the mechanisms to be put in place by the Member States for the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing and repealing Directive (EU)2015/849 [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)423] and the Regulation on the prevention of the use of the financial system for the purposes of money laundering or terrorist financing [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)422], including all directives, regulations and decisions based on those acts, of any further legally binding Union act which confers tasks on the Authority and of national legislation implementing the Anti-Money Laundering Directive [OP: please insert the next number of COM(2021)423] or other Directives conferring tasks on supervisory authorities. 1. Regulation (EU) 2015/847 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 20 May 2015 on information accompanying transfers of funds and repealing Regulation (EC) No 1781/2006 (OJ L 141, 5.6.2015, p. 1).
81	3. The objective of the Authority shall be to protect the public interest, the stability of the Union's financial system and the good functioning of the internal market by:	3. The objective of the Authority shall be to protect the public interest, the stability of the Union's financial system and the good functioning of the internal market by:	3. The objective of the Authority shall be to protect the public interest, the stability <i>and the integrity</i> of the Union's financial system and the good functioning of the internal market by:

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	(a) preventing the use of the Union's financial	(a) preventing the use of the Union's	(a) preventing the use of the Union's financial
82	system for the purposes of money laundering and terrorist financing;	financial system for the purposes of money laundering and terrorist financing;	system for the purposes of money laundering and terrorist financing;
83	(b) contributing to identify and assess risks of money laundering and terrorist financing across the internal market, as well as risks and threats originating from outside the Union that are impacting, or have the potential to impact the internal market;	(b) contributing to identify and assess risks of money laundering and terrorist financing across the internal market, as well as risks and threats originating from outside the Union that are impacting, or have the potential to impact the internal market;	(b) contributing to identify and assess risks <u>and</u> <u>threats</u> of money laundering, <u>especially of the</u> <u>broader and more complex schemes associated</u> <u>with criminal organisations</u> , and terrorist financing across the internal market, as well as risks and threats originating from outside the Union that are impacting, or have the potential to impact the internal market;
84	(c) ensuring high-quality supervision in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism ('AML/CFT') across the internal market;	(c) ensuring high-quality supervision in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism ('AML/CFT') across the internal market;	(c) ensuring high-quality supervision in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism ('AML/CFT') across the internal market;
85	(d) contributing to supervisory convergence in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism across the internal market;	(d) contributing to supervisory convergence in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism across the internal market;	(d) contributing to supervisory convergence in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism across the internal market;

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86	(e) contributing to the harmonisation of	(e) contributing to the harmonisation of	(e) contributing to the harmonisation of
	practices in the detection of cross-border	practices in the detection of <i>cross border</i>	practices in the detection of cross-border
	suspicious flows of monies or activities by	suspicious flows of monies or activities by	suspicious flows of monies or activities by
	Financial Intelligence Units ('FIUs');	Financial Intelligence Units ('FIUs');	Financial Intelligence Units ('FIUs');
87	(f) supporting and coordinating the exchange of information between FIUs and between FIUs and others competent authorities.	(f) supporting and coordinating the exchange of information between FIUs- <i>and</i> between FIUs and others competent authorities.	(f) supporting and coordinating the exchange of information between FIUs and between FIUs and others competent authorities.
88	The provisions of this Regulation are without	The provisions of this Regulation are without	The provisions of this Regulation are without
	prejudice to the powers of the Commission, in	prejudice to the powers of the Commission,	prejudice to the powers of the Commission, in
	particular pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, to	in particular pursuant to Article 258 TFEU,	particular pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, to
	ensure compliance with Union law.	to ensure compliance with Union law.	ensure compliance with Union law.
89	Article 2	Article 2	Article 2
	Definitions	Definitions	Definitions
90	1. For the purposes of this Regulation, in	1. For the purposes of this Regulation, in	1. For the purposes of this Regulation, in
	addition to the definitions set out in Article 2 of	addition to the definitions set out in Article 2	addition to the definitions set out in Article 2 of
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	Laundering Regulation COM(2021)420] and	Money Laundering Regulation	Laundering Regulation COM(2021)420] and
	Article 2 [OP: please insert the reference to 6 <sup>th</sup>	COM(2021)420] and Article 2 [OP: please	Article 2 [OP: please insert the reference to 6 <sup>th</sup>
	Anti-Money Laundering Directive	insert the reference to 6 <sup>th</sup> Anti-Money	Anti-Money Laundering Directive

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	COM(2021)423], the following definitions apply:	Council Mandate Laundering Directive COM(2021)423], the following definitions apply:	COM(2021)423], the following definitions apply:
91	(1) 'selected obliged entity' means a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union, which is under direct supervision by the Authority pursuant to Article 13;	(1) 'selected obliged entity' means a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit or and/or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union, which is under direct supervision by the Authority pursuant to Article 13;	(1) 'selected obliged entity' means a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union, which is under direct supervision by the Authority pursuant to Article 13;
92	(2) 'non-selected obliged entity' means a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit institutions or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union, other than a selected obliged entity;	<ul> <li>(2) 'non-selected obliged entity' means a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit institutions or and/or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union, other than a selected obliged entity;</li> </ul>	(2) 'non-selected obliged entity' means a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit institutions or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union, other than a selected obliged entity;
92a			(2a) 'obliged entity in the non-financial sector' means an obliged entity listed in Article 3 of [please insert reference to the AMLR], other than a credit institution, a financial institution, or a group of credit institutions or financial institutions at the highest level of consolidation in the Union;
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	(3) 'AML/CFT supervisory system' means the Authority and the supervisory authorities in the Member States;	(3) 'AML/CFT supervisory system' means the Authority and the supervisory authorities in the Member States;	(3) 'AML/CFT supervisory system' means the Authority and the supervisory authorities in the Member States;
93a			(3a) 'financial supervisor' means a supervisor in charge of credit and financial institutions;
94	(4) 'non-financial supervisor' means a supervisor in charge of obliged entities listed in Article 3 of [AMLR], other than credit and financial institutions.	(4) 'non-financial supervisor' means a supervisor in charge of obliged entities listed in Article 3 of [AMLR], other than credit and financial institutions.	(4) 'non-financial supervisor' means a supervisor in charge of obliged entities listed in Article 3 of [AMLR], other than credit and financial institutions.
95	(5) 'non-AML/CFT authority' means:	(5) 'non-AML/CFT authority' means:	(5) 'non-AML/CFT authority' means:
96	<ul> <li>(a) a competent authority as defined in Article 4(1), point (40) of Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>;</li> <li>1. Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012 (OJ L 176, 27.6.2013, p. 1)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) a competent authority as defined in Article 4(1), point (40) of Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup> <i>in this specific supervisory</i> <i>function</i>;</li> <li>1. Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012 (OJ L 176, 27.6.2013, p. 1)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(a) a competent authority as defined in Article 4(1), point (40) of Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>;</li> <li>1. Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on prudential requirements for credit institutions and investment firms and amending Regulation (EU) No 648/2012 (OJ L 176, 27.6.2013, p. 1)</li> </ul>

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97	(b) the European Central Bank when it carries out the tasks conferred on it by Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013;	(b) the European Central Bank when it carries out the tasks conferred on it by Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013;	(b) the European Central Bank when it carries out the tasks conferred on it by Council Regulation (EU) No 1024/2013;
98	(c) a resolution authority designated in accordance with Article 3 of Directive 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council;	(c) a resolution authority designated in accordance with Article 3 of Directive 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council;	(c) a resolution authority designated in accordance with Article 3 of Directive 2014/59/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council;
99	(d) a deposit guarantee schemes ('DGS') designated authority as defined in Article 2(1), point (18) of Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council.	<ul> <li>(d) a deposit guarantee schemes ('DGS') designated authority as defined in Article 2(1), point (18) of Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council.</li> </ul>	(d) a deposit guarantee schemes ('DGS') designated authority as defined in Article 2(1), point (18) of Directive 2014/49/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council.
99a			(5a) 'highest level of consolidation in the Union' means the highest level at which a group, including all its subsidiaries and branches within and outside the Union, is consolidated in the Union, as determined in accordance with Part One, Title II, Chapter 2, Section 1 of Regulation (EU) No 575/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council <sup>1a</sup> .
100	Article 3	Article 3	Article 3

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	Legal Status	Legal status	Legal Status
101	1. The Authority shall be a Union body with legal personality.	1. The Authority shall be a Union body with legal personality.	1. The Authority shall be a Union body with legal personality.
102	2. In each Member State, the Authority shall enjoy the most extensive legal capacity accorded to legal persons under national law. It may, in particular, acquire or dispose of movable and immovable property and be a party to legal proceedings.	2. In each Member State, the Authority shall enjoy the most extensive legal capacity accorded to legal persons under national law. It may, in particular, acquire or dispose of movable and immovable property and be a party to legal proceedings.	2. In each Member State, the Authority shall enjoy the most extensive legal capacity accorded to legal persons under national law. It may, in particular, acquire or dispose of movable and immovable property and be a party to legal proceedings.
103	3. The Authority shall be represented by its Chair.	3. The Authority shall be represented by its Chair.	3. The Authority shall be represented by its Chair.
104	Article 4 Seat	Article 4 <u>[</u> Seat	Article 4 Seat
105	The Authority shall have its seat in []	The Authority shall have its seat in []	The Authority shall have its seat in []
105a			[The choice of the location of the seat of the

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			<u>Authority shall be made in accordance with the</u> ordinary legislative procedure, on the basis of the following criteria:
105b			(a) it shall not affect the Authority's execution of its tasks and powers, the organisation of its governance structure, the operation of its main organisation, or the main financing of its activities;
105c			(b) it shall ensure that the Authority is able to recruit the high-qualified and specialised staff it requires to perform the tasks and exercise the powers provided by this Regulation;
105d			(c) it shall ensure that the Authority can be set up on site upon the entry into force of this <u>Regulation;</u>
105e			(d) it shall ensure appropriate accessibility of the location, the existence of adequate education facilities for the children of staff members, appropriate access to the labour market, social security and medical care for both children and spouses;

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105f			(e) it shall ensure a balanced geographical distribution of Union institutions, bodies and agencies across the Union;
105g			(f) it shall ensure its national AML/CFT framework is of a proven quality and repute, and shall benefit from the experience of national authorities;
105h			(g) it shall enable adequate training opportunities for AML/CFT activities;
105i			(h) it shall enable close cooperation with Union institutions, bodies and agencies;
105j			(i) it shall ensure sustainability and digital security and connectivity with regard to physical and IT infrastructure and working conditions.]
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107	SECTION 1 Tasks and powers	SECTION 1 Tasks and powers	SECTION 1 Tasks and powers
108	Article 5 Tasks	Article 5 Tasks	Article 5 Tasks
109	1. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to money laundering/ terrorist financing ('ML/TF') risks facing the internal market:	1. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to money <i>laundering/</i> <i>terroristlaundering/terrorist</i> financing ('ML/TF') risks facing the internal market:	1. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to money laundering/ terrorist financing ('ML/TF') risks facing the internal market:
110	(a) monitor developments across the internal market and assess threats, vulnerabilities and risks in relation to ML/TF;	(a) monitor developments across the internal market and assess threats, vulnerabilities and risks in relation to ML/TF;	(a) monitor <u>and respond to</u> developments across the internal market and assess threats, vulnerabilities and risks in relation to ML/TF <u></u> . <u>including cross-border transactions</u> ;
111	(b) monitor developments in third countries and assess threats, vulnerabilities and risks in relation to their AML/CFT systems;	(b) monitor developments in third countries and assess threats, vulnerabilities and risks in relation to their AML/CFT systems <i>that are</i> <i>impacting, or have the potential to impact</i>	(b) monitor <i>and respond to</i> developments in third countries and assess threats, vulnerabilities and risks in relation to their AML/CFT systems;

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		<u>the internal market;</u>	
111a			(ba) contribute to the drawing up of the lists of <u>high risk third countries referred to in [please</u> add reference to AMLR];
112	(c) collect information from its own supervisory activities and those of the supervisors and supervisory authorities on weaknesses identified in the application of AML/CFT rules by obliged entities, their risk exposure, the sanctions administered and the remedial actions applied;	(c) collect information from its own supervisory activities and those of the supervisors and supervisory authorities on weaknesses identified in the application of AML/CFT rules by obliged entities, their risk exposure, the sanctions administered and the remedial actions applied;	(c) collect information from <u>selected and non-</u> <u>selected obliged entities</u> , its own supervisory activities and those of the supervisors and supervisory authorities on weaknesses identified in the application of AML/CFT rules by obliged entities, their risk exposure, the sanctions administered and the remedial actions applied;
113	(d) establish a central AML/CFT database of information collected from supervisors and supervisory authorities and keep up to date;	(d) establish a central AML/CFT database of information collected from supervisors and supervisory authorities and keep up to date;	(d) establish a central AML/CFT database of information collected from <u>selected and non-selected obliged entities</u> , supervisors and supervisory authorities and keep <u>it</u> up to date;
114	(e) analyse the information collected in the central database and share these analyses with supervisors and supervisory authorities on a need-to-know and confidential basis;	(e) analyse the information collected in the central database and share these analyses with supervisors, <i>supervisory authorities</i> <u>and non-AML/CFT-and supervisory</u> authorities on a need-to-know and confidential basis;	(e) analyse the information collected in the central database and share these analyses with supervisors and supervisory authorities on a need-to-know and confidential basis;

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115	(f) monitor and support the implementation of asset freezes under the Union restrictive measures across the internal market;	(f) <i>monitor and support the implementation</i> of asset freezes under the Union restrictive measures across the internal market; <u>deleted</u>	(f) monitor and support the implementation of <i>targeted financial sanctions</i> , asset freezes <i>and confiscations</i> under the Union restrictive measures across the internal market, <i>as well as publish information on asset freezes, seizures and confiscations</i> ;
116	(g) support, facilitate and strengthen cooperation and exchange of information between obliged entities and public authorities in order to develop a common understanding of ML/TF risks and threats facing the internal market;'	(g) support, facilitate and strengthen cooperation and exchange of information between obliged entities and <i>publicsupervisors, supervisory authorities</i> <i>and non-AML/CFT</i> authorities in order to develop a common understanding of ML/TF risks and threats facing the internal market;'	(g) support, facilitate and strengthen cooperation and exchange of information between obliged entities and public authorities in order to develop a common understanding of ML/TF risks and threats facing the internal market, <i>including by participating in public-</i> <i>private partnerships or similar collaborative</i> <i>arrangements</i> ; <sup>2</sup>
116a			(ga) issue publications and provide training and other services to obliged entities and non- obliged entities in order to raise awareness of, and address, ML/TF risks and risks related to targeted financial sanctions;
116b			(gb) conduct peer reviews of the fulfilment, by the entities in charge of central beneficial

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			ownership registers, of the requirements laid down in Chapter II, Section 1, of Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive];
117	(h) undertake any other specific tasks set out in this Regulation and in other legislative acts.	(h) undertake any other specific tasks set out in this Regulation and in other legislative acts <i>referred to in Article 1(2)</i> .	(h) undertake any other specific tasks set out in this Regulation and in other legislative acts.
118	2. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to selected obliged entities:	2. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to selected obliged entities:	2. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to selected obliged entities:
119	(a) ensure group-wide compliance with the requirements applicable to the selected obliged entities pursuant to legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), and any other legally binding Union acts that impose AML/CFT-related obligations on financial institutions;	(a) ensure group wide compliance with the requirements applicable to the selected obliged entities of the selected obliged entities with the requirements applicable pursuant to legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2); and any other legally binding Union acts that impose AML/CFT-related obligations on financial institutions;	(a) ensure group-wide compliance with the requirements applicable to the selected obliged entities pursuant to legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), and any other legally binding Union acts that impose AML/CFT-related obligations on financial institutions, <i>including obligations on targeted financial sanctions</i> ;
120	(b) carry out supervisory reviews and assessments on individual entity and group- wide level in order to determine whether the	(b) carry out supervisory reviews and assessments on individual entity and group- wide level in order to determine whether the	(b) carry out supervisory reviews and assessments on individual entity and group-wide level in order to determine whether the

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	arrangements, strategies, processes and mechanisms put in place by the selected obliged entities are adequate to mitigate their risks related to money laundering and terrorist financing, and on the basis of those supervisory reviews impose specific requirements, supervisory measures and administrative pecuniary sanctions pursuant to Articles 20, 21 and 22;	arrangements, strategies, processes and mechanisms put in place by the selected obliged entities are adequate to mitigate their risks related to money laundering and terrorist financing, and on the basis of those supervisory reviews impose specific requirements, supervisory measures and administrative pecuniary sanctions pursuant to Articles 20, 21 and 22;	arrangements, strategies, processes and mechanisms put in place by the selected obliged entities are adequate to mitigate their risks related to money laundering and terrorist financing, <i>as well as to implement targeted</i> <i>financial sanctions effectively</i> , and on the basis of those supervisory reviews impose specific requirements, supervisory measures and administrative pecuniary sanctions pursuant to Articles 20, 21 and 22;
121	(c) participate in group-wide supervision, in particular in colleges of supervisors, including where a selected obliged entity is part of a group that has headquarters, subsidiaries or branches outside the Union;	(c) participate in group-wide supervision, in particular in colleges of supervisors, including where a selected obliged entity is part of a group that has headquarters, subsidiaries or branches outside the Union;	(c) participate in group-wide supervision, in particular in colleges of supervisors, including where a selected obliged entity is part of a group that has headquarters, subsidiaries or branches outside the Union;
122	(d) develop and maintain up to date a system to assess the risks and vulnerabilities of the selected obliged entities to inform the supervisory activities of the Authority and supervisory authorities, including through the collection of data from these entities.	(d) develop and maintain up to date a system to assess the risks and vulnerabilities of the selected obliged entities to inform the supervisory activities of the Authority and supervisory authorities, including through the collection of data from these entities.	(d) develop and maintain up to date a system to assess the risks and vulnerabilities of the selected obliged entities to inform the supervisory activities of the Authority and supervisory authorities, including through the collection of data from these entities <u>and</u> include such collection of data in the regular reporting of information within the framework of Article 11.
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		(e) monitor that selected entities have internal policies and procedures in accordance with article 7 of [AMLR] to ensure the implementation of targeted financial sanctions and support their implementation.	
123	3. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to financial supervisors:	3. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to financial supervisors:	3. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to financial supervisors:
124	(a) maintain an up-to-date list of financial supervisors within the Union;	(a) maintain an up-to-date list of financial supervisors within the Union;	(a) maintain an up-to-date list of financial supervisors within the Union;
125	(b) carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of their tasks in the area of AML/CFT;	(b) carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of their tasks in the area of AML/CFT;	(b) carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of their tasks in the area of AML/CFT <u>and</u> <u>targeted financial sanctions</u> ;
125a			(ba) request financial supervisors to investigate possible breaches of the requirements applicable to obliged entities;
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	(c) perform assessments of the strategies, capacities and resources of financial supervisors in the area of AML/CFT and make the results of such assessments available to all financial supervisors;	(c) <i>perform assessments of the strategies,</i> <i>capacities and resources of financial</i> <i>supervisors in the area of AML/CFT and</i> <i>make the results of such assessments</i> <i>available to all financial supervisors;</i> <u>deleted</u>	(c) perform assessments of the strategies, capacities and resources of financial supervisors in the area of AML/CFT and <i>targeted financial</i> <i>sanctions, and</i> make the results of such assessments available to all financial supervisors;
127	(d) facilitate the functioning of the colleges of financial supervisors in the area of AML/CFT;	(d) facilitate the functioning of the colleges of financial supervisors in the area of AML/CFT;	(d) facilitate the functioning of the colleges of financial supervisors in the area of AML/CFT <u>to</u> <u>ensure a sufficient level of coordination</u> <u>between supervisory authorities</u> ;
128	(e) contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards in the area of AML/CFT;	(e) contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards in the area of AML/CFT;	(e) contribute, <i>in collaboration with financial</i> <i>supervisors, to the to</i> -convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards in the area of AML/CFT <i>and targeted financial sanctions, including the</i> <i>development and implementation, for selected</i> <i>and non-selected obliged entities, of a common</i> <i>AML/CFT reporting methodology that</i> <i>incorporates common regulatory templates</i> ;
129	(f) coordinate staff and information exchanges among financial supervisors in the Union;	(f) coordinate staff and information exchanges among financial supervisors in the Union;	(f) coordinate staff and information exchanges among financial supervisors in the Union;

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130	(g) provide assistance to financial supervisors, following their specific requests, including the requests to settle any disagreements on the measures to be taken in relation to an obliged entity.	(g) provide assistance to financial supervisors, following their specific requests, including the requests to settle any disagreements on the measures to be taken in relation to an obliged entity.	(g) provide assistance to financial supervisors, following their specific requests, including the requests to settle any disagreements on the measures to be taken in relation to an obliged entity. mediate between financial supervisors;
130a			(ga) settle, with binding effect, disagreements between financial supervisors concerning the measures to be taken by financial supervisors in relation to an obliged entity, including in the context of AML/CFT supervisory colleges, following a request as referred to in point (g);
130b			(gb) report to the Commission instances where the absence of effective and efficient supervisory practices and activities derives from an inadequate or lack of transposition of Union law into national law.
131	4. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to non-financial supervisors:	4. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to non-financial supervisors:	4. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to non-financial supervisors:
132	(a) maintain an up-to-date list of non-financial	(a) maintain an up-to-date list of non-	(a) maintain an up-to-date list of non-financial

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	supervisors within the Union;	financial supervisors within the Union;	supervisors within the Union;
133	(b) coordinate peer reviews of supervisory standards and practices in the area of AML/CFT;	(b) coordinate peer reviews of supervisory standards and practices in the area of AML/CFT;	(b) coordinate peer reviews of supervisory standards and practices in the area of AML/CFT;
134	(c) request non-financial supervisors to investigate possible breaches of requirements applicable to obliged entities and to consider imposing sanctions or remedial actions in respect of such breaches;	(c) <i>request non-financial supervisors to</i> investigate <i>possiblealleged</i> breaches of <i>requirements applicable to obliged entities</i> and to consider imposing sanctions or remedial actions in respect of such breachesor non-application of Union law by non-financial supervisory authorities;	(c) request non-financial supervisors to investigate possible breaches of requirements applicable to obliged entities and to consider imposing sanctions or remedial actions in respect of such breaches;
135	(d) carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all non-financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of their tasks in the area of AML/CFT;	(d) carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all non-financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of their tasks in the area of AML/CFT;	(d) carry out periodic reviews to ensure that all non-financial supervisors have adequate resources and powers necessary for the performance of their tasks in the area of AML/CFT;
136	(e) contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards in the area of AML/CFT;	(e) contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards in the area of AML/CFT;	(e) contribute to convergence of supervisory practices and promotion of high supervisory standards in the area of AML/CFT;

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136a			(ea) facilitate the functioning of colleges of non-financial supervisors in the area of <u>AML/CFT to ensure a sufficient level of</u> <u>coordination between supervisory authorities;</u>
137	(f) provide assistance to non-financial supervisors, following their specific requests, including the requests to settle any disagreements on the measures to be taken in relation to an obliged entity.	(f) provide assistance to non-financial supervisors, following their specific requests, including the requests to settle any disagreements on the measures to be taken in relation to an obliged entity.	(f) provide assistance to non-financial supervisors, following their specific requests, including the requests to settle any disagreements on the measures to be taken in relation to an obliged entity.
138	Where supervision of specific sectors is delegated at national level to self-regulatory bodies ('SRBs'), the Authority shall exercise the tasks set out in the first subparagraph in relation to supervisory authorities overseeing the activity of SRBs.	Where supervision of specific sectors is delegated at national level to self-regulatory bodies ('SRBs'), the Authority shall exercise the tasks set out in the first subparagraph in relation to supervisory authorities overseeing the activity of SRBs.	Where supervision of specific sectors is delegated at national level to self-regulatory bodies ('SRBs'), the Authority shall exercise the tasks set out in the first subparagraph in relation to supervisory authorities overseeing the activity of SRBs.
138a			4a. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to obliged entities and competent authorities in charge of the preparation, adoption, supervision and enforcement relating to targeted financial sanctions:

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138b			(a) ensure the provision of outreach activities and communicate to obliged entities the information provided on the Union measures on targeted financial sanctions, including by managing a consolidated list of persons, groups and entities subject to Union financial sanctions;
138c			(b) act as a central contact point for Member States' competent authorities on the enforcement of targeted financial sanctions, notably for sharing information on designated persons, assets held by designated persons and legal entities controlled by designated persons;
138d			(c) <u>receive information from whistle-blowers</u> with regard to the non-implementation or <u>circumvention of targeted financial sanctions;</u>
138e			(d) provide guidelines on, and assistance with the application of obligations related to targeted financial sanctions;
138f			(e) collect statistics on assets frozen by

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			<u>competent authorities relating to persons</u> <u>subject to targeted financial sanctions.</u>
139	5. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to FIUs and their activities in the Member States:	5. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to FIUs and their activities in the Member States:	5. The Authority shall perform the following tasks with respect to FIUs and their activities in the Member States:
139a			<u>(-a)</u> <u>maintain an up-to-date list of FIUs within</u> <u>the Union;</u>
139b			(-aa) monitor changes in the legal status and framework of FIUs, as well as in their tasks, powers and organisation, focusing on resources and powers for the performance of their tasks;
140	(a) support and coordinate the work of FIUs and contribute to improved cooperation between FIUs;	(a) support <i>and coordinate</i> the work of FIUs and contribute to improved cooperation <i>and</i> <u><i>coordination</i></u> between FIUs;	(a) support and coordinate the work of FIUs and contribute to improved cooperation between FIUs;
141	(b) contribute to the identification and the selection of relevant cases for the conduct of joint analyses by FIUs;	(b) contribute to the identification and the selection of relevant cases for the conduct of joint analyses by FIUs;	(b) contribute to the identification and the selection of relevant cases for the conduct of joint analyses by FIUs;

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142	(c) develop appropriate methods and procedures for the conduct of such joint analyses of cross-border cases;	(c) develop appropriate methods and procedures for the conduct of such joint analyses of cross-border cases;	(c) develop appropriate methods and procedures for the conduct of such joint analyses <i>of cross border cases</i> ;
142a			<u>(ca)</u> issue guidelines and recommendations in cases where it identifies vulnerabilities or deficiencies that are not sufficiently addressed;
143	(d) set up, coordinate, organise and facilitate the conduct of joint analyses carried out by FIUs;	(d) set up, coordinate, organise and facilitate the facilitate and support the setting up, coordination, organisation and conduct of joint analyses carried out by FIUs;	(d) set up, coordinate, organise and facilitate the conduct of joint analyses carried out by FIUs;
143a			(da) provide assistance to FIUs, upon their specific requests, including any requests for mediation in case of disagreement between FIUs;
143b			(db) <u>coordinate peer reviews of the fulfilment</u> by FIUs of the requirements laid down in Chapter III of Directive [please insert

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			<u>reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money</u> <u>Laundering Directive];</u>
144	(e) develop and make available to FIUs IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, including by hosting FIU.net;	(e) develop and make available to FIUs <u>tools</u> and services to enhance the analyses <u>capabilities of FIUs, as well as</u> IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, including by hosting FIU.net;	(e) develop and make available to FIUs IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, including by hosting FIU.net;
145	(f) develop, share and promote expert knowledge on detection, analysis, and dissemination methods of suspicious transactions;	(f) develop, share and promote expert knowledge on detection, analysis, and dissemination methods of suspicious transactions;	(f) develop, share and promote expert knowledge on detection, analysis, and dissemination methods of suspicious transactions;
146	(g) provide specialised training and assistance to FIUs, including through the provision of financial support, within the scope of its objectives and in accordance with the staffing and budgetary resources at its disposal;	(g) at the request of FIUs, provide them with specialised training and assistance to FIUs, including through the provision of financial support, within the scope of its objectives and in accordance with the staffing and budgetary resources at its disposal;	(g) provide specialised training and assistance to FIUs, including through the provision of financial support, within the scope of its objectives and in accordance with the staffing and budgetary resources at its disposal;
147	(h) support the interaction of FIUs with obliged entities by providing specialised training to	(h) support, <i>at the request the interaction</i> of FIUs, <i>their interaction</i> with obliged entities	(h) support <i>the interaction of FIUs</i> with effective compliance by obliged entities

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		obliged entities, including improving their awareness and procedures to detect suspicious activities and financial operations and their reporting to the FIUs;	by providing specialised trainingexpert knowledge to obliged entities, including improving their awareness and procedures to detect suspicious activities and financial operations and their reporting to the FIUs;	<i>and their interaction with FIUs</i> by providing specialised training to obliged entities, including improving their awareness and procedures to detect suspicious activities and financial operations and their reporting to the FIUs;
1	48	(i) prepare and coordinate threat assessments, strategic analyses of money laundering and terrorism financing threats, risks and methods identified by FIUs.	(i) prepare and coordinate threat assessments, <u>as well as</u> strategic analyses of money laundering and terrorism financing threats, risks and methodsthreats, risks and methods of money laundering and terrorism financing identified by FIUs.	(i) prepare and coordinate threat assessments, strategic analyses of money laundering and terrorism financing threats, risks and methods identified by FIUs-:
14	48a			(ia) <u>report to the Commission instances where</u> the absence of effective and efficient cooperation between FIUs derives from an inadequate or lack of transposition of Union law into national law.
1	49	6. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority shall apply all relevant Union law, and where this Union law is composed of Directives, the national legislation transposing those Directives. Where the relevant Union law is composed of Regulations and where currently those Regulations explicitly grant	6. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority shall apply all relevant Union law, and where this Union law is composed of Directives, the national legislation transposing those Directives. Where the relevant Union law is composed of Regulations and where currently those	6. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority shall apply all relevant Union law, and where this Union law is composed of Directives, the national legislation transposing those Directives. Where the relevant Union law is composed of Regulations and where currently those Regulations explicitly grant options for Member

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	options for Member States, the Authority shall apply also the national legislation exercising those options.	Regulations explicitly grant options for Member States, the Authority shall apply also the national legislation exercising those options.	States, the Authority shall apply also the national legislation exercising those options.
150	Article 6 Powers of the Authority	Article 6 Powers of the Authority	Article 6 Powers of the Authority
151	1. With respect to the selected obliged entities, the Authority shall have the supervisory and investigative powers as specified in Articles 16 to 20 and the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments as specified in Articles 21 and 22.	1. With respect to the selected obliged entities, the Authority shall have the supervisory and investigative powers as specified in Articles 16 to 20 and the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments as specified in Articles 21 and 22.	1. With respect to the selected obliged entities, the Authority shall have the supervisory and investigative powers as specified in Articles 16 to 20 and the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments as specified in Articles 21 and 22.
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151a		The Authority shall also have the powers and obligations which financial supervisors have under the relevant Union law, unless otherwise provided for by this Regulation. To the extent necessary to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require, by way of	

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			instructions, those financial supervisors to make use of their powers, under and in accordance with the conditions set out in national law, where this Regulation does not confer such powers on the Authority, in particular where such powers stem from Article 41(1) (a) to (f), (2) and (3) [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. Those financial supervisors shall fully inform the Authority about the exercise of those powers.	
15	52	For the purposes of exercising those powers, the Authority may issue binding decisions addressed to individual selected entities. The Authority shall have the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions for non- compliance with the decisions taken in the exercise of powers laid down in Article 20 in accordance with Article 21.	For the purposes of exercising those powers, the Authority may issue binding decisions addressed to individual selected entities. The Authority shall have the power to impose administrative <u>measures as well as</u> <u>administrative</u> pecuniary sanctions for non- compliance with the decisions taken in the exercise of powers laid down in Article 20 in accordance with Article 21.	For the purposes of exercising those powers, the Authority may issue binding decisions addressed to individual selected entities. The Authority shall have the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions for non- compliance with the decisions taken in the exercise of powers laid down in Article 20 in accordance with Article 21.
1:	53	2. With respect to supervisors and supervisory authorities, the Authority shall have the following powers:	2. With respect to supervisors and supervisory authorities, the Authority shall have the following powers:	2. With respect to supervisors and supervisory authorities, the Authority shall have the following powers:
15	54	(a) to require the submission of any	(a) to require the submission of <i>any</i>	(a) to require the submission of any information

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	information or document, including written or oral explanations, necessary for the performance of its functions, including statistical information and information concerning internal processes or arrangements of national authorities;	information or document, including written or oral explanations, necessary for the performance of its functions, including statistical information and information concerning internal processes or arrangements of national <u>supervisors and</u> <u>supervisory</u> authorities;	or document, including written or oral explanations, necessary for the performance of its functions, including statistical information, <u>common regulatory templates sent by selected</u> <u>and non-selected obliged entities</u> and information concerning internal processes or arrangements of national authorities;
155	(b) to issue guidelines and recommendations;	(b) to issue guidelines and recommendations;	(b) to issue guidelines and recommendations;
156	(c) to issue requests to act and instructions on measures that should be taken towards non- selected obliged entities pursuant to Section 4 of Chapter II.	(c) to issue requests to act and instructions on measures that should be taken towards non-selected obliged entities pursuant to Section 4 of Chapter II.	(c) to issue requests to act and instructions on measures that should be taken towards non-selected obliged entities pursuant to Section 4 of Chapter II
156a			(ca) to carry out mediation upon the request of a financial supervisor pursuant to Article 5(3), point (g);
156b			(cb) to settle disagreements between financial supervisors with binding effect upon a request pursuant to Article 5(3), point (ga), including in the context of the AML/CFT supervisory colleges;

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156c			(cc) to take supervisory decisions directly applicable to the obliged entities concerned in accordance with this Regulation.
156d			2a. With respect to competent authorities in charge of the preparation, adoption, supervision and enforcement relating to targeted financial sanctions, the Authority shall have the following powers:
156e			(a) to receive data and analyses from competent authorities, third countries, international organisations and other reliable sources with a view to preparing new targeted financial sanctions;
156f			(b) to collect information and statistics in relation to the tasks and activities of the competent authorities in charge of the supervision and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions;
156g			

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			(c) to receive information on any possible violations, circumvention and evasion of targeted financial sanctions;
156h			(d) to issue the guidelines and recommendations referred to in Article 43.
157	3. With respect to FIUs in the Member States, the Authority shall have the following powers:	3. With respect to FIUs in the Member States, the Authority shall have the following powers:	3. With respect to FIUs in the Member States, the Authority shall have the following powers:
158	(a) to request data and analyses from FIUs that are relevant to the assessment of threats, vulnerabilities and risks facing the internal market in relation to money laundering and terrorist financing;	(a) to request <u>non-operational</u> data and analyses from FIUs, <u>where they are</u> <u>necessary for that are relevant to</u> the assessment of threats, vulnerabilities and risks facing the internal market in relation to money laundering and terrorist financing;	(a) to <i>requestsubmit requests to FIUs to make</i> <i>available</i> data and analyses from FIUs that are relevant to the assessment of threats, vulnerabilities and risks facing the internal market in relation to money laundering and terrorist financing;
159	(b) to collect information and statistics in relation to the tasks and activities of the FIUs;	(b) to collect information and statistics in relation to the tasks and activities of the FIUs;	(b) to collect information and statistics in relation to the tasks and activities of the FIUs;
160	(c) to obtain and process information and data	(c) to obtain and process information and	(c) to obtain and process information and data

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	required for the coordination of joint analyses as specified in Article 33;	data required for the <i>coordination<u>support</u></i> of joint analyses as specified in Article 33;	required for <i>the coordination of <u>initiating</u></i> , <i>instituting and coordinating</i> joint analyses as specified in Article 33;
161	(d) to issue guidelines and recommendations.	(d) to issue guidelines- <i>and</i> recommendations.	(d) to issue guidelines and recommendations. as provided for in Article 43.
161a			3a. With respect to the entities in charge of central beneficial ownership registers, the Authority shall have the power to conduct peer reviews of the fulfilment of the requirements laid down in Chapter II, Section I, of Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive].
162	4. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks set out in Article 5(1), the Authority shall have the following powers:	4. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks set out in Article 5(1), the Authority shall have the following powers:	4. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks set out in Article 5(1), the Authority shall have the following powers:
163	(a) to develop draft regulatory technical standards in the specific cases referred to in Article 38;	(a) to develop draft regulatory technical standards in the specific cases referred to in Article 38;	(a) to develop draft regulatory technical standards in the specific cases referred to in Article 38;
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	(b) to develop draft implementing technical standards in the specific cases referred to in Article 42;	(b) to develop draft implementing technical standards in the specific cases referred to in Article 42;	(b) to develop draft implementing technical standards in the specific cases referred to in Article 42;
165	(c) to issue guidelines and recommendations, as provided in Article 43;	(c) to issue guidelines and recommendations, as provided in Article 43;	(c) to issue guidelines and recommendations, as provided in Article 43;
166	(d) to issue opinions to the European Parliament, to the Council, or to the Commission as provided for in Article 44.	(d) to issue opinions to the European Parliament, to the Council, or to the Commission as provided for in Article 44.	(d) to issue opinions to the European Parliament, to the Council, or to the Commission as provided for in Article 44.
166a			4a. When exercising the powers provided for in paragraph 4 of this Article, and in accordance with Article 24 of Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939, the Authority shall without undue delay inform the EPPO of any criminal conduct in respect of which it is permitted to exercise its competence in accordance with Article 22 and Article 25(2) and (3) of that Regulation. Pursuant to Article 8 of Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 <sup>1a</sup> , the Authority shall transmit to OLAF without delay any information relating to possible cases of fraud, corruption or any other illegal activity affecting the financial interests of the Union.

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166b			<u>After having sent the information referred to</u> in the first subparagraph, the Authority shall, on its own initiative or upon request, provide the EPPO or the competent national judicial or law enforcement authority with any other relevant information, as required by their respective national legal frameworks.
166c			4b. In cases where it is duly justified in order to preserve the confidentiality of an ongoing or future criminal investigation, the Authority shall take into account any grounds raised by the EPPO, or the competent national judicial or law enforcement authority, for the postponment of the opening or the continuation of an investigation or of supervisory measures, the imposition of pecuniary sanctions or penalty payments by the Authority, or the performance of certain acts pertaining to them. The modalities shall be laid down in the working agreement with the EPPO under Article 80(2).
167	SECTION 2 AML/CFT supervisory system	SECTION 2 AML/CFT supervisory system	SECTION 2 AML/CFT supervisory system
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	Article 7 Cooperation within the AML/CFT supervisory system	Council Mandate Article 7 Cooperation within the AML/CFT supervisory system	Article 7 Cooperation within the AML/CFT supervisory system
169	1. The Authority shall be responsible for the effective and consistent functioning of the AML/CFT supervisory system.	1. The Authority shall be responsible for the effective and consistent functioning of the AML/CFT supervisory system.	1. The Authority shall be responsible for the effective and consistent functioning of the AML/CFT supervisory system.
170	2. The Authority and supervisory authorities shall be subject to a duty of cooperation in good faith, and to an obligation to exchange information.	2. The Authority and supervisory authorities shall be subject to a duty of cooperation in good faith, and to an obligation to exchange information <i>for the purposes of prevention of money laundering and the financing of terrorism</i> .	2. The Authority and supervisory authorities shall be subject to a duty of cooperation in good faith, and to an obligation to exchange information <i>for the purposes of preventing</i> <i>money laundering and terrorism financing in</i> <i>accordance with this Regulation and other</i> <i>applicable Union law</i> .
170a			Supervisory authorities shall assist the Authority in taking into account the specificities of their respective national legal frameworks, including where the Authority acts in relation to matters governed by provisions of national law transposing Union law as referred to in Article 1(2).
171	Article 8	Article 8	Article 8

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	AML/CFT supervisory methodology	AML/CFT supervisory methodology	AML/CFT supervisory methodology	
172	1. The Authority shall develop and maintain an up-to-date and harmonised AML supervisory methodology detailing the risk-based approach to supervision of obliged entities in the Union. The methodology shall comprise guidelines, recommendations and other measures and instruments as appropriate, including in particular draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, on the basis of the empowerments laid down in the acts referred to in Article 1(2).	1. The Authority shall develop and maintain an up-to-date and harmonised <u>AMLAML/CFT</u> supervisory methodology detailing the risk-based approach to supervision of obliged entities in the Union. The methodology shall comprise guidelines, recommendations and other measures and instruments as appropriate, including in particularopinions as well as draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, on the basis of the empowerments laid down in the acts referred to in Article 1(2).	1. <u>In cooperation with supervisory authorities</u> , the Authority shall develop and maintain an up- to-date and harmonised <u>AMLAML/CFT</u> supervisory methodology detailing the risk- based approach to supervision of obliged entities in the Union. The methodology shall comprise guidelines, recommendations, <u>opinions</u> and other measures and instruments as appropriate, including in particular draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, on the basis of the empowerments laid down in the acts referred to in Article 1(2).	
173	2. When developing the supervisory methodology the Authority shall make a distinction between obliged entities based on the sectors in which they operate. The supervisory methodology shall contain at least the following elements:	2. When developing the supervisory methodology the Authority shall make a distinction between obliged entities based, <i>in</i> <i>particular on their activity, type and the</i> <i>nature of money laundering and the</i> <i>financing of terrorism risks they are</i> <i>exposed to on the sectors in which they</i> <i>operate</i> . The supervisory methodology shall contain at least the following elements:	2. When developing the supervisory methodology the Authority shall make a distinction between obliged entities based on the sectors in which they operate, <i>their type and the</i> <i>nature of the money laundering and terrorism</i> <i>financing risks to which they are exposed</i> . The supervisory methodology shall <i>be risk-based</i> <i>and</i> contain at least the following elements:	
174	(a) benchmarks and methodology for	(a) benchmarks and methodology for	(a) benchmarks and methodology for	

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	classification of obliged entities into risk categories on the basis of their residual risk profile, separately for each category of obliged entities;	classification of obliged entities into risk categories on the basis of their residual risk profile, separately for each category of obliged entities;	classification of obliged entities into risk categories on the basis of their residual risk profile, separately for each category of obliged entities;
175	(b) approaches to supervisory review of money laundering risk self-assessments of obliged entities;	(b) approaches to supervisory review of money laundering <u>and the financing of</u> <u>terrorism</u> risk self-assessments of obliged entities;	(b) approaches to supervisory review of money laundering <i>and terrorism financing</i> risk self- assessments of obliged entities;
176	(c) approaches to supervisory review of obliged entities' internal policies and procedures of obliged entities, including customer due diligence policies;	(c) approaches to supervisory review of obliged entities' internal policies and procedures of obliged entities, including customer due diligence policies, <i>in line with</i> <i>a risk-based approach to the prevention of</i> <i>money laundering and the financing of</i> <i>terrorism</i> ;	(c) approaches to supervisory review of obliged entities' internal policies and procedures of obliged entities, including customer due diligence policies <u>and</u> <u>procedures, in line with a risk-based approach</u> <u>to the prevention of money</u> <u>laundering and terrorism financing</u> ;
177	(d) approaches to supervisory evaluation of risk factors inherent in, or related to, customers, business relationships, transactions and delivery channels of obliged entities, as well as geographical risk factors.	(d) approaches to supervisory evaluation of risk factors inherent in, or related to, customers, business relationships, transactions and delivery channels of obliged entities, as well as geographical risk factors.	(d) approaches to supervisory evaluation of risk factors inherent in, or related to, customers, business relationships, transactions and delivery channels of obliged entities, as well as geographical risk factors.
177a			(da) the use and type of information contained

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			in the common regulatory templates for selected and non-selected obliged entities, which are to be based on objective and comparable AML data focused on key indicators of activity for AML/CFT purposes, due diligence, internal controls, and reporting obligations.
178	3. The methodology shall reflect high supervisory standards at Union level and shall build on relevant international standards and guidance. The Authority shall periodically review and update its supervisory methodology, taking into account the evolution of risks affecting the internal market.	3. The methodology shall reflect high supervisory standards at Union level and shall build on relevant international standards and guidance. The Authority shall periodically review and update its supervisory methodology, taking into account the evolution of risks affecting the internal market <i>and to the extent possible</i> <i>best practices and guidance developed by</i> <i>international standard setters</i> .	3. The methodology shall reflect high supervisory standards at Union level and shall build on relevant international standards and guidance. The Authority shall periodically review and update its supervisory methodology, taking into account the evolution of risks affecting the internal market <u>and, to the extent</u> <u>possible, best practices and guidance developed</u> <u>by international standard setters, national law</u> <u>enforcement authorities and FIUs</u> .
179	Article 9 Thematic reviews	Article 9 Thematic reviews	Article 9 Thematic reviews
180	1. By 31 October each year, supervisory authorities shall submit to the Authority their annual work programmes for the following year. Where those work programmes include supervisory reviews carried out on a thematic	1. By 31 October No later than the 1 <sup>st</sup> December each year, supervisory authorities shall submitprovide information to the Authority their annual work programmes for the following year. Where those work	1. By 31 October each year, supervisory authorities shall submit to the Authority their annual work programmes for the following year. Where those work programmes include supervisory reviews carried out on a thematic

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	basis with the aim of assessing ML/TF risks or a specific aspect of such risks which multiple obliged entities are exposed to at the same time, the supervisory authorities shall provide the following information:	programmes include supervisoryon supervisory reviews they intend to carry out on a thematic basis. The information shall be provided for the reviews carried out on a thematic basisthat are planned for the following year or supervisory term with the aim of assessing ML/TF risks or a specific aspect of such risks which multiple obliged entities are exposed to at the same time, the supervisory authorities shall provide the following information. The following information should be provided:	basis with the aim of assessing ML/TF risks or a specific aspect of such risks which multiple obliged entities are exposed to at the same time, the supervisory authorities shall provide the following information:
181	(a) the scope of each planned thematic review in terms of category and number of obliged entities included and the subject matter(s) of the review;	(a) the scope of each planned thematic review in terms of category and number of obliged entities included and the subject matter(s) of the review;	(a) the scope of each planned thematic review in terms of category and number of obliged entities included and the subject matter(s) of the review;
182	(b) the time-frame of each planned thematic review;	(b) the <i>time_frametimeframe</i> of each planned thematic review;	(b) the time-frame of each planned thematic review;
183	(c) the planned types, nature and frequency of supervisory activities to be performed in relation to each thematic review, including any on-site inspections or other types of direct interaction with obliged entities, where applicable.	(c) the planned types, nature and frequency of supervisory activities to be performed in relation to each thematic review, including any on-site inspections or other types of direct interaction with obliged entities, where applicable.	(c) the planned types, nature and frequency of supervisory activities to be performed in relation to each thematic review, including any on-site inspections or other types of direct interaction with obliged entities, where applicable.

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184	2. By the end of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall present to the General Board in supervisory composition as referred to in Article 46(2) a consolidated planning of the thematic reviews that supervisory authorities intend to undertake during the following year.	2. By the end of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall present to the General Board in supervisory composition as referred to in Article 46(2) a consolidated planning of the thematic reviews that supervisory authorities intend to undertake during the following year.	2. By the end of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall present to the General Board in supervisory composition as referred to in Article 46(2) a consolidated planning of the thematic reviews that supervisory authorities intend to undertake during the following year.
185	3. Where the scope and Union-wide relevance of thematic reviews justify coordination at Union level, they shall be carried out jointly by the relevant supervisory authorities and shall be coordinated by the Authority. The General Board in supervisory composition shall draw up a list of joint thematic reviews. The General Board in supervisory composition shall draw up a report relating to the conduct, subject-matter and outcome of each joint thematic review. The Authority shall publish that report on its website.	3. Where the scope and Union-wide relevance of thematic reviews justify coordination at Union level, they shall be carried out jointly by the relevant supervisory authorities and shall be coordinated by the Authority. The General Board in supervisory composition shall draw up a list of joint thematic reviews. The General Board in supervisory composition shall draw up a report relating to the conduct, subject-matter and outcome of each joint thematic review. The Authority shall publish that report on its website.	3. Where the scope and Union-wide relevance of thematic reviews justify coordination at Union level, they shall be carried out jointly by the relevant supervisory authorities and shall be coordinated by the Authority. The <u>Executive</u> <u>Board may propose joint thematic reviews</u> <u>based on an analysis of internal risks and</u> <u>vulnerabilities performed by the Authority. The</u> General Board in supervisory composition shall draw up a list of joint thematic reviews. The General Board in supervisory composition shall draw up a report relating to the conduct, subject- matter and outcome of each joint thematic review. The Authority shall publish that report on its website.
186	4. The Authority shall coordinate the activities of the supervisory authorities and facilitate the	4. The Authority shall coordinate the activities of the supervisory authorities and	4. The Authority shall coordinate the activities of the supervisory authorities and facilitate the

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	planning and execution of the selected joint thematic reviews referred to in paragraph 3. Any direct interaction with non-selected obliged entities in the context of any thematic review shall remain under the exclusive responsibility of the supervisory authority responsible for supervision of the non-selected obliged entities and shall not be construed as a transfer of tasks and powers related to those entities within the AML/CFT supervisory system.	facilitate the planning and execution of the selected joint thematic reviews referred to in paragraph 3. Any direct interaction with <i>non-</i> <i>selected_obliged entities other than the</i> <i>selected_obliged entities other than the</i> <i>selected_obliged entities in the context of any</i> thematic review shall remain under the exclusive responsibility of the supervisory authority responsible for supervision of <i>the</i> <i>non-selected_these</i> obliged entities and shall not be construed as a transfer of tasks and powers related to those entities within the AML/CFT supervisory system.	planning and execution of the selected joint thematic reviews referred to in paragraph 3. Any direct interaction with non-selected obliged entities in the context of any thematic review shall remain under the exclusive responsibility of the supervisory authority responsible for supervision of the non-selected obliged entities and shall not be construed as a transfer of tasks and powers related to those entities within the AML/CFT supervisory system.
187	5. Where planned thematic reviews at national level are not subject to a coordinated approach at the level of the Union, the Authority shall, jointly with the supervisory authorities, explore the need for and the possibility of aligning or synchronising the timeframe of those thematic reviews, and shall facilitate information exchange and mutual assistance between supervisory authorities carrying out those thematic reviews. The Authority shall also facilitate any activities that the relevant supervisory authorities may wish to carry out jointly or in similar manner in the context of their respective thematic reviews.	5. Where planned thematic reviews at national level are not subject to a coordinated approach at the level of the Union, the Authority shall, jointly with the supervisory authorities, explore the need for and the possibility of aligning or synchronising the timeframe of those thematic reviews, and shall facilitate information exchange and mutual assistance between supervisory authorities carrying out those thematic reviews. The Authority shall also facilitate any activities that the relevant supervisory authorities may wish to carry out jointly or in similar manner in the context of their respective thematic reviews.	5. Where planned thematic reviews at national level are not subject to a coordinated approach at the level of the Union, the Authority shall, jointly with the supervisory authorities, explore the need for and the possibility of aligning or synchronising the timeframe of those thematic reviews, and shall facilitate information exchange and mutual assistance between supervisory authorities carrying out those thematic reviews. The Authority shall also facilitate any activities that the relevant supervisory authorities may wish to carry out jointly or in similar manner in the context of their respective thematic reviews.

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188	6. The Authority shall ensure the sharing with all supervisory authorities of the outcomes and conclusions of thematic reviews conducted at national level by several supervisory authorities, with the exception of confidential information pertaining to individual obliged entities. The sharing of information shall include any common conclusions resulting from exchanges of information or any joint or coordinated activities among several supervisory authorities.	6. The Authority shall ensure the sharing with all supervisory authorities of the outcomes and conclusions of thematic reviews conducted at national level by several supervisory authorities, with the exception of confidential information pertaining to individual obliged entities. The sharing of information shall include any common conclusions resulting from exchanges of information or any joint or coordinated activities among several supervisory authorities.	6. The Authority shall ensure the sharing with all supervisory authorities of the outcomes and conclusions of thematic reviews conducted at national level by several supervisory authorities, with the exception of confidential information pertaining to individual obliged entities. The sharing of information shall include any common conclusions resulting from exchanges of information or any joint or coordinated activities among several supervisory authorities.
189	Article 10 Mutual assistance in AML/CFT supervisory system	Article 10 Mutual assistance in AML/CFT supervisory system	Article 10 Mutual assistance in AML/CFT supervisory system
190	1. The Authority may, as appropriate, develop:	1. The Authority may, as appropriate, develop:	1. The Authority may, as appropriate, develop:
191	(a) new practical instruments and convergence tools to promote common supervisory approaches and best practices;	(a) new practical instruments and convergence tools to promote common supervisory approaches and best practices;	(a) new practical instruments and convergence tools to promote common supervisory approaches and best practices;
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	(b) practical tools and methods for mutual assistance following:	(b) practical tools and methods for mutual assistance following:	(b) practical tools and methods for mutual assistance following:
193	(i) specific requests from supervisory authorities;	(i) specific requests from supervisory authorities;	(i) specific requests from supervisory authorities;
194	(ii) referral of disagreements between supervisory authorities on the measures to be taken jointly by several supervisory authorities in relation to an obliged entity.	(ii) referral of disagreements between supervisory authorities on the measures to be taken jointly by several supervisory authorities in relation to an obliged entity.	(ii) referral of disagreements between supervisory authorities on the measures to be taken jointly by several supervisory authorities in relation to an obliged entity.
195	2. The Authority shall facilitate and encourage at least the following activities:	2. The Authority shall facilitate and encourage at least the following activities:	2. The Authority shall facilitate and encourage at least the following activities:
196	(a) sectoral and cross-sectoral training programmes, including with respect to technological innovation;	(a) sectoral and cross-sectoral training programmes, including with respect to technological innovation;	(a) sectoral and cross-sectoral training programmes, including with respect to technological innovation;
197	(b) exchanges of staff and the use of secondment schemes, twinning and short-term visits;	(b) exchanges of staff and the use of secondment schemes, twinning and short-term visits;	(b) exchanges of staff and the use of secondment schemes, twinning and short-term visits;

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198	(c) exchanges of supervisory practices between supervisory authorities, when one authority has developed expertise in a specific area of AML/CFT supervisory practices.	Council Mandate (c) exchanges of supervisory practices between supervisory authorities, when one authority has developed expertise in a specific area of AML/CFT supervisory practices.	(c) exchanges of supervisory <b><i>best</i></b> practices between supervisory authorities, when one authority has developed expertise in a specific area of AML/CFT supervisory practices.
199	3. Each supervisory authority may submit a request for mutual assistance related to its supervisory tasks to the Authority, specifying the type of assistance that can be provided by the staff of the Authority, the staff of one or more supervisory authorities, or a combination thereof. If the request concerns activities that relate to the supervision of specific obliged entities, the requesting supervisory authority shall ensure that access to any information and data necessary for the provision of assistance may be granted. The Authority shall keep and regularly update the information on specific areas of expertise and on the capacities of supervisory authorities to provide mutual assistance.	3. Each supervisory authority may submit a request for mutual assistance related to its supervisory tasks to the Authority, specifying the type of assistance that can be provided by the staff of the Authority, the staff of one or more supervisory authorities, or a combination thereof. If the request concerns activities that relate to the supervision of specific obliged entities, the requesting supervisory authority shall <i>ensure that access to anytransmit to the Authority</i> information and data necessary for the provision of assistance <i>may be granted</i> . The Authority shall keep and regularly update the information on specific areas of expertise and on the capacities of supervisory authorities and ensure that authorities to provide mutual assistance.	3. Each supervisory authority may submit a request for mutual assistance related to its supervisory tasks to the Authority, specifying the type of assistance that can be provided by the staff of the Authority, the staff of one or more supervisory authorities, or a combination thereof. If the request concerns activities that relate to the supervision of specific obliged entities, the requesting supervisory authority shall <i>ensure that access totransmit to the Authority</i> any information and data necessary for the provision of assistance <i>may be grantedin accordance with this Regulation and other applicable Union law</i> . The Authority shall keep and regularly update the information on specific areas of expertise and on the capacities of supervisory authorities to provide mutual assistance.
200	4. Where the Authority is requested to provide assistance for the performance of specific	4. Where the Authority is requested to provide assistance for the performance of	4. Where the Authority is requested to provide assistance for the performance of specific

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	supervisory tasks at national level towards non- selected obliged entities, the requesting supervisory authority shall detail the tasks for which support is sought in its request. The assistance shall not be construed as the transfer of supervisory tasks, powers, or accountability for supervision of the non-selected obliged entities from the requesting supervisory authority to the Authority.	specific supervisory tasks at national level towards <i>non-selectedobliged entities other</i> <i>than selected</i> obliged entities, the requesting supervisory authority shall detail the tasks for which support is sought in its request. The assistance shall not be construed as the transfer of supervisory tasks, powers, or accountability for supervision of the <i>non-</i> <i>selectedobliged entities other than selected</i> obliged entities from the requesting supervisory authority to the Authority.	supervisory tasks at national level towards non- selected obliged entities, the requesting supervisory authority shall detail the tasks for which support is sought in its request. The assistance shall not be construed as the transfer of supervisory tasks, powers, or accountability for supervision of the non-selected obliged entities from the requesting supervisory authority to the Authority.
201	5. The Authority shall make every effort to provide the requested assistance, including by mobilising own human resources as well as by ensuring mobilisation of resources at supervisory authorities on a voluntary basis.	5. <u>After having assessed whether the</u> <u>request is reasonable and feasible</u> , the Authority shall make every effort to provide the requested assistance, including by mobilising own human resources as well as by ensuring mobilisation of resources at supervisory authorities on a voluntary basis.	5. The Authority shall make every effort to provide the requested assistance <i>if it deems the</i> <u>request appropriate</u> , including by mobilising <u>its</u> own human resources as well as by ensuring mobilisation of resources at supervisory authorities on a voluntary basis.
202	6. By the end of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in supervisory composition of the resources that the Authority will allocate to providing such assistance.	6. By the end of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in supervisory composition of the <i>human</i> resources that the Authority will allocate to providing such assistance. <i>When changes</i> occur to the availability of human resources due to performance of tasks referred to in Article 5(2) to 5(4), the Chair of the	6. By the end of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in supervisory composition of the resources that the Authority will allocate to providing such assistance.

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		Authority shall inform the General Board in supervisory composition thereof.	
203	7. Any interaction between the staff of the Authority and the obliged entity shall remain under the exclusive responsibility of the supervisory authority responsible for the supervision of that entity, and shall not be construed as a transfer of tasks and powers related to individual obliged entities within the AML/CFT supervisory system.	7. Any interaction between the staff of the Authority and the obliged entity shall remain under the exclusive responsibility of the supervisory authority responsible for the supervision of that entity, and shall not be construed as a transfer of tasks and powers related to individual obliged entities within the AML/CFT supervisory system.	7. Any interaction between the staff of the Authority and the obliged entity shall remain under the exclusive responsibility of the supervisory authority responsible for the supervision of that entity, and shall not be construed as a transfer of tasks and powers related to individual obliged entities within the AML/CFT supervisory system.
204	Article 11 Central AML/CFT database	Article 11 Central AML/CFT database	Article 11 Central AML/CFT database
205	1. The Authority shall establish and keep up to date a central database of information collected pursuant to paragraph 2. The Authority shall analyse the information received and ensure that it is made available to supervisory authorities on a need-to-know and confidential basis. The Authority may share the results of its analysis on its own initiative with supervisory authorities for the purposes of facilitating their supervisory activities.	1. The Authority shall establish and keep up to date a central database of information collected pursuant to paragraph 2 <u>and</u> <u>paragraph 5</u> . The Authority shall analyse the information received and ensure that it is made available to supervisory authorities, <u>non-AML/CFT authorities as well as other</u> <u>national authorities and bodies competent</u> for ensuring compliance with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU [consumer credit directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD], Directive 2009/110/EC	1. The Authority shall establish and keep up to date a central database of information collected pursuant to <i>paragraph 2this Article</i> . The Authority shall analyse the information received and ensure that it is made available to supervisory authorities <i>and non-AML/CFT</i> <i>authorities as well as other national authorities</i> <i>and bodies competent for ensuring compliance</i> <i>with Directive 2014/17/EU [consumer credit</i> <i>directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD],</i> <i>Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency II], Directive</i>

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		<i>[e-money Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC</i> <i>[Solvency II], Directive 2014/65/EU [Mifid]</i> <i>II], and Regulation [MiCA]</i> on a need-to- know and confidential basis. The Authority may share <u>the information obtained or</u> the results of its analysis on its own initiative with supervisory authorities for the purposes of facilitating their supervisory activities.	2014/65/EU [Mifid II], and Regulation [MiCA] and to the European Supervisory Authorities, on a need-to-know and confidential basis. The Authority may share the results of its analysis and inspections on its own initiative with supervisory authorities, including non- AML/CFT authorities, for the purposes of facilitating their supervisory activities.
206	2. The supervisory authorities shall transmit to the Authority at least the following information, including the data related to individual obliged entities:	2. The supervisory authorities shall transmit to the Authority <i>at least</i> the following information, including the data related to individual obliged entities:	2. The <i>supervisors and</i> supervisory authorities shall transmit to the Authority at least the following information, including the data related to individual obliged entities:
207	(a) a list of all supervisory authorities and self- regulatory bodies entrusted with supervision of obliged entities, including information about their mandate, tasks and powers;	(a) a list of all supervisory authorities and self-regulatory bodies entrusted with supervision of obliged entities, including information about their mandate, tasks and powers;	(a) a list of all supervisory authorities and self- regulatory bodies entrusted with supervision of obliged entities, including information about their mandate, tasks and powers;
208	(b) statistical information about the type and number of supervised obliged entities in each Member State and basic information about the risk profile;	(b) statistical information about the type and number of supervised obliged entities in each Member State and basic information about the risk profile;	(b) statistical information about the type and number of supervised obliged entities in each Member State and basic information about the risk profile;
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			(ba) the information included in the common regulatory templates submitted by selected and non-selected obliged entities;
209	(c) binding measures and sanctions taken in the course of supervision of individual obliged entities;	(c) <i>binding measures and</i> sanctions taken in the course of supervision of individual obliged entities <i>in response to serious</i> , <i>systematic or repeated breach of AML/CFT requirements</i> ;	(c) binding measures and sanctions taken in the course of supervision of individual obliged entities;
209a			(ca) consolidated information from selected and non-selected obliged entities that might be relevant for benchmarking purposes in the risk assessment process referred to in Articles 12 and 13, or for other supervisory purposes;
210	(d) any advice provided to other national authorities in relation to authorisation procedures, withdrawal of authorisation procedures, and fit and proper assessments of shareholders or members of the management body of individual obliged entities;	(d) any advice provided to other national authorities in relation to authorisation procedures, withdrawal of authorisation procedures, and fit and proper assessments of shareholders or members of the management body of individual obliged entities; <u>deleted</u>	(d) any advice provided to other <i>national</i> authorities in relation to authorisation procedures, withdrawal of authorisation procedures, and fit and proper assessments of shareholders or members of the management body of individual obliged entities;
211	(e) reports on outcomes of supervisory	(e) <i>reports on outcomes outcomes and</i>	(e) reports on outcomes of supervisory

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	activities;	measures taken in the course of supervisory activities;	activities;
212	(f) results from supervisory inspections of files concerning politically exposed persons, their family members and their associates;	(f) results from supervisory inspections of files concerning politically exposed persons, their family members and their associates;deleted	(f) results from supervisory inspections of files concerning politically exposed persons, their family members and their associates;
213	(g) statistical information regarding performed supervisory activities over the past calendar year, including the number of off-site and on- site inspections;	(g) statistical information regarding performed supervisory activities over the past calendar year, <i>including the number of</i> <i>off site and on-site inspections</i> ;	(g) statistical information regarding performed supervisory activities over the past calendar year, including the number of off-site and on- site inspections;
214	(h) statistical information about staffing and other resources of public authorities.	<ul> <li>(h) statistical information about staffing and other resources of <i>publicsupervisors and</i> supervisory authorities.</li> </ul>	(h) statistical information about staffing and other resources of public authorities.
214a			(ha) information from competent authorities relating to weaknesses identified during supervision and authorisation procedures in the processes and procedures, governance arrangements, fitness and propriety, acquisition of qualifying holdings, business models and activities of financial sector operators in relation to preventing and

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			<u>countering money laundering and terrorist</u> <u>financing;</u>
214b			(hb) measures taken by competent authorities in response to the following weaknesses affecting one or more requirements of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, Article 1(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 and Article 1(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 and of any national laws transposing them with regard to preventing or countering the use of the financial system for the purpose of money laundering or terrorist financing:
214c			(a) a breach or a potential breach by a financial sector operator of such requirements,
214d			(b) the inappropriate or ineffective application by a financial sector operator of such requirements, or
214e			(c) the inappropriate or ineffective application by a financial sector operator of its internal policies and procedures to comply with such

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			<u>requirements;</u>
214f			(hc) weaknesses and failures of obliged entities to comply with [AMLR] and with any measures taken by supervisory authorities in response to weaknesses affecting one or more requirements of [AMLR].
214g			2a. The Authority shall publish the information collected pursuant to paragraph 2, points (a), (b), (g) and (h). A summary of non- confidential findings regarding the information collected pursuant to paragraph 2, points (c), (d), (e), (f), (ha), (hb) and (hc), shall be made available to obliged entities.
214h		2a. The information provided pursuant to this paragraph shall not include reference to specific suspicious transaction reported pursuant to article 50 AMLR.The Authority shall develop a draft regulatory technical standard specifying the data to be transmitted by supervisory authorities as well as the transmission procedure and timeline. This draft regulatory technical standard shall take	

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		into account any relevant distinction between obliged entities, in particular in the non-financial sector, their exposure to risk as well as the tasks of the Authority on those obliged entities.	
215	3. The Authority may request supervisory authorities to provide other information in addition to that referred to in paragraph 2. The supervisory authorities shall update any provided information.	3. <u>The regulatory technical standard</u> referred to in paragraph 2 shall also specify the information whose dissemination by the Authority, pursuant to a reasoned request or at its own initiative, requires a prior approval of the supervisory authority that originated it. The Authority shall submit the draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission by eighteen months after the entry into force of this regulation. The Commission is empowered to adopt the regulatory technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 38 of this Regulation.the Authority may request supervisory authorities to provide other information in addition to that referred to in paragraph 2. The supervisory authorities shall update any provided information.	3. The Authority may request supervisory authorities <u>and non-AML/CFT authorities</u> to provide other information in addition to that referred to in paragraph 2. <u>In response to the</u> <u>Authority's request</u> , the supervisory authorities <u>or the non-AML/CFT authorities</u> shall update any <u>information previously</u> provided <u>informationby them</u> .

Council Mandate           Non-AML/CFT authorities, as well as other national authorities and bodies competent for ensuring compliance with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU (consumer credit directive], Directive 2009/138/EC (Solvency Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC (Solvency III, Directive), Directive, 2009/138/EC (Solvency III, Directive)			ST 10507/22 REV1	
215a Non-AML/CFT authorities, as well as other national authorities and bodies competent for ensuring compliance with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU [consumer credit directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD], Directive 2009/110/EC [solvency III, Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency III, Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency III, Directive], and the European Supervisory Authorities, shall transmit to the Authority information relating to weaknesses identified during ongoing supervision and authorisation procedures in the processes and procedures, governance arrangements, fitness and propriety, acquisition of qualifying holdings, business models and activities of credit and financial institutions as defined in Article 2 of [AMLR] in relation to preventing and		Commission Proposal	Council Mandate	EP Mandate
countering money laundering and terrorist         financing as well as measures taken by those         authorities, in response to material weaknesses         affecting one or more requirements of the         legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of         Regulation EU (No) 1093/2010, Article 1(2) of         Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 and Article         1(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 and of         any national laws transposing them,         respectively, with regard to the institution's         ability to tackle ML/TF risks effectively, and as         such, the integrity and transparency of the         financial system of the Union.	215a		Council Mandate	Non-AML/CFT authorities, as well as other national authorities and bodies competent for ensuring compliance with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU [consumer credit directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD], Directive 2009/110/EC [e-money Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency II], Directive 2014/65/EU [Mifid II], and Regulation [MiCA] and the European Supervisory Authorities, shall transmit to the Authority information relating to weaknesses identified during ongoing supervision and authorisation procedures in the processes and procedures, governance arrangements, fitness and propriety, acquisition of qualifying holdings, business models and activities of credit and financial institutions as defined in Article 2 of [AMLR] in relation to preventing and countering money laundering and terrorist financing as well as measures taken by those authorities, in response to material weaknesses affecting one or more requirements of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of Regulation EU (No) 1093/2010, Article 1(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 and Article 1(2) of Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 and of any national laws transposing them, respectively, with regard to the institution's ability to tackle ML/TF risks effectively, and as such, the integrity and transparency of the

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215b			Non-AML/CFT authorities may share with the Authority any additional information, within the boundaries of their mandates and tasks, deemed relevant to the prevention and countering of money laundering or terrorist financing.
215c			3a. For the purposes of paragraph 1 of this Article, the Authority shall take over the central AML/CFT database established in accordance with Article 9a of Regulation EU (No) 1093/2010 (EuReCA) and shall become the owner of its content and the technical system operating EuReCA.
215d			With a view to ensuring a smooth transition until such time as the Authority is operationally in a position to fully take over and keep the EuReCA database up to date, the European Banking Authority shall continue receiving information, analysing it and making it available in accordance with Article 9a of Regulation EU (No) 1093/2010 until [insert date dd.mm.yyyy corresponding to 18 months after date of entry into force].

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216	4. Any supervisory authority or any non-AML authority may address to the Authority a reasoned request for information collected pursuant to paragraph 2 that is relevant for its supervisory activities. The Authority shall assess those requests and provide the information requested by the supervisory authorities or non-AML authorities on a need- to-know basis and confidential basis and in a timely manner. The Authority shall inform the authority that has initially provided the requested information, of the identity of the requesting supervisory or other authority, the identity of an obliged entity concerned, the reason for the information request as well as whether the information has been provided to the requesting authority.	<ul> <li>4. Any supervisory authority, non- AML/CFT authorities as well as other national authorities and bodies competent for ensuring compliance with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU [consumer credit directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD], Directive 2009/110/EC [e-money Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency II], Directive 2014/65/EU [Mifid II], and Regulation [MiCA], or any non- AML authority may address to the Authority a reasoned request for information collected pursuant to paragraph 2 that is relevant for its supervisory activities. The Authority shall assess those requests and provide the information requested by the supervisory authorities on a need-to-know basis and confidential basis and in a timely manner. The Authority may also share information obtained or the results of its analysis on its own initiative with the aforementioned authorities for the purposes of facilitating their respective activities.</li> <li>The Authority shall inform the authority or body that has initially provided the requested information, of the identity of the requesting supervisory or other authority, the identity of an obliged entity concerned, the reason for the information request as well as whether</li> </ul>	<b>EP Mandate</b> 4. Any supervisory authority <i>or</i> , any non-AML authority, <i>as well as other national authorities</i> <i>and bodies competent for ensuring compliance</i> <i>with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU</i> <i>[consumer credit directive], Directive 2014/17/EU</i> <i>[consumer credit directive], Directive 2019/138/EC</i> <i>[Solvency II], Directive 2009/110/EC [e-</i> <i>money Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC</i> <i>[Solvency II], Directive 2014/65/EU [Miftd II],</i> <i>and Regulation [MiCA], or the European</i> <i>Supervisory Authorities</i> may address to the Authority a reasoned request for information collected pursuant to <i>paragraph 2this Article</i> that is relevant for its supervisory activities. The Authority shall assess those requests and provide the information requested <i>by the</i> <i>supervisory authorities or non AML authorities</i> on a need-to-know basis and confidential basis and in a timely manner. The Authority shall inform the authority that has initially provided the requested information, of the identity of the requesting supervisory or other authority, the identity of an obliged entity concerned, the reason for the information has been provided to the requesting authority. <i>Where the Authority</i> <i>decides not to provide the requested</i> <i>information, it shall provide a reasoned</i> <i>justification for that decision</i> .

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		the information has been provided to the requesting authority.	
216a			4a. <u>The Authority shall make available to all</u> <u>supervisors consolidated information of</u> <u>obliged entities that might be relevant for</u> <u>supervisory purposes or that might inform</u> <u>benchmarks and the methodolody for</u> <u>classification in the risk assessment process.</u>
216b			4b. The Authority shall develop draft regulatory technical standards further specifying the weaknesses referred to in paragraph 2, points (ha), (hb) and (hc), including the corresponding situations where weaknesses may occur, the materiality of weaknesses and the practical implementation of the information collection by the Authority as well as the type of information that should be provided pursuant to those provisions. The Authority shall also specify the format, the transmission procedure and information included in the common regulatory templates referred to in paragraph 2, point (ba).
216c			<u>To that end, the Authority shall consider the</u> volume of the information to be provided and

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			the need to avoid duplication. It shall also set out arrangements to ensure effectiveness, confidentiality and the protection of personal data, specifying the data types and purposes for which personal data is processed and collected.
216d			<u>The Authority shall submit the draft regulatory</u> technical standards to the Commission by [18 months after the date of entry into force of this <u>Regulation].</u>
216e			<u>The Commission is empowered to adopt the</u> <u>regulatory technical standards referred to in</u> <u>the first subparagraph in accordance with</u> <u>Article 38 of this Regulation.</u>
216f			4c. Personal data collected in accordance with this Article may be kept in an identifiable form for a period of up to 10 years after the date of collection of the data by the Authority, at the end of which the personal data shall be deleted. Based on a regular assessment of their necessity, personal data may be deleted before the expiry of that period on a case-by-case basis.

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216g		5. The Authority shall incorporate in the database any data or information relevant for the purposes of AML/CFT supervisory activities which is voluntarily provided by the non-AML/CFT authorities as well as other national authorities and bodies competent for ensuring compliance with the requirements of Directive 2014/17/EU [consumer credit directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD], Directive 2009/110/EC [e-money Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency II], Directive 2014/65/EU [Mifid II], and Regulation (MiCA).	
216h			<u>Article 11a</u> <u>Information requests directly to obliged entities</u>
216i			<u>1.</u> <u>The supervisory authorities and the</u> <u>Authority shall provide each other with all</u> <u>necessary information regarding selected and</u> <u>non-selected obliged entities in order to carry</u> <u>out their respective duties, powers and legal</u> <u>mandate, provided that the supervisory</u> <u>authorities and the Authority have legal access</u> <u>to the relevant information.</u>
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			2. Where information is not available or is not made available under paragraph 1 in a timely manner, the Authority may address a request directly to the relevant obliged entities or associations of obliged entities. The request shall be duly justified, include the legal basis of the request, specify the information required and fix a reasonable time limit within which the information is to be provided. The supervisory authority shall receive a copy of the request.
216k			<u>The addressees of such a request shall provide</u> the Authority, within the time limit specified in the request, with clear, accurate and complete information, provided that they have legal access to the relevant information. Upon a duly justified request to the Authority, the addressees may ask for a single extension of the deadline.
2161			<u>The request shall be sent in accordance with</u> <u>the language arrangements established,</u> <u>mutatis mutandis, in Article 27.</u>
216m			3. The Authority shall use confidential information received pursuant to this Article

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			only for the purposes of carrying out the duties assigned to it under this Regulation and other applicable Union law.
216n			<b><u>4.</u></b> <u>The Authority shall develop draft regulatory</u> <u>technical standards setting out the modalities</u> <u>with regard to information requests addressed</u> <u>to obliged entities as provided in paragraph 1.</u>
2160			The Authority shall submit the draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission by [1 January 2025]. The Commission is empowered to adopt the regulatory technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph of this paragraph in accordance with Article 38.
216p			<u>Article 11b</u> Information sharing with FIUs and Europol
216q			1. Where the Authority, in the course of its supervisory activities in relation to obliged entities under Sections 3, 4 and 5 of this Chapter, suspects that facts that it has examined in the framework of those supervisory activities could be related to money

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			laundering, to a predicate offence or to terrorist financing, it shall promptly transmit such information to the competent FIUs.
216r			2. Where the facts referred to in the first paragraph have a cross-border relevance, the Authority shall promptly transmit the information to Europol.
216s			3. Without prejudice to [GDPR, LED and Regulation (EU) 2018/1725], to the extent that information referred to in the first and second paragraphs contains personal data within the meaning of any of those legislative acts, the Authority shall only transmit those personal data to the relevant FIUs and Europol where such transmission is strictly necessary for the relevant FIUs to perform their respective mandates in accordance with applicable Union and national law, or for Europol to perform its mandate in accordance with [the Europol regulation].
216t			4. For the purposes of the second paragraph, the Authority may rely on cooperation agreements concluded with Europol in accordance with Article 80 of this Regulation.

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217	SECTION 3 Direct supervision of selected obliged entities	SECTION 3 Direct supervision of selected obliged entities	SECTION 3 Direct supervision of selected obliged entities
218	Article 12 Assessment of obliged entities for the purposes of selection for direct supervision	Article 12 Assessment of obliged entities for the purposes of selection for direct supervision	Article 12 Assessment of <u>financial sector</u> obliged entities for the purposes of selection for direct supervision
219	1. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks listed in Article 5(2), the Authority shall carry out a periodic assessment of the following obliged entities, based on criteria and following the process specified in paragraphs 2 to 6 of this Article and in Article 13:	1. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks listed in Article 5(2), the Authority shall carry out a periodic assessment of the following obliged entitics, based on criteria and following the process specified in paragraphs 2 to 6 of this Article and in Article 13: of credit institutions, financial institutions, groups of credit and financial institutions referred to in paragraph 3 where, in at least seven Member States, including the home Member State, they provide services either via establishments referred to in article 2 (8) of [AMLD], or actively provide services.	1. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks listed in Article 5(2), the Authority, with the collaboration of financial supervisors in accordance with paragraph 1b of this Article, shall carry out a periodic assessment of the following obliged entities, listed in paragraph 3 of this Article based on criteria and following the process specified in paragraphs 2 to 6 of this Article and in Article 13: where they operate establishments as defined in Article 2(8) of [proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final], or under the freedom to provide services, in at least four Member States, including the Member State of establishment.
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	(a) credit institutions that are established in at least seven Member States, including the Member State of establishment and the Member States where they are operating via subsidiaries or branches;	(a) credit institutions that are established in at least seven Member States, including the Member State of establishment and the Member States where they are operating via subsidiaries or branches;deleted	deleted
221	(b) other financial institutions that operate in at least ten Member States, including the Member State of establishment, another Member State where they are operating via a subsidiary or a branch, and all other Member States where they are operating by means of direct provision of services or via a network of representative agents.	(b) other financial institutions that operate in at least ten Member States, including the Member State of establishment, another Member State where they are operating via a subsidiary or a branch, and all other Member States where they are operating by means of direct provision of services or via a network of representative agents.deleted	deleted
221a			<u>Ia. In cases where all of the obliged entities</u> <u>established in a particular Member State</u> <u>operate in fewer than four Member States,</u> <u>whether through establishments or through the</u> <u>freedom to provide services, the periodic</u> <u>assessment referred to in paragraph 1 shall be</u> <u>carried out on the obliged entities listed in</u> <u>paragraph 3 which are established in that</u> <u>Member State.</u>
221b			<u>1b. The Authority shall receive all necessary</u> information from supervisory authorities, and,

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			in exceptional cases, from the obliged entities, in order to carry out the periodic assessment of individual obliged entities. That information shall be included in the common reporting templates referred to in Article 5(3), point (e).
221c			<u>1c.</u> <u>The Authority shall keep the relevant non-</u> <u>AML/CFT authorities informed of the</u> <u>assessments provided for in paragraphs 1, (1a)</u> <u>and (1b) in cases where the obliged entities fall</u> <u>within their supervisory remits.</u>
222	2. The inherent risk profile of the assessed obliged entities referred to in paragraph 1, point (a) or (b) shall be classified as low, medium, substantial or high in each jurisdiction they operate in, based on the benchmarks and following the methodology set out in the regulatory technical standard referred to in paragraph 5.	2. The <i>inherent</i> risk profile of the assessed obliged entities referred to in paragraph 1, <i>point (a) or (b)</i> shall be classified as low, medium, substantial or high in each jurisdiction they operate in, based on the benchmarks and following the methodology set out in the regulatory technical standard referred to in paragraph 5.	2. <u>After having assessed the residualThe</u> inherent risk profile of the assessed obliged entities referred to in paragraph 1, point (a) or (b) <u>the Authority</u> shall <u>be classified</u> classify them as low, medium, substantial or high in each jurisdiction they operate in, based on the benchmarks and following the methodology set out in the regulatory technical standard referred to in paragraph 5.
223	3. The methodology for classifying the inherent risk profile shall be established separately for at least the following categories of obliged entities:	3. The methodology for classifying the <i>inherent</i> risk profile shall be established separately for at least the following categories of obliged entities:	3. The methodology for classifying the <i>inherentresidual</i> risk profile shall be established separately for at least the following categories of obliged entities, <i>taking into account the</i> <i>specificities of each sector</i> :

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224	(a) credit institutions;	(a) credit institutions;	(a) credit institutions;
225	(b) bureaux de change;	(b) bureaux de change;	(b) bureaux de change;
226	(c) undertaking for collective investment in transferable securities and alternative investment funds;	(c) <i>undertaking for</i> collective investment <i>in</i> <i>transferable securities and alternative</i> <i>investment fundsundertaking</i> ;	(c) <i>undertaking for</i> -collective investment <i>in</i> <i>transferable securities and alternative</i> <i>investment funds<mark>undertakings</mark>;</i>
227	(d) credit providers other than credit institutions;	(d) credit providers other than credit institutions;	(d) credit providers other than credit institutions;
228	(e) e-money institutions;	(e) e-money institutions;	(e) e-money institutions;
229	(f) investment firms;	(f) investment firms;	(f) investment firms;
230	(g) payments service providers;	(g) payments service providers;	(g) payments service providers;

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231	(h) life insurance undertakings;	(h) life insurance undertakings;	(h) life insurance undertakings;
232	(i) life insurance intermediaries;	(i) life insurance intermediaries;	(i) life insurance intermediaries;
233	(j) other financial institutions.	(j) other financial institutions.crypto-asset service providers;	(j) other financial institutions
233a		(k) Other financial institutions.	(ja) crypto-asset service providers.
234	4. For each category of obliged entities referred to in paragraph 4, the benchmarks in the assessment methodology shall be based on the risk factor categories related to customer, products, services, transactions, delivery channels and geographical areas. The benchmarks shall be established for at least the following indicators of inherent risk in any Member State they operate in:	4. For each category of obliged entities referred to in paragraph 43, the benchmarks in the assessment methodology shall be based on the risk factor categories related to customer, products, services, transactions, delivery channels and geographical areas. The benchmarks shall be established for at least the following indicators of inherent risk in any Member State they operate in:	4. For each category of obliged entities referred to in paragraph 43, the benchmarks in the assessment methodology shall be based on the risk factor categories related to customer, products, services, transactions, delivery channels, geographical areas, and the risk management systems put in place by the obliged entities-and geographical areas. The benchmarks shall be established for at least the following indicators of inherentresidual risk in any Member State they operate in:
235	(a) with respect to customer-related risk: the	(a) with respect to customer-related risk: the	(a) with respect to customer-related risk: the

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	share of non-resident customers, the presence and share of customers identified as Politically Exposed persons ('PEPs');	share of non-resident customers, the presence and share of customers identified as Politically exposed persons ('PEPs');	share of non-resident customers <u>from third</u> <u>countries</u> , the presence and share of customers identified as Politically Exposed persons ('PEPs') <u>and the presence and share of</u> <u>customers located in jurisdictions listed in</u> <u>Annex I to the EU list of non-cooperative</u> <u>jurisdictions for tax purposes, in jurisdictions</u> <u>continuously listed in Annex II to the EU list</u> <u>of non-cooperative jurisdictions for tax</u> <u>purposes for a period of more than three years,</u> <u>and in jurisdictions identified and designated</u> <u>as referred to in Chapter III Section 2 of</u> [please insert reference – proposal for Anti- <u>Money Laundering Regulation]</u> ;
236	(b) with respect to products and services offered:	(b) with respect to products and services offered:	(b) with respect to products and services offered:
237	(i) the significance and the trading volume of products and services identified as the most potentially vulnerable to money laundering and terrorist financing risks at the level of the internal market in the supra-national risk assessment or at the level of the country in the national risk assessment;	(i) the significance and the trading volume of products and services identified as the most potentially vulnerable to money laundering and terrorist financing risks at the level of the internal market in the supra- national risk assessment or at the level of the country in the national risk assessment;	(i) the significance and the trading volume of products and services identified as the most potentially vulnerable to money laundering and terrorist financing risks at the level of the internal market in the supra-national risk assessment or at the level of the country in the national risk assessment;
238	(ii) the volume of the deposit and payment	(ii) <i>the volume of the deposit and payment</i>	(ii) the volume of the deposit and payment

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	account services provided under the freedom to provide services;	account services provided under the freedom to provide services; <mark>deleted</mark>	account services provided under the freedom to provide services, together with other products and services identified as potentially yulnerable to ML/TF risks;
239	(iii) for money remittance service providers, the significance of aggregate annual emission and reception activity of each remitter in a jurisdiction;	(iii) for money remittance service providers, the significance of aggregate annual emission and reception activity of each remitter in a jurisdiction;	(iii) for money remittance service providers, the significance of aggregate annual emission and reception activity of each remitter in a jurisdiction, <i>in particular those with structural weaknesses in their AML/CFT detection and prevention systems under international standards</i> ;
239a			(iiia) the volume of products or transactions that might favour anonymity, including crypto- assets which have in-built anonymisation;
239b			(iiib) the significance of privacy wallets, mixers and tumblers and other anonymising software or techniques used for obfuscating transactions;
240	(c) with respect to geographical areas:	(c) with respect to geographical areas:	(c) with respect to geographical areas:

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241	(i) the annual volume of correspondent banking services provided by Union financial sector entities in third countries;	(i) the annual volume of correspondent banking services provided by Union financial sector entities in third countries;	(i) the annual volume of correspondent banking services, or correspondent crypto-asset services, provided by Union financial sector entities in third countries, in particular those identified as vulnerable in its AML/CFT detection and prevention systems under international standards;
242	(ii) the number and share of correspondent banking clients from third countries with structural weaknesses in their AML systems identified by global standard setting bodies;	(ii) the number <i>and share</i> of correspondent banking <i>clientsrelationships</i> from third countries with structural weaknesses in their AML systems identified by global standard setting bodies;	(ii) the number and share of correspondent banking <u>or crypto-asset</u> clients from third countries with structural weaknesses in their AML systems identified by global standard setting bodies;
243	(iii) the volume of activity of virtual assets service providers registered or licensed in third countries and operating as financial institutions in the Union.	(iii) <i>the volume of activity of virtual assets</i> service providers registered or licensed in third countries and operating as financial institutions in the Union. <u>deleted</u>	(iii) the volume of activity of <i>virtual</i> <i>assets<u>crypto-asset</u></i> service providers registered or licensed in third countries and operating as financial institutions in the Union.
244	5. The Authority shall develop draft regulatory technical standards setting out the methodology with the benchmarks referred to in paragraph 4 for classifying the inherent risk profile of any cross-border credit or financial institution in each Member State it operates in as low, medium, substantial or high.	5. The Authority shall develop draft regulatory technical standards setting out the methodology with the benchmarks referred to in paragraph 4 for classifying the inherent risk profile of any cross-border credit or financial institution in each Member State it operates in as low, medium, substantial or	5. The Authority shall develop draft regulatory technical standards setting out the methodology with the benchmarks referred to in paragraph 4 for classifying the <i>inherentresidual</i> risk profile of <i>any cross border credit or financial institutionthe obliged entities listed in paragraph 3</i> in each Member State <i>it</i>

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		high.standard specifying:	operatesthey operate in as low, medium, substantial or high.
244a		(a) the assessment criteria referred to in the first paragraph, including criteria under which an obliged entity would be considered to actively provide services through the free provision of services for the purposes of the periodic assessment;	
244b		(b) the methodology with the benchmarks referred to in paragraph 4 for classifying the risk profile of credit or financial institution as low, medium, substantial or high.	
244c		<u>Where a credit institution or financial</u> institution is part of a group, the risk profile should be classified at group-wide level.	
245	The Authority shall submit the draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission by [1 January 2025].	The Authority shall submit the draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission by $\frac{1}{2}$ 1 January 2025 $\frac{1}{2}$ .	The Authority shall submit the draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission by [1 January 2025].

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246	The Commission is empowered to adopt the regulatory technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 38 of this Regulation.	The Commission is empowered to adopt the regulatory technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 38 of this Regulation.	The Commission is empowered to adopt the regulatory technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 38 of this Regulation.
247	6. The Authority shall review the benchmarks and methodology at least every three years. Where amendments are required, the Authority shall submit amended draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission.	6. The Authority shall review the benchmarks and methodology at least every three years. <i>For the first selection process</i> <i>referred to in Article 13, the Authority shall</i> <i>develop benchmarks for the assessemnt of</i> <i>the inherent risk profile of obliged entities.</i> <i>In addition, and before the end of the first</i> <i>selection process, the Authority shall</i> <i>develop benchmarks for assessment of the</i> <i>residual risk of obliged entities.</i> Where amendments are required, the Authority shall submit amended draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission.	6. The Authority shall review the benchmarks and methodology at least every three years. Where amendments are required, the Authority shall submit amended draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission.
248	Article 13 The process of listing selected obliged entities	Article 13 The process of listing selected obliged entities	Article 13 The process of listing selected obliged entities
249	1. The following obliged entities shall qualify as a selected obliged entity:	1. The <i>following obliged entities<u>credit</u> institutions, financial institutions and groups thereof whose risk profile has been</i>	-1. For the first selection process, the 40The following obliged entities assessed pursuant to Article 12 that have the highest residual risk

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		classified as high pursuant to article 12 shall qualify as a selected obliged entity.	profile in at least two Member States shall qualify as a selected obliged entity:
249a			As of the second selection process, the number of obliged entities that qualify as a selected obliged entity may be increased by up to 10% in every successive selection process, up to a maximum of 60 selected obliged entities. The Commission shall, to that end, provide an impact assessment taking into account the budgetary impact of such an increase.
250	(a) each credit institution assessed pursuant to Article 12 that has a high inherent risk profile in at least four Member States and that has been under supervisory or other public investigation for material breaches of the acts referred to in Article 1(2) in at least one of those Member States in the previous three years;	(a) each credit institution assessed pursuant to Article 12 that has a high inherent risk profile in at least four Member States and that has been under supervisory or other public investigation for material breaches of the acts referred to in Article 1(2) in at least one of those Member States in the previous three years;deleted	(a) each credit institution assessed pursuant to Article 12 that has a high inherent risk profile in at least four Member States and that has been under supervisory or other public investigation for material breaches of the acts referred to in Article 1(2) in at least one of those Member States in the previous three years; deleted
251	(b) each financial institution assessed pursuant to Article 12 that has a high inherent risk in at least one Member States where it is established or operates via a subsidiary or a branch, and at least five other Member States where it operates via direct provision of services or via a	(b) <i>each financial institution assessed</i> <i>pursuant to Article 12 that has a high</i> <i>inherent risk in at least one Member States</i> <i>where it is established or operates via a</i> <i>subsidiary or a branch, and at least five</i> <i>other Member States where it operates via</i>	(b) each financial institution assessed pursuant to Article 12 that has a high inherent risk in at least one Member States where it is established or operates via a subsidiary or a branch, and at least five other Member States where it operates via direct provision of services or via a network

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	network of representative agents.	<i>direct provision of services or via a network</i> of representative agents. <u>deleted</u>	of representative agents.deleted
251a			<u>-1a.</u> Where in a Member State no established, registered or authorised obliged entity or group thereof qualifies as a selected obliged entity under paragraph 1, the obliged entity or group thereof that has the highest residual risk profile pursuant to the methodology referred to in Article 12(3) shall be designated as a selected obliged entity.
251b			Where several obliged entities or groups thereof have a high residual risk profile, the selected obliged entities shall be the ones operating in the highest number of Member States through either establishments or under the freedom to provide services. Where several obliged entities or groups thereof operate in the same number of Member States, the selected obliged entities shall be the ones with the highest ratio of transaction volume with third countries to total transaction volume as measured over the last financial reporting year.
252	2. The Authority shall commence the first	2. The Authority shall commence the first	2. The Authority shall commence the first

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	selection process on 1 July 2025 and shall	selection process on 1 July 2025 and shall	selection process on 1 July 2025 and shall
	conclude the selection within one month. The	conclude the selection within one month.	conclude the selection within one month. The
	selection shall be made every three years after	The selection shall be made every three years	selection shall be made every three years after
	the date of commencement of the first selection,	after the date of commencement of the first	the date of commencement of the first selection,
	and shall be concluded within one month in	selection, and shall be concluded within one	and shall be concluded within one month in
	each selection period. The list of the selected	month in each selection <i>periodprocess</i> . The	each selection period. The list of the selected
	obliged entities shall be published by the	list of the selected obliged entities shall be	obliged entities shall be published by the
	Authority without undue delay upon	published by the Authority without undue	Authority without undue delay upon completion
	completion of selection process. The Authority	delay upon completion of selection process.	of selection process. The Authority shall
	shall commence the direct supervision of the	The Authority shall commence the direct	commence the direct supervision of the selected
	selected obliged entities five months after	supervision of the selected obliged entities	obliged entities five months after publication of
	publication of the list.	five months after publication of the list.	the list.
253	3. A selected obliged entity shall remain	3. A selected obliged entity shall remain	3. A selected obliged entity shall remain subject
	subject to direct supervision by the Authority	subject to direct supervision by the Authority	to direct supervision by the Authority <i>until the</i>
	until the Authority commences the direct	until the Authority commences the direct	<i>Authority commences the direct supervision of</i>
	supervision of selected obliged entities based	supervision of selected obliged entities based	<i>selected obliged entitics based on a list</i>
	on a list established for the subsequent selection	on a list established for the subsequent	<i>established for the subsequent selection round</i>
	round which no longer includes that obliged	selection round which no longer includes that	<i>which no longer includes that obliged entity</i> <u>as</u>
	entity.	obliged entity.	<i>long as the entity is listed under paragraph 2</i> .
253a		4. For the first selection process, in case more than 40 obliged entities would be selected pursuant to paragraph 1, the Authority shall carry out the tasks listed in article 5(2) in respect of the 40 obliged entities or groups operating in the highest number of Member States either through	

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		<u>establishments or active free provision of</u> <u>services.</u>	
253b		3b. In the case that the criterion referred to in the first subparagraph yields more than 40 obliged entities or groups, the Authority shall select, from the obliged entities or groups that would be selected in accordance with paragraph 1 and that actively operate in the smallest number of Member States, those which have the highest ratio of the volume of transactions with third countries to the total volume of transactions measured in the last financial year.	
253c		5. As of the second selection process, where in a Member state no credit, financial institution or a group of credit and/or financial institutions which is established, authorised or registered, or has a subsidiary therein qualifies as a selected obliged entity pursuant to paragraph 1, the credit or financial institution or a group of credit and/or financial institutions established or registered in this Member State whose risk profile qualifies as high pursuant to the methodology referred to in article 12 (5) shall qualify as a selected obliged entity. If	

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		several credit or financial institutions have a high risk profile, then the selected obliged entity shall be the one operating in the highest number of Member States through either free establishment or active free provision of services. If several credit or financial institutions operate in the same number of Member States, the entity with the highest ratio of transaction volume with third countries to total transaction volume as measured over the last financial reporting year shall qualify as a selected obliged entity.	
254	Article 14 Cooperation within the AML/CFT supervisory system for the purposes of direct supervision	Article 14 Cooperation within the AML/CFT supervisory system for the purposes of direct supervision	Article 14 Cooperation within the AML/CFT supervisory system for the purposes of direct supervision
255	1. Without prejudice to the Authority's power pursuant to Article 20(2), point (g), to receive directly, or have direct access to, information reported, on an ongoing basis, by selected obliged entities, financial supervisors shall provide the Authority with all information necessary for carrying out the tasks conferred on the Authority.	1. Without prejudice to the Authority's power pursuant to Article 20(2), point (g), to receive directly, or have direct access to, information reported, on an ongoing basis, by selected obliged entities, financial supervisors shall provide the Authority with all information necessary for carrying out the tasks conferred on the Authority.	1. Without prejudice to the Authority's power pursuant to Article 20(2), point (g), to receive directly, or have direct access to, information reported, on an ongoing basis, by selected obliged entities, financial supervisors shall provide the Authority with all information necessary for carrying out the tasks conferred on the Authority <i>in accordance with this</i> <u>Regulation and other applicable Union law</u> .

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255a			<u>Ia.</u> <u>Where an obliged entity becomes a</u> <u>selected obliged entity, the Authority and the</u> <u>national competent authority of the obliged</u> <u>entity shall agree on working arrangements to</u> <u>ensure the smooth transition and conduct of</u> <u>their respective supervisory responsibilities.</u>
256	2. Where appropriate, financial supervisors shall be responsible for assisting the Authority with the preparation and implementation of any acts relating to the tasks referred to in Article 5(2), point (b), as regards all selected obliged entities, including assistance in verification activities. They shall follow the instructions given by the Authority when performing those tasks.	2. Where appropriate, financial supervisors shall be responsible for assisting the Authority with the preparation and implementation of any acts relating to the tasks referred to in Article 5(2), point (b), as regards all selected obliged entities, including assistance in verification activities. They shall follow the instructions given by the Authority when performing those tasks.	2. Where appropriate, financial supervisors shall be responsible for assisting the Authority with the preparation and implementation of any acts relating to the tasks referred to in Article 5(2), point (b), as regards all selected obliged entities, including assistance in verification activities. They shall follow the instructions given by the Authority when performing those tasks.
257	3. The Authority shall develop implementing technical standards specifying the conditions under which financial supervisors are to assist the Authority pursuant to paragraph 2.	3. The Authority shall develop implementing technical standards specifying the conditions under which financial supervisors are to assist the Authority pursuant to paragraph 2.:	3. The Authority shall develop implementing technical standards specifying the conditions under which financial supervisors are to assist the Authority pursuant to paragraph 2.
257a		(a) the conditions under which financial	

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		supervisors are to assist the Authority pursuant to paragraph 2;	
257b		(b) the process of periodic assessment referred to in article 12 (1) including the respective roles of the supervisory authorities and the Authority in assessing the risk profile of credit institutions and other financial institutions referred to in this same paragraph.	
258	4. The Authority shall submit the draft implementing technical standards to the Commission by 1 January 2025.	4. The Authority shall submit the draft implementing technical standards to the Commission by 1 January 2025.	4. The Authority shall submit the draft implementing technical standards to the Commission by 1 January 2025.
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259	The Commission is empowered to adopt the implementing technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 42.	The Commission is empowered to adopt the implementing technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 42.	The Commission is empowered to adopt the implementing technical standards referred to in the first subparagraph in accordance with Article 42.
260	Article 15 Joint supervisory teams	Article 15 Joint supervisory teams	Article 15 Joint supervisory teams

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261	1. A joint supervisory team shall be established for the supervision of each selected obliged entity. Each joint supervisory team shall be composed of staff from the Authority and from the financial supervisors responsible for supervision of the selected obliged entity at national level. The members of the joint supervisory team shall be appointed in accordance with paragraph 4 and shall work under the coordination of a designated staff member from the Authority ('JST coordinator').	1. A joint supervisory team shall be established for the supervision of each selected obliged entity. Each joint supervisory team shall be composed of staff from the Authority and from <i>theeach</i> financial <i>supervisorssupervisor</i> responsible for supervision of the selected obliged entity at national level. <i>Financial supervisor may</i> <i>decide to opt out in case the exposure to risk</i> <i>of the obliged entity in the concerned</i> <i>Member State is low</i> . The members of the joint supervisory team shall be appointed in accordance with paragraph 4 and shall work under the coordination of a designated staff member from the Authority ('JST coordinator').	1. A joint supervisory team shall be established for the supervision of each selected obliged entity. Each joint supervisory team shall be composed of staff from the Authority and from the financial supervisors responsible for supervision of the selected obliged entity at national level. The members of the joint supervisory team shall be appointed in accordance with paragraph 4 and shall work under the coordination of a designated staff member from the Authority ('JST coordinator').
261a		1a. Each financial supervisor that appoints more than one staff member to the joint supervisory team may designate one of them as sub-coordinator ('national sub- coordinator'). The national sub- coordinator shall assist the JST coordinator as regards the organization and coordination of the tasks in the joint supervisory team, in particular as regards the staff members that were appointed by the same financial supervisor as the relevant national sub-coordinator. The	

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		national sub-coordinator may give instructions to the members of the joint supervisory team appointed by the same financial supervisor, provided that these do not conflict with the instructions given by the JST coordinator.	
262	2. The JST coordinator shall ensure the coordination of the work within the joint supervisory team. Joint supervisory team members shall follow the JST coordinator's instructions as regards their tasks in the joint supervisory team. This shall not affect their tasks and duties within their respective financial supervisors. The JST coordinator shall be delegated from the Authority to the financial supervisor in the Member State where a selected obliged entity has its headquarters, upon agreement of the relevant financial supervisors. The duration of the delegation shall be limited to the time period during which the Authority carries out supervisory tasks with respect to the selected obliged entity.	2. The JST coordinator shall ensure the coordination of the work within the joint supervisory team. Joint supervisory team members shall follow the JST coordinator's instructions as regards their tasks in the joint supervisory team. This shall <i>not affectbe without prejudice to</i> their tasks and duties within their respective financial supervisors. <i>The JST coordinator shall be delegated from the Authority to the financial supervisor in the Member State where a selected obliged entity has its headquarters, upon agreement of the relevant financial supervisors. The duration of the delegation shall be limited to the time period during which the Authority carries out supervisory tasks with respect to the selected obliged entity.</i>	2. The JST coordinator shall <u>be stationed in the</u> <u>Authority's premises and</u> ensure the coordination of the work within the joint supervisory team. Joint supervisory team members shall follow the JST coordinator's instructions as regards their tasks in the joint supervisory team. This shall <u>not affectbe</u> <u>without prejudice to</u> their tasks and duties within their respective financial supervisors. <u>Unless justified</u> , the JST coordinator shall be <u>delegated not be</u> from the <u>Authority to the</u> <u>financial supervisor in the</u> Member State where <u>athe</u> selected obliged entity <u>has its</u> <u>headquarters, upon agreement of the relevant</u> <u>financial supervisors. The duration of the</u> <u>delegation shall be limited to the time period</u> <u>during which the Authority carries out</u> <u>supervisory tasks with respect to the selected</u> <u>obliged entity.is established</u> .
263	3. The tasks of a joint supervisory team shall	3. The tasks of a joint supervisory team shall	3. The tasks of a joint supervisory team shall

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	include the following:	Council Mandate include the following:	include the following:
264	(a) performing the supervisory reviews and assessments for the selected obliged entities;	(a) performing the supervisory reviews and assessments for the selected obliged entities;	(a) performing the supervisory reviews and assessments for the selected obliged entities;
265	(b) performing and coordinating on-site inspections at selected obliged entities and preparing the reports, including proposals for adoption of supervisory measures following such reports, where necessary;	(b) <i>performing and</i> -coordinating on-site inspections at selected obliged entities and preparing <i>the reports, including proposals for adoption of</i> supervisory measures <i>following such reports,</i> where necessary;	(b) performing and coordinating on-site inspections at selected obliged entities and preparing the reports, including proposals for adoption of supervisory measures following such reports, where necessary;
266	(c) taking into account the reviews, assessments and on-site inspections referred to in points (a) and (b), participating in the preparation of draft decisions applicable to the respective selected obliged entity to be proposed to the General Board and Executive Board;	(c) taking into account the reviews, assessments and on-site inspections referred to in points (a) and (b), participating in the preparation of draft decisions applicable to the respective selected obliged entity to be proposed to the General Board and Executive Board;	(c) taking into account the reviews, assessments and on-site inspections referred to in points (a) and (b), participating in the preparation of draft decisions applicable to the respective selected obliged entity to be proposed to the General Board and Executive Board;
267	(d) liaising with financial supervisors where necessary for exercises of supervisory tasks in any Member State where a selected obliged entity is established.	(d) liaising with financial supervisors where necessary for exercises of supervisory tasks in any Member State where a selected obliged entity is established.	(d) liaising with financial supervisors where necessary for exercises of supervisory tasks in any Member State where a selected obliged entity is established.

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268	4. The Authority shall be responsible for the establishment and the composition of joint supervisory teams. The respective financial supervisors shall appoint one or more persons from their staff as a member or members of a joint supervisory team. A financial supervisor staff member may be appointed as a member of more than one joint supervisory team.	4. The Authority shall be responsible for the establishment and the composition of joint supervisory teams. The <u>Authority and the</u> respective financial supervisors shall appoint one or more persons from their staff as a member or members of a joint supervisory team. A <u>financial supervisor staff</u> member may be appointed as a member of more than one joint supervisory team.	4. The Authority shall be responsible for the establishment and the composition of joint supervisory teams. The <u>Authority and the</u> respective financial supervisors shall appoint one or more persons from their staff as a member or members of a joint supervisory team. A financial supervisor staff member may be appointed <u>as a member of to</u> more than one joint supervisory team.
269	5. The Authority and financial supervisors shall consult each other and agree on the use of staff with regard to the joint supervisory teams.	5. The Authority and financial supervisors shall consult each other and agree on the use of staff with regard to the joint supervisory teams.	5. The Authority and financial supervisors shall consult each other and agree on the use of staff with regard to the joint supervisory teams.
269a			5a. The Authority shall develop internal procedures setting out the composition of joint supervisory teams, notably with regard to staff from each financial supervisor in a home/host context, the status of staff from national supervisors, the allocation of human resources by the Authority to participate in joint supervisory teams, and necessary operational and procedural rules. The Authority shall ensure that the financial supervisors of the Member States in which the selected obliged entity operates are adequately represented in

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			the joint supervisory team and that the joint supervisory team is composed of staff having a sufficient level and diversity of knowledge, background, expertise and experience.
270	Article 16 Request for information	Article 16 Request for information	Article 16 Request for information
271	1. The Authority may require selected obliged entities and natural or legal persons belonging to them, and third parties to whom the selected obliged entities have outsourced operational functions or activities and natural or legal persons affiliated to them, to provide all information that is necessary in order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation.	1. The Authority may require selected obliged entities and natural or legal persons <u>employed by or</u> belonging to them, <u>including</u> <u>agents and distributors</u> , and third parties to whom the selected obliged entities have outsourced operational functions or activities and natural or legal persons affiliated to them, to provide all information that is necessary in order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation.	1. The Authority may require selected obliged entities <i>and natural or</i> , legal persons belonging to them, and, <i>if necessary, natural persons</i> , <i>including their employees, as well as</i> third parties to whom the selected obliged entities have outsourced operational functions or activities and natural or legal persons affiliated to them, to provide all information that is necessary in order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation <i>and other</i> <i>applicable Union law</i> .
272	2. The persons referred to in paragraph 1 or their representatives and, in the case of legal persons or associations having no legal personality, the persons authorised to represent them by law or by their constitution, shall supply the information requested. Lawyers duly authorised to act may supply the information on	2. The persons referred to in paragraph 1 or their representatives and, in the case of legal persons or associations having no legal personality, the persons authorised to represent them by law or by their constitution, shall supply the information requested <i>without undue delay</i> . Lawyers	<b>21</b> <i>a</i> . The persons referred to in paragraph 1 or their representatives and, in the case of legal persons or associations having no legal personality, the persons authorised to represent them by law or by their constitution, shall supply the information requested <u>in a timely</u> <u>manner</u> . Lawyers duly authorised to act may

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	behalf of their clients. The latter shall remain fully responsible if the information supplied is incomplete, incorrect or misleading.	duly authorised to act may supply the information on behalf of their clients. The latter shall remain fully responsible if the information supplied is incomplete, incorrect or misleading.	supply the information on behalf of their clients. The latter shall remain fully responsible if the information supplied is incomplete, incorrect or misleading.
272a			<u>The addressees of a request made pursuant to</u> paragraph 1 shall provide the Authority with clear, accurate and complete information without undue delay.
273	3. Where the Authority obtains information directly from the natural or legal persons referred to in paragraph 1, it shall make that information available to the financial supervisor concerned.	3. Where the Authority obtains information <i>directly from from or about</i> the natural or legal persons referred to in paragraph 1, it shall make that information available to the financial supervisor concerned.	3. Where the Authority obtains information directly from the natural or legal persons referred to in paragraph 1, it shall make that information available to the financial supervisor concerned.
274	Article 17 General investigations	Article 17 General investigations	Article 17 General investigations
275	1. In order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may conduct all necessary investigations of any selected obliged entity or any natural or legal person employed by or belonging to a selected obliged	1. In order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may conduct all necessary investigations of any selected obliged entity or any natural or legal person employed by or belonging to a	1. In order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may conduct all necessary investigations of any selected obliged entity or any natural or legal person employed by or belonging to a selected obliged

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	entity and established or located in a Member State.	selected obliged entity and established or located in a Member State.	entity and established or located in a Member State.
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276	To that end, the Authority may:	To that end, the Authority may:	To that end, the Authority may:
277	(a) require the submission of documents;	(a) require the submission of documents;	(a) require the submission of documents;
278	(b) examine the books and records of the persons and take copies or extracts from the books and records;	(b) examine the books and records of the persons and take copies or extracts from the books and records;	(b) examine the books and records of the persons and take copies or extracts from the books and records;
279	(c) obtain access to internal audit reports, certification of accounts and any software, databases, IT tools or other electronic means of recording information;	(c) obtain access to internal audit reports, certification of accounts and any software, databases, IT tools or other electronic means of recording information;	(c) obtain access to internal audit reports, certification of accounts and any software, databases, IT tools or other electronic means of recording information;
279a			(ca) obtain access to documents and information relating to decision-making processess, including those developed by algorithms or other digital processes;

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280	(d) obtain written or oral explanations from any person referred to in Article 16 or their representatives or staff;	(d) obtain written or oral explanations from any person referred to in Article 16 or their representatives or staff;	(d) obtain written or oral explanations from any person referred to in Article 16 or their representatives or staff;
281	(e) interview any other person who consents to be interviewed for the purpose of collecting information relating to the subject-matter of an investigation.	(e) interview any other person who consents to be interviewed for the purpose of collecting information relating to the subject- matter of an investigation.	(e) interview any other person who consents to be interviewed for the purpose of collecting information relating to the subject-matter of an investigation.
282	2. The persons referred to in Article 16 shall be subject to investigations launched on the basis of a decision of the Authority. When a person obstructs the conduct of the investigation, the financial supervisor of the Member State where the relevant premises are located shall provide, in compliance with national law, the necessary assistance, including facilitating the access by the Authority to the business premises of the legal persons referred to in Article 16, so that the rights listed in paragraph 1 of this Article can be exercised.	2. The persons referred to in Article 16 shall be subject to investigations launched on the basis of a decision of the Authority. When a person obstructs the conduct of the investigation, the financial supervisor of the Member State where the relevant premises are located shall provide, in compliance with national law, the necessary assistance, including facilitating the access by the Authority to the business premises of the legal persons referred to in Article 16, so that the rights listed in paragraph 1 of this Article can be exercised.	2. The persons referred to in Article 16 shall be subject to investigations launched on the basis of a decision of the Authority. When a person obstructs the conduct of the investigation, the financial supervisor of the Member State where the relevant premises are located shall provide, in compliance with national law, the necessary assistance, including facilitating the access by the Authority to the business premises of the legal persons referred to in Article 16, so that the rights listed in paragraph 1 of this Article can be exercised.
283	Article 18 On-site inspections	Article 18 On-site inspections	Article 18 On-site inspections

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284	1. In order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may, subject to prior notification to the financial supervisor concerned, conduct all necessary on-site inspections at the business premises of the legal persons referred to in Article 16. Where the proper conduct and efficiency of the inspection so require, the Authority may carry out the on- site inspection without prior announcement to those legal persons.	1. In order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may, subject to prior notification to the financial supervisor concerned, conduct all necessary on-site inspections at the business premises of the <i>natural or</i> legal persons referred to in Article 16. Where the proper conduct and efficiency of the inspection so require, the Authority may carry out the on-site inspection without prior announcement to those legal persons.	1. In order to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may, subject to prior notification to the financial supervisor concerned, conduct all necessary on-site inspections at the business premises of the legal persons referred to in Article 16. Where the proper conduct and efficiency of the inspection so require, the Authority may carry out the on- site inspection without prior announcement to those legal persons.
284a		1a. For the purpose of performing on-site inspections, the Authority may decide to entrust a joint supervisory team or a dedicated team, which could include JST members as the case may be, with the task referred to in the last paragraph of article 15. The Authority shall be in charge of the establishment and the composition of on- site inspection teams in cooperation with the financial supervisors.	
285	2. The staff of the Authority and other persons authorised by the Authority to conduct an on- site inspection may enter any business premises and land of the legal persons subject to a	2. The staff of the Authority and other persons authorised by the Authority to conduct an on-site inspection may enter any business premises and land of the <i>natural or</i>	2. The staff of the Authority and other persons authorised by the Authority to conduct an on- site inspection may enter any business premises and land of the legal persons subject to a

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	decision on investigation adopted by the Authority and shall have all the powers provided in Article 20.	legal persons subject to a decision on investigation adopted by the Authority and shall have all the powers provided in Article 20.	decision on investigation adopted by the Authority and shall have all the powers provided in Article 20.
286	3. The legal persons referred to in Article 16 shall be subject to on-site inspections on the basis of a decision of the Authority.	3. The <i>natural and</i> legal persons referred to in Article 16 shall be subject to on-site inspections on the basis of a decision of the Authority.	3. The legal persons referred to in Article 16 shall be subject to on-site inspections on the basis of a decision of the Authority.
287	4. Staff and other accompanying persons authorised or appointed by the financial supervisor of the Member State where the inspection is to be conducted shall, under the supervision and coordination of the Authority, actively assist the officials of and other persons authorised by the Authority. To that end, they shall enjoy the powers set out in paragraph 2. Staff of financial supervisors of the Member State concerned shall also have the right to participate in the on-site inspections.	4. Staff and other accompanying persons authorised or appointed by the financial supervisor of the Member State where the inspection is to be conducted shall, under the supervision and coordination of the Authority, actively assist the officials of and other persons authorised by the Authority. To that end, they shall enjoy the powers set out in paragraph 2. Staff of financial supervisors of the Member State concerned shall also have the right to participate in the on-site inspections.	4. Staff and other accompanying persons authorised or appointed by the financial supervisor of the Member State where the inspection is to be conducted shall, under the supervision and coordination of the Authority, actively assist the officials of and other persons authorised by the Authority. To that end, they shall enjoy the powers set out in paragraph 2. Staff of financial supervisors of the Member State concerned shall also have the right to participate in the on-site inspections.
288	5. Where the staff of and other accompanying persons authorised or appointed by the Authority find that a person opposes an on-site inspection ordered pursuant to this Article, the	5. Where the staff of and other accompanying persons authorised or appointed by the Authority find that a person opposes a person opposes the conduct of an	5. Where the staff of and other accompanying persons authorised or appointed by the Authority find that a person opposes an on-site inspection ordered pursuant to this Article, the

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	financial supervisor of the Member State concerned shall provide the necessary assistance in accordance with national law. To the extent necessary for the inspection, this assistance shall include the sealing of any business premises and books or records. Where that power is not available to the financial supervisor concerned, it shall use its powers to request the necessary assistance of other national authorities.	on-site inspection ordered pursuant to this Article, the financial supervisor of the Member State concerned shall provide the necessary assistance in accordance with national law. To the extent necessary for the inspection, this assistance shall include the sealing of any business premises and books or records. Where that power is not available to the financial supervisor concerned, it shall use its powers to request the necessary assistance of other national authorities.	financial supervisor of the Member State concerned shall provide the necessary assistance in accordance with national law. To the extent necessary for the inspection, this assistance shall include the sealing of any business premises and books or records. Where that power is not available to the financial supervisor concerned, it shall use its powers to request the necessary assistance of other national authorities.
289	Article 19 Authorisation by a judicial authority	Article 19 Authorisation by a judicial authority	Article 19 Authorisation by a judicial authority
290	1. If an on-site inspection provided for in Article 18 requires authorisation by a judicial authority in accordance with national law, the Authority shall apply for such an authorisation.	1. If an on-site inspection provided for in Article 18 requires authorisation by a judicial authority in accordance with national law, the Authority shall apply for such an authorisation.	1. If an on-site inspection provided for in Article 18 requires authorisation by a judicial authority in accordance with national law, the Authority shall apply for such an authorisation.
291	2. Where an authorisation as referred to in paragraph 1 is applied for, the national judicial authority shall control that the decision of the Authority is authentic and that the coercive measures envisaged are neither arbitrary nor excessive having regard to the subject matter of	2. Where an authorisation as referred to in paragraph 1 is applied for, the national judicial authority shall control that the decision of the Authority is authentic and that the coercive measures envisaged are neither arbitrary nor excessive having regard	2. Where an authorisation as referred to in paragraph 1 is applied for, the national judicial authority shall control that the decision of the Authority is authentic and that the coercive measures envisaged are neither arbitrary nor excessive having regard to the subject matter of

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	the inspection. In its control of the proportionality of the coercive measures, the national judicial authority may ask the Authority for detailed explanations, in particular relating to the grounds the Authority has for suspecting that an infringement of the acts referred to in Article 1(2), first subparagraph has taken place, the seriousness of the suspected infringement and the nature of the involvement of the person subject to the coercive measures. However, the national judicial authority shall not review the necessity for the inspection or demand to be provided with the information on the Authority's file. The lawfulness of the Authority's decision shall be subject to review only by the Court of Justice of the European Union.	to the subject matter of the inspection. In its control of the proportionality of the coercive measures, the national judicial authority may ask the Authority for detailed explanations, in particular relating to the grounds the Authority has for suspecting that an infringement of the acts referred to in Article 1(2), <i>first subparagraph</i> has taken place, the seriousness of the suspected infringement and the nature of the involvement of the person subject to the coercive measures. However, the national judicial authority shall not review the necessity for the inspection or demand to be provided with the information on the Authority's file. The lawfulness of the Authority's decision shall be subject to review only by the Court of Justice of the European Union.	the inspection. In its control of the proportionality of the coercive measures, the national judicial authority may ask the Authority for detailed explanations, in particular relating to the grounds the Authority has for suspecting that an infringement of the acts referred to in Article 1(2), first subparagraph has taken place, the seriousness of the suspected infringement and the nature of the involvement of the person subject to the coercive measures. However, the national judicial authority shall not review the necessity for the inspection or demand to be provided with the information on the Authority's file. The lawfulness of the Authority's decision shall be subject to review only by the Court of Justice of the European Union.
292	Article 20	Article 20	Article 20
	Supervisory powers	Supervisory powersAdministrative measures	Supervisory powers
293	1. For the purpose of carrying out its tasks	1. For the purpose of carrying out its tasks	1. For the purpose of carrying out its tasks
	referred to in Article 5(2), the Authority shall	referred to in Article 5(2), the Authority shall	referred to in Article 5(2), the Authority shall
	have the powers set out in paragraph 2 of this	have the powers set out in paragraph 2 of this	have the powers set out in paragraph 2 of this
	Article to require any selected obliged entity to	Article to require any selected obliged entity	Article to require any selected obliged entity to
	take the necessary measures where:	to take the necessary measures where:	take the necessary measures where:

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294	(a) the selected obliged entity does not meet the requirements of Union acts and national legislation referred to in Article 1(2);	(a) the selected obliged entity does not meet the requirements of Union acts and national legislation referred to in Article 1(2);	(a) the selected obliged entity does not meet the requirements of Union acts and national legislation referred to in Article 1(2);
295	(b) the Authority has evidence that the selected obliged entity is likely to breach the requirements of Union acts and national legislation referred to Article 1(2) within the next 12 months;	(b) the Authority has <i>evidencesufficient</i> <i>indication</i> that the selected obliged entity is likely to breach the requirements of Union acts and national legislation referred to Article 1(2) within the next 12 months;	(b) the Authority has evidence that the selected obliged entity is likely to breach the requirements of Union acts and national legislation referred to Article 1(2) within <i>the</i> <i>next 12 monthsa reasonable timeframe</i> ;
296	(c) the arrangements, strategies, processes and mechanisms implemented by the selected obliged entity do not ensure, based on a determination by the Authority, a sound management and coverage of its risks.	(c) the arrangements, strategies, processes and mechanisms implemented by the selected obliged entity do not ensure, based on a determination by the Authority, a sound management and coverage of its <u>ML/TF</u> risks.	(c) the arrangements, strategies, processes and mechanisms implemented by the selected obliged entity do not ensure, based on a <u>duly</u> <u>justified</u> determination by the Authority, a sound management and coverage of its <u>ML/TF</u> risks.
297	2. For the purposes of Article 6(1) the Authority shall have, in particular, the following powers:	2. For the purposes of Article 6(1) the Authority shall have, in particular, the following powers:	2. For the purposes of Article 6(1) the Authority shall have, in particular, the following powers:
298	(a) to require the reinforcement of the arrangements, processes, mechanisms and strategies;	(a) to require the reinforcement of the arrangements, processes, mechanisms and strategies;	(a) to require the reinforcement of the arrangements, processes, mechanisms and strategies;

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298a			(aa) to issue recommendations;
299	(b) to require a plan to restore compliance with supervisory requirements pursuant to Union acts and national legislation referred to in Article 1(2) and to set a deadline for its implementation, including improvements to that plan regarding its scope and deadline;	(b) to require a plan to restore <u>and ensure</u> compliance with supervisory requirements pursuant to Union acts and national legislation referred to in Article 1(2) and to set a deadline for its implementation, including improvements to that plan regarding its scope and deadline;	(b) to require a plan to restore <u>and ensure</u> compliance with supervisory requirements pursuant to Union acts and national legislation referred to in Article 1(2) and to set a deadline for its implementation, including improvements to that plan regarding its scope and deadline;
300	(c) to require to apply a specific policy or treatment of clients, transactions, or delivery channels;	(c) to <i>require to apply a specificmandate</i> <i>specific requirements or</i> policy <i>or treatment</i> <i>of relating, in particular, to categories of or</i> <i>individual</i> clients, transactions, <i>activities</i> or delivery channels <i>that pose high risks</i> ;	(c) to require to apply a specific policy or treatment of clients, transactions, or delivery channels;
301	(d) to restrict or limit the business, operations or network of institutions comprising the selected obliged entity, or to require the divestment of activities that pose excessive money laundering and terrorism financing risks;	(d) to restrict or limit the business, operations or network of institutions comprising the selected obliged entity, or to require the divestment of activities that pose excessive <i>money laundering and terrorism</i> <i>financing risks</i> <u>ML/TF risks, where</u> <i>applicable, taking into account the</i> <i>assessment of the authority that has granted</i>	(d) to restrict or limit the business, operations or network of institutions comprising the selected obliged entity, or to require the divestment of activities that pose <i>evident or</i> excessive money laundering and terrorism financing risks;

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		the license or registered the obliged entity;	
302	(e) to require the implementation of measures to bring about the reduction of the money laundering and terrorism financing risks in the activities, products and systems of selected obliged entities;	(e) to require the implementation of measures to bring about the reduction of the money laundering and terrorism financing risks in the activities, products and systems of selected obliged entities;	(e) to require the implementation of measures to bring about the reduction of the money laundering and terrorism financing risks in the activities, products and systems of selected obliged entities;
303	(f) to require changes in the governance structure;	(f) to require changes in the governance structure;	(f) to require changes in the governance structure;
304	(g) to require the provision of any data or information necessary for the fulfilment of tasks listed in Article 5(2), to require submission of any document, or impose additional or more frequent reporting requirements;	(g) to require the provision of any data or information necessary for the fulfilment of tasks listed in Article 5(2), to require submission of any document, or impose additional or more frequent reporting requirements;	(g) to require the provision of any data or information necessary for the fulfilment of tasks listed in Article 5(2), to require submission of any document, or impose additional or more frequent reporting requirements;
305	(h) to impose specific requirements relating to individual clients, transactions or activities that pose high risks;	(h) <i>to impose specific requirements relating</i> <i>to individual clients, transactions or</i> <i>activities that pose high risks;<mark>deleted</mark></i>	(h) to impose specific requirements relating to individual clients, transactions or activities that pose high risks;
305a			(ha) to order the natural or legal person to

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			<u>cease the conduct and to refrain from</u> <u>repeating that conduct;</u>
305b			(hb) to issue a public statement which identifies the natural or legal person and the nature of the breach in accordance with Article 24;
306	(i) to propose the withdrawal of licence of a selected obliged entity to the authority that has granted such license.	(i) in case the application of the measures listed in points (a) to (h) did not result in remedying the breach of requirements by an obliged entity, the Authority shall be able to propose the withdrawal of licence or suspension of registration of a selected obliged entity to the authority that has granted such license or carried out such registration.	(i) where a selected entity is subject to authorisation, to recommend to propose the withdrawal or suspension of licence of athe selected obliged entity to the authority that has granted such license licence or to withdraw the authorisation where it has been granted. The authority that has granted such authorisation shall make every effort to comply with the suspension or the withdrawal recommended by the Authority. In the event that an authority does not comply or does not intend to comply, it shall inform the Authority, stating its reasons;
306a			(ia) to impose a temporary ban on any person performing managerial duties in a selected obliged entity, or on any other natural person, held responsible for the breach, from performing managerial duties in the selected

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			<u>obliged entity.</u>
307	3. The Authority shall also have the powers and obligations which supervisory authorities have under the relevant Union law, unless otherwise provided for by this Regulation. To the extent necessary to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require, by way of instructions, those supervisory authorities to make use of their powers, under and in accordance with the conditions set out in national law, where this Regulation does not confer such powers on the Authority, in particular where such powers stem from Article 41(1) (a) to (f), (2) and (3) [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. Those supervisory authorities shall fully inform the Authority about the exercise of those powers.	3. The Authority shall also have the powers and obligations which supervisory authorities have under the relevant Union law, unless otherwise provided for by this Regulation. To the extent necessary to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require, by way of instructions, those supervisory authorities to make use of their powers, under and in accordance with the conditions set out in national law, where this Regulation does not confer such powers on the Authority, in particular where such powers stem from Article 41(1) (a) to (f), (2) and (3) [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. Those supervisory authorities shall fully inform the Authority about the exercise of those powers.deleted	<b>32a</b> . The Authority shall also have the powers and obligations which supervisory authorities have under the relevant Union law, unless otherwise provided for by this Regulation. To the extent necessary to carry out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require, by way of instructions, those supervisory authorities to make use of their powers, under and in accordance with the conditions set out in national law, where this Regulation does not confer such powers on the Authority, in particular where such powers stem from Article 41(1) (a) to (f), (2) and (3) [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. Those supervisory authorities shall fully inform the Authority about the exercise of those powers.
307a			The Authority shall be granted access to the information available in the registers, data retrieval systems and mechanisms referred to in Chapter II of [please insert reference to AMLD] for the purpose of carrying out the supervisory tasks conferred on it by this Regulation.

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307b			3a. The administrative measures referred to in paragraph 1 shall be accompanied by a binding deadline for their effective implementation. The Authority shall follow up and assess the effective implementation by the selected obliged entity of the actions requested.
308	Article 21 Administrative pecuniary sanctions	Article 21 Administrative pecuniary sanctions	Article 21 Administrative pecuniary sanctions
309	1. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, where a selected obliged entity intentionally or negligently breaches a requirement listed in Annex II under directly applicable acts of Union law referred to in Article 1(2), or does not comply with a binding decision referred to in Article 6(1), the Authority may impose administrative pecuniary sanctions, under the conditions specified in paragraphs 2 to 7 of this Article.	1. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, where a selected obliged entity intentionally or negligently breaches a requirement listed in Annex II under directly applicable acts of Union law referred to in Article 1(2), or does not comply with a binding decision referred to in Article 6(1), the Authority may impose administrative pecuniary sanctions, under the conditions specified in paragraphs 2 to 7 of this Article.	1. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, where a selected obliged entity intentionally or negligently <i>breachescommits a serious</i> . <i>repeated or systematic breach of</i> a requirement listed in Annex II under directly applicable acts of Union law referred to in Article 1(2), or does not comply with a binding decision referred to in Article 6(1), the Authority may impose administrative pecuniary sanctions, under the conditions specified in paragraphs 2 to 7 of this Article.
310	2. Where the Executive Board of the Authority	2. Where the Executive Board of the	2. Where the Executive Board of the Authority

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	finds that a selected obliged entity has, intentionally or negligently, committed a material breach of directly applicable requirements contained in [OP please insert the next number to the AMLR, COM (2021)420] or [OP please insert the next number to the TFR, COM(2021)422], it shall adopt a decision imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions, in accordance with paragraph 3. Administrative pecuniary sanctions shall, depending on the circumstances of each individual case, be imposed in addition to, or instead of, the requests referred to in Article 20(2).	Authority finds that a selected obliged entity has, intentionally or negligently, committed a <i>materialserious, systematic or repeated</i> breach of directly applicable requirements contained in [OP please insert the next number to the AMLR, COM (2021)420] or [OP please insert the next number to the TFR, COM(2021)422], it shall adopt a decision imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions, in accordance with paragraph 3. Administrative pecuniary sanctions shall, depending on the circumstances of each individual case, be imposed in addition to, or instead of, the <i>requestsmeasures</i> referred to in Article 20(2).	finds that a selected obliged entity has, intentionally or negligently, committed a <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breach of directly applicable requirements contained in [OP please insert the next number to the AMLR, COM (2021)420] or [OP please insert the next number to the TFR, COM(2021)422], it shall adopt a decision imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions, in accordance with paragraph 3. Administrative pecuniary sanctions shall, depending on the circumstances of each individual case, be imposed in addition to, or instead of, the <i>requests measures</i> referred to in Article 20(2).
311	3. The basic amount of the administrative pecuniary sanctions referred to in paragraph 1 shall be included within the following limits:	3. The basic amount of the administrative pecuniary sanctions referred to in paragraph 1 shall be included within the following limits:	3. The basic amount of the administrative pecuniary sanctions referred to in paragraph 1 shall be included within the following limits:
312	(a) for material breaches of one or more requirements related to customer due diligence, group policies and procedures and/or reporting obligations that have been identified in two or more Member States where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 1 000 000 and shall not exceed EUR	(a) for <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <u>repeated</u> breaches of one or more requirements related to customer due diligence, group <u>wide</u> policies and procedures <u>including internal controls</u> and/or reporting obligations that have been identified in two or more Member States	(a) for <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of one or more requirements related to customer due diligence, group policies and procedures and/or reporting obligations that have been identified in two or more Member States where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 1 000

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	2 000 000 or 1% of the annual turnover, whichever is higher;	where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 1-000 000 <u>00</u> and shall not exceed EUR 2 000 000 <u>00 in the Member States whose</u> <u>currency is not the Euro their equivalent in</u> <u>national currency</u> , or 1% of the annual turnover, whichever is higher;	000 and shall not exceed EUR 2 000 000 or 1% of the annual turnover, whichever is higher;
313	(b) for material breaches of one or more requirements related to customer due diligence, internal policies, controls and procedures and/or reporting obligations that have been identified one Member State where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 500 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000 or 0,5% of the annual turnover, whichever is higher;	(b) for <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <i>repeated</i> breaches of one or more requirements related to customer due diligence, internal policies, <i>controls and</i> <i>proceduresprocedures and controls</i> and/or reporting obligations that have been identified <i>in</i> one Member State where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR <i>500 000100 000</i> and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000 <i>or in</i> <i>the Member States whose currency is not</i> <i>the Euro, their equivalent in national</i> <i>currency</i> or 0,5% of the annual turnover, whichever is higher;	(b) for <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of one or more requirements related to customer due diligence, internal policies, controls and procedures and/or reporting obligations that have been identified one Member State where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 500 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000 or 0,5% of the annual turnover, whichever is higher;
314	(c) for material breaches of all other requirements that have been identified in two or more Member States where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 1 000 000 and shall not exceed EUR	(c) for <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <u>repeated</u> breaches of all other requirements that have been identified in two or more Member States where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to	(c) for <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of all other requirements that have been identified in two or more Member States where a selected obliged entity operates, the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 1 000 000

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	2 000 000;	at least EUR <u>1 000 000500 000</u> and shall not exceed EUR 2 000 000 <u>or in the Member</u> <u>States whose currency is not the Euro, their</u> <u>equivalent in national currency</u> ;	and shall not exceed EUR 2 000 000;
315	(d) for material breaches of all other requirements that have been identified in one Member State the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 500 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000;	(d) for <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <i>repeated</i> breaches of all other requirements that have been identified in one Member State the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 500 000100 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000, or, in the Member States whose currency is not the Euro, their equivalent in national currency;	(d) for <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of all other requirements that have been identified in one Member State the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 500 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000;
316	(e) for material breaches of the decisions of the Authority referred to in Article 6(1), the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 100 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000.	(e) for <i>materialserious, systematic or</i> <i>repeated</i> breaches of the decisions of the Authority referred to in Article 6(1), the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 100 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000 <u>or,</u> <i>in the Member States whose currency is not</i> <i>the Euro, their equivalent in national</i> <i>currency</i> .	(e) for <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches of the decisions of the Authority referred to in Article 6(1), the sanction shall amount to at least EUR 100 000 and shall not exceed EUR 1 000 000.
317	4. The basic amounts defined within the limits set out in paragraph 3 shall be adjusted, where needed, by taking into account aggravating or mitigating factors in accordance with the	4. The basic amounts defined within the limits set out in paragraph 3 shall be adjusted, where needed, by taking into account aggravating or mitigating factors in	4. The basic amounts defined within the limits set out in paragraph 3 shall be adjusted, where needed, by taking into account aggravating or mitigating factors in accordance with the

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	relevant coefficients set out in Annex I. The relevant aggravating coefficients shall be applied one by one to the basic amount. If more than one aggravating coefficient is applicable, the difference between the basic amount and the amount resulting from the application of each individual aggravating coefficient shall be added to the basic amount. Where the benefit derived from the breach by the natural or legal person held responsible or the losses to third parties caused by the breach can be determined, they shall be added to the total amount of the sanction, after application of the coefficients.	accordance with the relevant coefficients set out in Annex I. The relevant aggravating coefficients shall be applied one by one to the basic amount. If more than one aggravating coefficient is applicable, the difference between the basic amount and the amount resulting from the application of each individual aggravating coefficient shall be added to the basic amount. Where the benefit derived from the breach by the natural or legal person <i>which is the obliged</i> <i>entities</i> held responsible or the losses to third parties caused by the breach can be determined, they shall be added to the total amount of the sanction, after application of the coefficients.	relevant coefficients set out in Annex I. The relevant aggravating coefficients shall be applied one by one to the basic amount. If more than one aggravating coefficient is applicable, the difference between the basic amount and the amount resulting from the application of each individual aggravating coefficient shall be added to the basic amount. Where the benefit derived from the breach by the natural or legal person held responsible or the losses to third parties caused by the breach can be determined, they shall be added to the total amount of the sanction, after application of the coefficients.
318	5. The relevant mitigating coefficients shall be applied one by one to the basic amount. If more than one mitigating coefficients is applicable, the difference between the basic amount and the amount resulting from the application of each individual mitigating coefficient shall be subtracted from the basic amount.	5. The relevant mitigating coefficients shall be applied one by one to the basic amount. If more than one mitigating coefficients is applicable, the difference between the basic amount and the amount resulting from the application of each individual mitigating coefficient shall be subtracted from the basic amount.	5. The relevant mitigating coefficients shall be applied one by one to the basic amount. If more than one mitigating coefficients is applicable, the difference between the basic amount and the amount resulting from the application of each individual mitigating coefficient shall be subtracted from the basic amount.
319	6. The maximum amount of a sanction for material breaches referred to in paragraph 2,	6. The maximum amount of a sanction for material serious, systematic or repeated	6. The maximum amount of a sanction for materialserious, repeated or systematic

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	points (a) and (b) shall not exceed 10 % of the total annual turnover of the obliged entity in the preceding business year, after application of the coefficients referred to in paragraphs 4 and 5.	breaches referred to in paragraph $\frac{23}{2}$ , points (a) and (b) shall not exceed 10 % of the total annual turnover of the obliged entity in the preceding business year, after application of the coefficients referred to in paragraphs 4 and 5.	breaches referred to in paragraph 2, points (a) and (b) shall not exceed 10 % of the total annual turnover of the obliged entity in the preceding business year, after application of the coefficients referred to in paragraphs 4 and 5.
320	7. The maximum amount of a sanction for material breaches referred to in paragraph 2, points (c) and point (d) shall not exceed EUR 10 000 000 or, in the Member States whose currency is not the Euro, the corresponding value in the national currency, after application of the coefficients referred to in paragraphs 4 and 5.	7. The maximum amount of a sanction for <i>materialserious, systematic or repeated</i> breaches referred to in paragraph 23, points (c) and point (d) shall not exceed EUR 10 000 000 or, in the Member States whose currency is not the Euro, the corresponding value in the national currency, after application of the coefficients referred to in paragraphs 4 and 5.	7. The maximum amount of a sanction for <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches referred to in paragraph 2, points (c) and point (d) shall not exceed EUR 10 000 000 or, in the Member States whose currency is not the Euro, the corresponding value in the national currency, after application of the coefficients referred to in paragraphs 4 and 5.
321	8. Where the selected obliged entity is a parent undertaking or a subsidiary of a parent undertaking which is required to prepare consolidated financial accounts in accordance with Article 22 of Directive 2013/34/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>1</sup> , the relevant total annual turnover shall be the total annual turnover or the corresponding type of income in accordance with applicable accounting standards according to the last available consolidated accounts approved by	8. Where the selected obliged entity is a parent undertaking or a subsidiary of a parent undertaking which is required to prepare consolidated financial accounts in accordance with Article 22 of Directive 2013/34/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>1</sup> , the relevant total annual turnover shall be the total annual turnover or the corresponding type of income in accordance with applicable accounting standards according to the last available	8. Where the selected obliged entity is a parent undertaking or a subsidiary of a parent undertaking which is required to prepare consolidated financial accounts in accordance with Article 22 of Directive 2013/34/EU of the European Parliament and the Council <sup>1</sup> , the relevant total annual turnover shall be the total annual turnover or the corresponding type of income in accordance with applicable accounting standards according to the last available consolidated accounts approved by the

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	the management body of the ultimate parent undertaking. 1. Directive 2013/34/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on the annual financial statements, consolidated financial statements and related reports of certain types of undertakings, amending Directive 2006/43/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Directives 78/660/EEC and 83/349/EEC (OJ L 182, 29.6.2013, p. 19).	consolidated accounts approved by the management body of the ultimate parent undertaking. 1. Directive 2013/34/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on the annual financial statements, consolidated financial statements and related reports of certain types of undertakings, amending Directive 2006/43/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Directives 78/660/EEC and 83/349/EEC (OJ L 182, 29.6.2013, p. 19).	management body of the ultimate parent undertaking. 1. Directive 2013/34/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council of 26 June 2013 on the annual financial statements, consolidated financial statements and related reports of certain types of undertakings, amending Directive 2006/43/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council and repealing Council Directives 78/660/EEC and 83/349/EEC (OJ L 182, 29.6.2013, p. 19).
322	9. In the cases not covered by paragraph 1 of this Article, where necessary for the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require financial supervisors to open proceedings with a view to taking action in order to ensure that appropriate administrative pecuniary sanctions are imposed in accordance with the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) and any relevant national legislation which confers specific powers which are currently not required by Union law. The sanctions applied by financial supervisors shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.	9. In the cases not covered by paragraph 1 of this Article, where necessary for the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require financial supervisors to open proceedings with a view to taking action in order to ensure that appropriate administrative pecuniary sanctions are imposed in accordance with the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) and any relevant national legislation which confers specific powers which are currently not required by Union law. The sanctions <i>if</i> applied by financial supervisors shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.	9. In the cases not covered by paragraph 1 of this Article, where necessary for the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority may require financial supervisors to open proceedings with a view to taking action in order to ensure that appropriate administrative pecuniary sanctions are imposed in accordance with the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) and any relevant national legislation which confers specific powers which are currently not required by Union law. The sanctions applied by financial supervisors shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.
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323	The first subparagraph shall be applicable to administrative pecuniary sanctions to be imposed on selected obliged entities for breaches of national law transposing [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] and to any administrative pecuniary sanctions to be imposed on members of the management board of selected obliged entities who under national law are responsible for a breach by an obliged entity.	The first subparagraph shall be applicable to administrative pecuniary sanctions to be imposed on selected obliged entities for breaches of national law transposing [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] and to any administrative pecuniary sanctions to be imposed on members of the management board of selected obliged entities who under national law are responsible for a breach by an obliged entity.	The first subparagraph shall be applicable to administrative pecuniary sanctions to be imposed on selected obliged entities for breaches of national law transposing [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] and to any administrative pecuniary sanctions to be imposed on members of the management board of selected obliged entities who under national law are responsible for a breach by an obliged entity.
323a		9bis In accordance with article 14, financial supervisors shall notify the Authority without undue delay in case they become aware of one or more indication(s) of a serious, repeated or systematic breach by a selected entity of requirement referred to in paragraph 2.	
324	10. The administrative pecuniary sanctions applied shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.	10. The administrative pecuniary sanctions applied imposed by the Authority shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.	10. The administrative pecuniary sanctions applied shall be effective, proportionate and dissuasive.
324a		<b>10a.</b> When calculating the amount of the administrative pecuniary sanction, the	

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		Authority shall take due consideration of the ability of the obliged entity to pay and where necessary consult the relevant prudential authority.	
325	Article 22 Periodic penalty payments	Article 22 Periodic penalty payments	Article 22 Periodic penalty payments
326	1. The Executive Board shall by decision impose a periodic penalty payment in order to compel:	1. The Executive Board shallmay by decision impose a periodic penalty payment in order to compel:	1. The Executive Board shall by decision impose a periodic penalty payment in order to compel:
327	(a) a selected obliged entity to put an end to a breach, in accordance with a decision taken pursuant to Article 6(1);	(a) a selected obliged entity to put an end to a breach, in accordance with a decision taken pursuant to Article 6(1);	(a) a selected obliged entity to put an end to a breach, in accordance with a decision taken pursuant to Article 6(1);
328	(b) a person referred to in Article 16(1) to supply complete information which has been required by a decision pursuant to Article 6(1);	(b) a person referred to in Article 16(1) to supply complete information which has been required by a decision pursuant to Article 6(1);	(b) a person referred to in Article 16(1) to supply complete information which has been required by a decision pursuant to Article 6(1);
329	(c) a person referred to in Article 16(1) to submit to an investigation and in particular to	(c) a person referred to in Article 16(1) to submit to an investigation and in particular to	(c) a person referred to in Article 16(1) to submit to an investigation and in particular to

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	produce complete records, data, procedures or any other material required and to complete and correct other information provided in an investigation launched pursuant to Article 17.	produce complete records, data, procedures or any other material required and to complete and correct other information provided in an investigation launched pursuant to Article 17.	produce complete records, data, procedures or any other material required and to complete and correct other information provided in an investigation launched pursuant to Article 17.
330	2. The periodic penalty payment shall be effective and proportionate. The periodic penalty payment shall be imposed on a daily basis until the selected obliged entity or person concerned complies with the relevant decision referred to in paragraph 1.	2. The periodic penalty payment shall be effective and proportionate. The periodic penalty payment shall be imposed on a daily basis until the selected obliged entity or person concerned complies with the relevant decision referred to in paragraph 1.	2. The periodic penalty payment shall be effective and proportionate. The periodic penalty payment shall be imposed on a daily basis until the selected obliged entity or person concerned complies with the relevant decision referred to in paragraph 1.
331	3. Notwithstanding paragraph 2, the amount of a periodic penalty payment shall be 3 % of the average daily turnover in the preceding business year or, in the case of natural persons, 2 % of the average daily income in the preceding calendar year. It shall be calculated from the date set in the decision imposing the periodic penalty payment.	3. Notwithstanding paragraph 2, the amount of a periodic penalty payment shall <u>benot</u> <u>exceed</u> 3 % of the average daily turnover in the preceding business year or, in the case of natural persons, 2 % of the average daily income in the preceding calendar year. It shall be calculated from the date set in the decision imposing the periodic penalty payment.	3. Notwithstanding paragraph 2, the amount of a periodic penalty payment shall be 3 % of the average daily turnover in the preceding business year or, in the case of natural persons, 2 % of the average daily income in the preceding calendar year. It shall be calculated from the date set in the decision imposing the periodic penalty payment.
332	4. A periodic penalty payment may be imposed for a period of no more than six months following the notification of Authority's decision.	4. A periodic penalty payment may be imposed for a period of no more than six months following the notification of Authority's decision.	4. <u>Six months after the notification of the</u> <u>Authority's decision to impose</u> a periodic penalty payment, <u>the Executive Board shall</u> <u>review the periodic penalty payment and decide</u>

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			whether to extend it once may be imposed for a period of no more than six months following the notification of Authority's decision.
332a			<u>Article 22a</u> <u>Methodology for assessing breaches and</u> <u>imposing sanctions and other administrative</u> <u>measures</u>
332b			<u>1.</u> <u>When determining the type and level of</u> <u>administrative sanctions or measures, the</u> <u>Authority shall take into account all relevant</u> <u>circumstances, including where applicable:</u>
332c			(a) the gravity and duration of the breach;
332d			(b) the degree of responsibility of the natural or legal person held responsible;
332e			(c) <u>the financial strength of the natural or</u> <u>legal person held responsible, including in</u> <u>light of its total turnover or annual income;</u>

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332f			(d) <u>the benefit derived from the breach by the</u> <u>natural or legal person held responsible,</u> <u>insofar as it can be determined;</u>
332g			(e) the losses to third parties caused by the breach, insofar as they can be determined;
332h			(f) the level of cooperation of the natural or legal person held responsible with the <u>competent authority;</u>
332i			(g) previous breaches by the natural or legal person held responsible;
332j			(h) <u>repeated similar breaches</u> by the natural or legal person held responsible.
332k			2. <u>By [2 years after the date of entry into</u> <u>force of this Regulation], the Authority shall</u> <u>develop draft regulatory technical standards</u> <u>and submit them to the Commission for</u> <u>adoption. Those draft regulatory technical</u>

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			standards shall define indicators to classify the level of gravity of breaches and criteria to be taken into account when setting the level of administrative sanctions or taking administrative measures pursuant to this Section and the consequences in the event of repeated breaches. Those draft regulatory technical standards shall also include ranges of pecuniary sanctions relative to the turnover of the entity in breach that shall be applied in accordance with the indicators to classify the level of gravity of the breach as references for effective, proportionate and dissuasive sanctions, including in cases of repeated breaches.
3321			3. The Commission is empowered to supplement this Regulation by adopting the regulatory technical standards referred to in paragraph 2 of this Article in accordance with Articles 38 to 41.
333	Article 23 Hearing of persons subject to proceedings	Article 23 Hearing of persons subject to proceedings	Article 23 Hearing of persons subject to proceedings
334	1. Before taking any decision imposing an administrative pecuniary sanction or periodic	1. Before taking any decision imposing an administrative pecuniary sanction or periodic	1. Before taking any decision imposing an administrative pecuniary sanction or periodic

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	penalty payment under Articles 21 and 22, the Executive Board shall give the persons subject to the proceedings the opportunity to be heard on Authority's findings. The Executive Board shall base its decisions only on findings on which the persons subject to the proceedings have had the opportunity to comment.	penalty payment under Articles 21 and 22, the Executive Board shall give the persons subject to the proceedings the opportunity to be heard on Authority's findings. The Executive Board shall base its decisions only on findings on which the persons subject to the proceedings have had the opportunity to comment.	penalty payment under Articles 21 and 22, the Executive Board shall give the persons subject to the proceedings the opportunity to be heard on Authority's findings. The Executive Board shall base its decisions only on findings on which the persons subject to the proceedings have had the opportunity to comment.
335	2. The rights of defence of the persons subject to the proceedings shall be fully respected during the proceedings. They shall be entitled to have access to the Authority's file, subject to the legitimate interest of other persons in the protection of their business secrets. The right of access to the file shall not extend to confidential information or internal preparatory documents of the Authority.	2. The rights of defence of the persons subject to the proceedings shall be fully respected during the proceedings. They shall be entitled to have access to the Authority's file, subject to the legitimate interest of other persons in the protection of their business secrets. The right of access to the file shall not extend to confidential information or internal preparatory documents of the Authority.	2. The rights of defence of the persons subject to the proceedings shall be fully respected during the proceedings. They shall be entitled to have access to the Authority's file, subject to the legitimate interest of other persons in the protection of their business secrets. The right of access to the file shall not extend to confidential information or internal preparatory documents of the Authority.
336	Article 24 Disclosure, nature, enforcement and allocation of administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments	Article 24 Disclosure, <i>nature, enforcement and</i> allocation of of supervisory measures, administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments	Article 24 Disclosure, nature, enforcement and allocation of administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments
337	1. The Authority shall disclose to the public	1. Subject to conditions set out in	1. The Authority shall disclose to the public

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	every administrative pecuniary sanction and periodic penalty payment that has been imposed on a selected obliged entity pursuant to Articles 21 and 22, unless such disclosure to the public would cause disproportionate damage to the parties involved.	paragraphs 2 to 5, the Authority shall disclose to the public everypublish every decision imposing an administrative pecuniary sanction-and, periodic penalty payment that has been imposed on a selected obliged entity pursuant to Articles 21 and 22, unless such disclosure to the public would cause disproportionate damageand supervisory measures adopted on cases referred to in article 20(1)(a), immediately upon the expiry of the deadline for a review of the decision by the Administrative Board of Review or, in case such a review was not requested by the obliged entity, the expiry of the deadline for an appeal to the parties involvedCourt of Justice of the European Union. The Authority shall publish the information on whether a review request or an appeal has been filed by the relevant obliged entity. Such obligation shall not apply to decisions imposing measures that are of an investigatory nature.	every administrative pecuniary sanction and periodic penalty payment that has been imposed on a selected obliged entity pursuant to Articles 21 and 22, <i>unless such disclosure to the public</i> <i>would cause disproportionate damage to the</i> <i>parties involvedas well as the administrative</i> <i>measures that have been imposed on a selected</i> <i>obliged entity pursuant to Article 20(2), point</i> <i>d, after the person sanctioned is informed of</i> <i>that decision and the decision is no longer</i> <i>subject to internal review. The publication</i> <i>shall include at least information on the type</i> <i>and nature of the breach and the identity of the</i> <i>selected obliged entities responsible.</i> <i>The disclosed information shall at least be</i> <i>available on the website of the Authority</i> .
337a			<b>1a.</b> The Authority shall transmit without delay, on a confidential basis, to at least the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, all relevant information on administrative measures that have been imposed on a selected obliged entity pursuant to Article 20. The shared information shall

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			include at least the type and nature of the breach and the identity of the selected obliged entities responsible.
337b		2. When the selected obliged entity appeals the decision referred to in paragraph 1, the Authority shall publish on its official website the information regarding the appeal and any subsequent information on the outcome of such appeal, immediately after obtaining such information. Any decision annulling a previous decision to impose an administrative sanction, a periodic penalty payment pursuant to Articles 21 or 22 or a supervisory measures pursuant to Article 20(1)(a) shall also be published.	
337c		3. <u>The publication of decisions referred to</u> in paragraph 1 shall include at least the information on the type and nature of the breach, the identity of the persons responsible, and the size of the administrative pecuniary sanction or periodic penalty payment, where applicable.	
337d		4. Where the publication of the identity of	

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		the persons responsible as referred to in paragraph 3 or the personal data of such persons is considered by the Authority to be disproportionate following a case-by-case assessment, or where publication jeopardises the stability of financial markets or an on-going investigation, the Authority shall:	
337e		(a) delay the publication of the decision until the moment at which the reasons for not publishing it cease to exist;	
337f		(b) publish the decision on an anonymous basis, if such anonymous publication ensures an effective protection of the personal data concerned; in that case, the Authority shall postpone the publication of the relevant data for a reasonable period of time if it is provided that within that period the reasons for anonymous publication shall cease to exist;	
337g		(c) not publish the decision at all in the event that the options set out in points (a) and (b) are considered insufficient to ensure one of the following:	

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337h		(i) that the stability of financial markets would not be put in jeopardy;	
337i		(ii) the proportionality of the publication of the decision with regard to administrative measures adopted in accordance with 20(1)(a) which are deemed to be of a minor nature.	
337j		5. <u>The Authority shall keep any publication</u> in accordance with this Article on its official website for a period of five years after its publication.	
338	2. Administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments imposed pursuant to Articles 21 and 22 shall be enforceable.	<ol> <li>Administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments imposed pursuant to Articles 21 and 22 shall be enforceable.</li> <li>GSC: In Council mandate, this provision is moved into new article 24a.</li> </ol>	2. Administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments imposed pursuant to Articles 21 and 22 shall be enforceable.
339	Enforcement shall be governed by the rules of	Enforcement shall be governed by the rules	Enforcement shall be governed by the rules of

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	civil procedure in force in the State in the territory of which it is carried out. The order for its enforcement shall be appended to the decision without other formality than verification of the authenticity of the decision by the authority which the government of each Member State shall designate for that purpose and shall make known to the Authority and to the Court of Justice of the European Union.	of civil procedure in force in the State in the territory of which it is carried out. The order for its enforcement shall be appended to the decision without other formality than verification of the authenticity of the decision by the authority which the government of each Member State shall designate for that purpose and shall make known to the Authority and to the Court of Justice of the European Union. GSC: In Council mandate, this provision is moved into new article 24a.	civil procedure in force in the State in the territory of which it is carried out. The order for its enforcement shall be appended to the decision without other formality than verification of the authenticity of the decision by the authority which the government of each Member State shall designate for that purpose and shall make known to the Authority and to the Court of Justice of the European Union.
340	When those formalities have been completed on application by the party concerned, the latter may proceed to enforcement in accordance with national law, by bringing the matter directly before the competent body.	When those formalities have been completed on application by the party concerned, the latter may proceed to enforcement in accordance with national law, by bringing the matter directly before the competent body. GSC: In Council mandate, this provision is moved into new article 24a.	When those formalities have been completed on application by the party concerned, the latter may proceed to enforcement in accordance with national law, by bringing the matter directly before the competent body.
341	Enforcement may be suspended only by a decision of the Court of Justice of the European Union. However, the courts of the Member State concerned shall have jurisdiction over complaints that enforcement is being carried	Enforcement may be suspended only by a decision of the Court of Justice of the European Union. However, the courts of the Member State concerned shall have jurisdiction over complaints that	Enforcement may be suspended only by a decision of the Court of Justice of the European Union. However, the courts of the Member State concerned shall have jurisdiction over complaints that enforcement is being carried out

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	out in an irregular manner.	enforcement is being carried out in an irregular manner.	in an irregular manner.
		GSC: In Council mandate, this provision is moved into new article 24a.	
342	3. The amounts of the fines and periodic penalty payments shall be allocated to the general budget of the European Union.	3. <i>The amounts of the fines and periodic</i> <i>penalty payments shall be allocated to the</i> <i>general budget of the European Union.</i> GSC: In Council mandate, this provision is moved	3. The amounts of the fines and periodic penalty payments shall be allocated to the general budget of the European Union.
		into new article 24a.	
342a		<u>Article 24a</u> <u>Enforcement and allocation of</u> <u>administrative pecuniary sanctions and</u> <u>periodic penalty payments</u>	
342b		<b>1.</b> Administrative pecuniary sanctions and periodic penalty payments imposed pursuant to Articles 21 and 22 shall be enforceable.	
342c		(a) <u>Enforcement shall be governed by the</u> rules of civil procedure in force in the	

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		Member State in the territory of which it is carried out. The order for its enforcement shall be appended to the decision without other formality than verification of the authenticity of the decision by the authority which the government of each Member State shall designate for that purpose and shall make known to the Authority and to the Court of Justice of the European Union.	
342d		(i) When those formalities have been completed on application by the party concerned, the latter may proceed to enforcement in accordance with national law, by bringing the matter directly before the competent body.	
342e		(1) Enforcement may be suspended only by a decision of the Court of Justice of the European Union. However, the courts of the Member State concerned shall have jurisdiction over complaints that enforcement is being carried out in an irregular manner.	
342f		2. The amounts of the fines and periodic penalty payments shall be allocated to the	

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		general budget of the European Union.	
343	Article 25 Procedural rules for taking supervisory measures and imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions	Article 25 Procedural rules for taking supervisory measures and imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions	Article 25 Procedural rules for taking supervisory measures and imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions
344	1. Where, in carrying out its duties under this Regulation, the Authority finds that there are serious indications of the possible existence of facts liable to constitute one or more of the breaches listed in Annex II, the Authority shall appoint an independent investigatory team within the Authority to investigate the matter. The investigatory team shall not be involved or have been involved in the direct supervision of the selected obliged entity concerned and shall perform their functions independently from the Authority's Executive Board.	1. Where, in carrying out its duties under this Regulation, the Authority finds that there are serious indications of the possible existence of facts liable to constitute one or more of the breaches listed in Annex II, the Authority shall appoint an independent investigatory team within the Authority to investigate the matter. The investigatory team shall not be involved or have been involved in the direct supervision of the selected obliged entity concerned and shall perform their functions independently from the Authority's Executive Board.	1. Where, in carrying out its duties under this Regulation, the Authority finds that there are serious indications of the possible existence of facts liable to constitute one or more of the breaches listed in Annex II, the Authority shall appoint an independent investigatory team within the Authority to investigate the matter. The investigatory team shall not be involved or have been involved in the direct supervision of the selected obliged entity concerned and shall perform their functions independently from the Authority's Executive Board. <u>The Authority</u> <u>shall develop internal procedures to determine</u> <u>the rules governing the selection of the</u> <u>members of the independent investigatory</u> <u>teams, in particular with regard to the</u> <u>qualifications, expert knowledge, professional</u> <u>experience and guarantee of indepedence</u> <u>expected of them.</u>
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	2. The investigatory team shall investigate the alleged breaches, taking into account any comments submitted by the persons subject to investigation, and shall submit a complete file with their findings to the Authority's Executive Board.	2. The investigatory team shall investigate the alleged breaches, taking into account any comments submitted by the persons subject to investigation, and shall submit a complete file with their findings to the Authority's Executive Board.	2. The investigatory team shall investigate the alleged breaches, taking into account any comments submitted by the persons subject to investigation, and shall submit a complete file with their findings to the Authority's Executive Board.
346	In order to carry out their tasks, the investigatory team may exercise the power to require information in accordance with Article 16 and to conduct investigations and on-site inspections in accordance with Articles 17 and 18.	In order to carry out their tasks, the investigatory team may exercise the power to require information in accordance with Article 16 and to conduct investigations and on-site inspections in accordance with Articles 17 and 18.	In order to carry out their tasks, the investigatory team may exercise the power to require information in accordance with Article 16 and to conduct investigations and on-site inspections in accordance with Articles 17 and 18.
347	Where carrying out their tasks, the investigatory team shall have access to all documents and information gathered by the joint supervisory team in its supervisory activities.	Where carrying out their tasks, the investigatory team shall have access to all documents and information gathered by the joint supervisory team in its supervisory activities.	Where carrying out their tasks, the investigatory team shall have access to all documents and information gathered by the joint supervisory team in its supervisory activities.
348	3. Upon completion of their investigation and before submitting the file with their findings to Authority's Executive Board, the investigatory team shall give the persons subject to investigation the opportunity to be heard on the matters being investigated. The investigatory team shall base their findings only on facts on	3. Upon completion of their investigation and before submitting the file with their findings to Authority's Executive Board, the investigatory team shall give the persons subject to investigation the opportunity to be heard on the matters being investigated. The investigatory team shall base their findings	3. Upon completion of their investigation and before submitting the file with their findings to Authority's Executive Board, the investigatory team shall give the persons subject to investigation the opportunity to be heard on the matters being investigated. The investigatory team shall base their findings only on facts on

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	which the persons subject to investigation have had the opportunity to comment.	only on facts on which the persons subject to investigation have had the opportunity to comment.	which the persons subject to investigation have had the opportunity to comment.
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349	The rights of defence of the persons concerned shall be fully respected during investigations under this Article.	The rights of defence of the persons concerned shall be fully respected during investigations under this Article.	The rights of defence of the persons concerned shall be fully respected during investigations under this Article.
350	4. When submitting the file with their findings to the Authority's Executive Board, the investigatory team shall notify that fact to the persons subject to investigation. The persons subject to investigation shall be entitled to have access to the file, subject to the legitimate interest of other persons in the protection of their business secrets. The right of access to the file shall not extend to confidential information affecting third parties.	4. When submitting the file with their findings to the Authority's Executive Board, the investigatory team shall notify that fact to the persons subject to investigation. The persons subject to investigation shall be entitled to have access to the file, subject to the legitimate interest of other persons in the protection of their business secrets. The right of access to the file shall not extend to confidential information affecting third parties.	4. When submitting the file with their findings to the Authority's Executive Board, the investigatory team shall notify that fact to the persons subject to investigation. The persons subject to investigation shall be entitled to have access to the file, subject to the legitimate interest of other persons in the protection of their business secrets. The right of access to the file shall not extend to confidential information affecting third parties.
351	5. On the basis of the file containing the investigatory team's findings and, when requested by the persons concerned, after having heard the persons subject to investigation in accordance with Article X, the	5. On the basis of the file containing the investigatory team's findings and, when requested by the persons concerned, after having heard the persons subject to investigation in accordance with Article $\frac{23}{23}$	5. On the basis of the file containing the investigatory team's findings and, when requested by the persons concerned, after having heard the persons subject to investigation in accordance with Article $\frac{23}{23}$ ,

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	Executive Board shall decide if one or more of the breaches listed in Annex II have been committed by the persons who have been subject to investigation, and in such case, shall take a supervisory measure in accordance with Article 20 and impose an administrative pecuniary sanction in accordance with Article 21.	(1), the Executive Board shall decide if one or more of the breaches listed in Annex II have been committed by the persons who have been subject to investigation, and in such case, shall <i>take a supervisory</i> <i>measureimpose an administrative pecuniary</i> <i>sanction</i> in accordance with Article 20 and <i>impose21 and take</i> an administrative <i>pecuniary sanctionmeasure</i> in accordance with Article 2120 in addition to, or instead of administrative pecuniary sanctions.	the Executive Board shall decide if one or more of the breaches listed in Annex II have been committed by the persons who have been subject to investigation, and in such case, shall take a supervisory measure in accordance with Article 20 and impose an administrative pecuniary sanction in accordance with Article 21.
352	6. The investigatory team shall not participate in the deliberations of the Executive Board or in any other way intervene in the decision-making process of the Executive Board.	6. The investigatory team shall not participate in the deliberations of the Executive Board or in any other way intervene in the decision-making process of the Executive Board.	6. The investigatory team shall not participate in the deliberations of the Executive Board or in any other way intervene in the decision-making process of the Executive Board.
353	7. The Commission shall adopt further rules of procedure for the exercise of the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments, including provisions on rights of defence, temporal provisions, and the collection of administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments, and shall adopt detailed rules on the limitation periods for the imposition and enforcement of penalties.	7. The Commission shall adopt further rules of procedure for the exercise of the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments, including provisions on rights of defence, temporal provisions, and the collection of administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments, and shall adopt detailed rules on the limitation periods for the imposition and enforcement of penalties.	7. The Commission shall adopt further rules of procedure for the exercise of the power to impose administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments, including provisions on rights of defence, temporal provisions, and the collection of administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments, and shall adopt detailed rules on the limitation periods for the imposition and enforcement of penalties.

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353 354	The rules referred to in the first subparagraph shall be adopted by means of delegated acts in accordance with Article 85.	The rules referred to in the first subparagraph shall be adopted by means of delegated acts in accordance with Article <u>8586</u> .	The rules referred to in the first subparagraph shall be adopted by means of delegated acts in accordance with Article 85.
355	8. The Authority shall refer matters for criminal prosecution to the relevant national authorities where, in carrying out its duties under this Regulation, it finds that there are serious indications of the possible existence of facts liable to constitute criminal offences. In addition, the Authority shall refrain from imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments where a prior acquittal or conviction arising from identical facts, or from facts which are substantially the same, has acquired the force of res judicata as the result of criminal proceedings under national law.	8. The Authority shall refer matters for criminal prosecution to the relevant national authorities where, in carrying out its duties under this Regulation, it finds that there are serious indications of the possible existence of facts liable to constitute criminal offences. In addition, the Authority shall refrain from imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments where a prior acquittal or conviction arising from identical facts, or from facts which are substantially the same, has acquired the force of res judicata as the result of criminal proceedings under national law.	8. The Authority shall refer matters for criminal prosecution to the relevant national authorities where, in carrying out its duties under this Regulation, it finds that there are serious indications of the possible existence of facts liable to constitute criminal offences. <i>The information communicated to the relevant national authorities shall also be transmitted to Europol in cases where two or more Member States are involved in the facts liable to constitute criminal offences. The Authority shall also transmit the information to the <i>European Public Prosecutor's Office where such information concerns offences in respect of which the European Public Prosecutor's Office exercise or is permitted to exercise competence in accordance with Council Regulation (EU) 2017/1939.</i> In addition, the Authority shall refrain from imposing administrative pecuniary sanctions or periodic penalty payments where a prior acquittal or conviction arising from identical facts, or from</i>

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			facts which are substantially the same, has acquired the force of res judicata as the result of criminal proceedings under national law.
356	Article 26	Article 26	Article 26
	Review by the Court of Justice of the European	Review by the Court of Justice of the	Review by the Court of Justice of the European
	Union	European Union	Union
357	The Court of Justice of the European Union	The Court of Justice of the European Union	The Court of Justice of the European Union
	shall have unlimited jurisdiction to review	shall have unlimited jurisdiction to review	shall have unlimited jurisdiction to review
	decisions of the Authority imposing an	decisions of the Authority imposing an	decisions of the Authority imposing an
	administrative pecuniary sanction or a periodic	administrative pecuniary sanction or a	administrative pecuniary sanction or a periodic
	penalty payment. It may annul, reduce or	periodic penalty payment. It may annul,	penalty payment. It may annul, reduce or
	increase the fine or periodic penalty payment	reduce or increase the fine or periodic	increase the fine or periodic penalty payment
	imposed.	penalty payment imposed.	imposed.
358	Article 27	Article 27	Article 27
	Language arrangements in direct supervision	Language arrangements in direct supervision	Language arrangements in direct supervision
359	1. The Authority and the financial supervisors	1. The Authority and the financial	1. The Authority and the financial supervisors
	shall adopt arrangements for their	supervisors shall adopt arrangements for	shall adopt arrangements for their
	communication within the AML/CFT	their communication within the AML/CFT	communication within the AML/CFT
	supervisory system, including the language(s)	supervisory system, including the	supervisory system, including the language(s) to
	to be used.	language(s) to be used.	be used.

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360	2. Any document which a selected obliged entity or any other natural or legal person individually subject to the Authority's supervisory procedures submits to the Authority may be drafted in any of the official languages of the Union, chosen by the selected obliged entity or natural or legal person concerned.	2. Any document which a selected obliged entity or any other natural or legal person individually subject to the Authority's supervisory procedures submits to the Authority may be drafted in any of the official languages of the Union, chosen by the selected obliged entity or natural or legal person concerned.	2. Any document which a selected obliged entity or any other natural or legal person individually subject to the Authority's supervisory procedures submits to the Authority may be drafted in any of the official languages of the Union, chosen by the selected obliged entity or natural or legal person concerned.
361	3. The Authority, selected obliged entities and any other legal or natural person individually subject to the Authority's supervisory procedures may agree to exclusively use one of the official languages of the Union in their written communication, including with regard to the Authority's supervisory decisions.	3. The Authority, selected obliged entities and any other legal or natural person individually subject to the Authority's supervisory procedures may agree to exclusively use one of the official languages of the Union in their written communication, including with regard to the Authority's supervisory decisions.	3. The Authority, selected obliged entities and any other legal or natural person individually subject to the Authority's supervisory procedures may agree to exclusively use one of the official languages of the Union in their written communication, including with regard to the Authority's supervisory decisions.
362	4. The revocation of such agreement on the use of one language shall only affect the aspects of the Authority's supervisory procedure which have not yet been carried out.	4. The revocation of such agreement on the use of one language shall only affect the aspects of the Authority's supervisory procedure which have not yet been carried out.	4. The revocation of such agreement on the use of one language shall only affect the aspects of the Authority's supervisory procedure which have not yet been carried out.
363	5. Where participants in an oral hearing request to be heard in an official language of the Union	5. Where participants in an oral hearing request to be heard in an official language of	5. Where participants in an oral hearing request to be heard in an official language of the Union

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	other than the language of the Authority's supervisory procedure, sufficient advance notice of this requirement shall be given to the Authority so that it can make the necessary arrangements.	the Union other than the language of the Authority's supervisory procedure, sufficient advance notice of this requirement shall be given to the Authority so that it can make the necessary arrangements.	other than the language of the Authority's supervisory procedure, sufficient advance notice of this requirement shall be given to the Authority so that it can make the necessary arrangements.
364	SECTION 4 INDIRECT SUPERVISION OF NON-SELECTED OBLIGED ENTITIES	SECTION 4 INDIRECT SUPERVISION OF NON-SELECTED OBLIGED ENTITIES	SECTION 4 INDIRECT SUPERVISION OF NON-SELECTED OBLIGED ENTITIES
365	Article 28 Assessments of the state of supervisory convergence	Article 28 Assessments of the state of supervisory convergence	Article 28 Assessments of the state of supervisory convergence
366	1. The Authority shall perform periodic assessments of some or all of the activities of one, several, or all financial supervisors, including the assessment of their tools and resources to ensure high level supervisory standards and practices. The assessments shall include a review of the application of the AML/CFT supervisory methodology developed pursuant to Article 8 and shall cover all financial supervisors in a single assessment cycle. The length of each assessment cycle shall be determined by the Authority and shall not exceed seven years.	1. The Authority shall perform periodic assessments of some or all of the activities of one, several, or all financial supervisors, including the assessment of their tools and resources to ensure high level supervisory standards and practices. The assessments <i>shallmay</i> include a review of the application <i>of all or part</i> of the AML/CFT supervisory methodology developed pursuant to Article 8 and shall cover all financial supervisors in a single assessment cycle. The <i>General Board</i> <i>in supervisory composition shall agree on</i> <i>the planning of the assessment cycle. The</i>	1. The Authority shall perform periodic assessments of some or all of the activities of one, several, or all financial supervisors, including <i>thetheir tools and resources. As part</i> of each assessment, the Authority shall assess the extent to which a financial supervisor monitors effectively, and takes the necessary steps of their tools and resources to ensure, consistent high level supervisory standards and practices, and effective application of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), as well as compliance by the obliged entities it supervises with applicable Union law. To that

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		length of each assessment cycle shall be determined by the Authority and shall not exceed seven years. <u>The Authority shall</u> <u>develop methods to allow for an objective</u> <u>assessment and comparison between the</u> <u>competent authorities reviewed</u> .	end, the Authority shall develop methods to allow for a consistent assessment and comparison between the financial supervisors reviewed. The assessments shall include a review of the application of the AML/CFT supervisory methodology developed pursuant to Article 8, and shall cover all financial supervisors in a single assessment cycle. The length of each assessment cycle shall be determined by the Authority and shall not exceed seven years. At the end of each assessment cycle, the Authority shall present its findings to the European Parliament and the Council.
31	<ul> <li>2. The assessments shall be carried out by the staff of the Authority with voluntary involvement of the staff of financial supervisors that are not subject to review, upon agreement on such involvement by the Executive Board. The assessments shall take due account of all the relevant evaluations, assessments or reports drawn up by international organisations and intergovernmental bodies with competence in the field of preventing money laundering and terrorist financing.</li> </ul>	2. The assessments shall be carried out by the staff of the Authority with voluntary involvement of and, following an open call for participation, by the staff of financial supervisors that are not subject to review, upon agreement on such involvement by the Executive Boardon a voluntary basis. The assessments shall take due account of all the relevant evaluations, assessments or reports drawn up by international organisations and intergovernmental bodies with competence in the field of preventing money laundering and terrorist financing.	2. The assessments shall be carried out by the staff of the Authority with voluntary involvement of the staff of financial supervisors that are not subject to review, upon agreement on such involvement by the Executive Board. The assessments <i>shallmay</i> take due account of <i>the information set out in the central</i> <u>AML/CFT database established pursuant to</u> <u>Article 11, as well as</u> all the relevant evaluations, assessments or reports drawn up by international organisations and intergovernmental bodies with competence in the field of preventing money laundering and terrorist financing.

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368	3. The Authority shall produce a report setting out the results of each assessment. That report shall be prepared by the staff of the Authority, or by the staff of the Authority jointly with the staff of the financial supervisors where the staff of financial supervisors were involved in the review on an ad-hoc basis. The report shall be adopted by the Executive Board, taking into account the observations of the General Board in supervisory composition. The report shall explain and indicate any specific follow-up measures required to be taken by the financial supervisor or financial supervisors subject to the assessment that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the assessment. The follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations pursuant to Article 43 including recommendations addressed to all or several financial supervisors or to any specific financial supervisor, as appropriate.	3. The Authority shall produce a report setting out the results of each assessment. That report shall be prepared by the staff of the Authority, or by the staff of the Authority jointly with the staff of the financial supervisors where the staff of financial supervisors were involved in the review on an ad-hoc basis. <u>A draft version of the report</u> <u>shall be submitted to the financial</u> <u>supervisor or financial supervisors subject</u> to the assessment for comments, prior to its <u>consideration by the General Board in</u> <u>supervisory composition</u> . The report shall be adopted by the Executive Board, taking into account the observations of the General Board in supervisory composition. The Executive Board shall assess in particular whether the methodology has <u>been applied consistently</u> . The report shall explain and indicate any specific follow-up measures required to be taken by the financial supervisor or financial supervisors subject to the assessment that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the assessment. The follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations <u>of the</u> <u>General Board</u> pursuant to article 43. <u>The</u> <u>follow up measures may also be adopted in</u> <u>the form of individual including</u>	3. The Authority shall produce a report setting out the results of each assessment. <i>That report</i> <i>shall be prepared by the staff of the Authority,</i> <i>or by the staff of the Authority jointly with the</i> <i>staff of the financial supervisors where the staff</i> <i>of The Authority shall share the draft report</i> <i>in a timely manner with the financial</i> <i>supervisor subject to review. Within a deadline</i> <i>determined by the Authority, the</i> financial <i>supervisors were involved in the review on an</i> <i>ad hoc basis. The supervisor subject to review</i> <i>shall submit comments to the draft report. The</i> <i>final</i> report shall be adopted by the Executive Board, taking into account the observations of the General Board in supervisory composition <i>and shared in a timely manner with the</i> <i>financial supervisor subject to review. The</i> <i>Executive Board shall, in particular, ensure</i> <i>consistency between its reports and in the</i> <i>application of the assessment's methodology</i> . The report shall explain and indicate any specific follow-up measures required to be taken by the financial supervisor or financial supervisors subject to the assessment that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the assessment. The follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations pursuant to Article 43 including recommendations addressed to all or several financial supervisor, as

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		recommendations addressed to all or severaltaken by the Executive Board. Those individual follow-up measures shall only be published upon consent of the financial supervisors or to any specific supervisor concerned and in summary or aggregate form, such that individual financial supervisor, as appropriate institutions cannot be identified.	appropriate.
369	4. Financial supervisors shall make every effort to comply with the specific follow-up measures addressed to them as a result of the assessment.	4. In accordance with Article 43 (3), financial supervisors shall make every effort to comply with the specific follow-up measures addressed to them as a result of the assessment.	4. Financial supervisors shall make every effort to comply with the specific follow-up measures addressed to them as a result of the assessment. <i>Financial supervisors shall provide regular</i> <i>updates to the Authority on the type of</i> <i>measures they have implemented in response</i> <i>to the report referred to in paragraph 3.</i>
369a			4a. Where a financial supervisor does not implement the specific follow-up measures addressed to it as a result of the assessment, the Authority shall take the necessary steps in accordance with Article 10. Where the Authority deems implementation of the follow- up measures to be inadequate or insufficient, it may exercise the powers conferred by Article 30(2) or launch an investigation of an alleged breach or non-application of Union law by the

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			<u>reviewed financial supervisor in accordance</u> <u>with Article 30c.</u>
370	Article 29 Coordination and facilitation of work of the AML colleges	Article 29 Coordination and facilitation of work of the AML colleges	Article 29 Coordination and facilitation of work of the AMLAML/CFT supervisory colleges
371	1. The Authority shall ensure, within the scope of its powers and without prejudice to the powers of the relevant financial supervisors pursuant to Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], that AML supervisory colleges are established and functioning consistently for non-selected obliged entities operating in several Member States in accordance with Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. To that end, the Authority may:	1. The Authority shall ensure, within the scope of its powers and without prejudice to the powers of the relevant financial supervisors pursuant to Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], that AML supervisory colleges are established and functioning consistently for non-selected obliged entities operating in several Member States in accordance with Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. To that end, the Authority may:	1. The Authority shall ensure, within the scope of its powers and without prejudice to the powers of the relevant financial supervisors pursuant to Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], that <u>AMLAML/CFT</u> supervisory colleges are established and functioning consistently for non-selected obliged entities operating in several Member States in accordance with Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423]. To that end, the Authority mayshall:
372	(a) establish colleges, convene and organize the meetings of colleges, where such college has not been established although the relevant conditions for its establishment set out in Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] are met;	(a) establish colleges, convene and organize the meetings of colleges, where such college has not been established although the relevant conditions for its establishment set out in Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] are	<ul> <li>(a) establish colleges, convene and organize the meetingsliaise with the relevant financial supervisors to ensure the establishment of colleges, where such college has which have not been established although the relevant conditions for itstheir establishment set out in</li> </ul>

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		met;	Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] are met;
373	(b) assist in the organisation of college meetings, where requested by the relevant financial supervisors;	(b) assist in the organisation of college meetings, where requested by the relevant financial supervisors;	(b) assist in the organisation of college meetings, where requested by the relevant financial supervisors <u>or convene a college</u> <u>meeting at its own discretion where it deems it</u> <u>necessary</u> ;
374	(c) assist in the organisation of joint supervisory plans and joint examinations;	(c) assist in the organisation of joint supervisory plans and joint examinations;	(c) assist in the organisation of joint supervisory plans and joint examinations;
375	(d) collect and share all relevant information in cooperation with the financial supervisors in order to facilitate the work of the college and make such information accessible to the authorities in the college;	(d) collect and share all relevant information in cooperation with the financial supervisors in order to facilitate the work of the college and make such information accessible to the authorities in the college;	(d) <i>collect and share<u>ensure that</u> all relevant information <i>in cooperation with</i> is <i>collected and</i> <i>shared by</i> the financial supervisors in order to facilitate the work of the college and make such information accessible to the<u>relevant</u> authorities in the college;</i>
376	(e) promote effective and efficient supervisory activities, including evaluating the risks to which obliged entities are or might be exposed;	(e) promote effective and efficient supervisory activities, including evaluating the risks to which obliged entities are or might be exposed;	(e) promote effective and efficient supervisory <i>activitiespractices</i> , including evaluating the risks to which obliged entities are or might be exposed;

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377	(f) oversee, in accordance with the tasks and powers specified in this Regulation, the tasks carried out by the financial supervisors.	(f) oversee, in accordance with the tasks and powers specified in this Regulation, the tasks carried out by the financial supervisors.	(f) oversee, in accordance with the tasks and powers specified in this Regulation, the tasks carried out by the financial supervisors.
377a			(fa) provide assistance to financial supervisors, upon their specific requests, including the requests to mediate between financial supervisors, as referred to in Article 5(3), point (g);
377b			(fb) <u>settle, with binding effect,</u> <u>disagreements between financial supervisors</u> <u>on the measures to be taken by financial</u> <u>supervisors in relation to an obliged entity,</u> <u>upon a request as referred to in Article 5(3),</u> <u>point (ga);</u>
377c			(fc) report to the Commission any instances where the absence of effective and efficient supervisory practices and activities in the context of AML/CFT supervisory colleges derives from inadequate or lack of transposition of Union law into national law.
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			Ia. AML/CFT supervisory colleges shall consist of permanent members and, where deemed necessary by the permanent members, observers. The Authority and financial 
378	2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, the staff of the Authority shall have full participation rights in the AML supervisory colleges and shall be able to participate in their activities, including on-site inspections, carried out jointly by two or more financial supervisors.	2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, the staff of the Authority shall have full participation rights in the AML supervisory colleges and shall be able to participate in their activities, including on-site inspections, carried out jointly by two or more financial supervisors.	2. For the purposes of paragraph 1, the staff of the Authority shall have full participation rights in the <u>AMLAML/CFT</u> supervisory colleges and shall be able to participate in their activities, including on-site inspections, carried out jointly by two or more financial supervisors.
378a			2a. An AML/CFT supervisory college that has already been established in accordance with Article 36 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] shall suspend its work for the period during which the Authority exercises direct supervision over the relevant selected obliged entity. That AML/CFT supervisory college shall resume its work once the relevant obliged entity is no longer selected

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			by the Authority.
379	Article 30 Requests to act in exceptional circumstances	Article 30 Requests to act in exceptional circumstances	Article 30 Requests to act in exceptional circumstances <u>following indications of serious, repeated or</u> <u>systematic breaches</u>
380	1. Financial supervisors shall notify the Authority where the situation of any non- selected obliged entity with regard to its compliance with applicable requirements and its exposure to money laundering and terrorism financing risks deteriorates rapidly and significantly, especially where such deterioration could lead to significant harm to the reputation of the Member State where that entity operates, several Member States or of the Union as a whole.	1. Financial supervisors shall notify the Authority where the situation of any non- selected obliged entity with regard to its compliance with applicable requirements <u>set</u> <u>out in acts referred to in Article 1(2)</u> , and its exposure to money laundering and terrorism financing risks deteriorates rapidly and significantly, <u>especiallyin particular</u> where such deterioration <u>could lead to significant</u> <u>harm to the reputation of the Member State</u> <u>where that entity operates, occurs in such a</u> <u>way that it may negatively impact</u> several Member States or <u>of</u> the Union as a whole.	1. Financial supervisors shall notify the Authority where the situation of any non- selected obliged entity with regard to its compliance with applicable requirements and its exposure to money laundering and terrorism financing risks deteriorates rapidly <i>andor</i> significantly, especially where such deterioration could lead to significant harm to the <i>reputationintegrity</i> of the <i>Member State</i> <i>where that entity operates,financial system or</i> <i>to the reputation of</i> several Member States or of the Union as a whole.
381	2. The Authority may, where it has indications of material breaches by a non-selected obliged entity, request its financial supervisor to:	2. The Authority may, <u>under circumstances</u> <u>referred to in the first paragraph or</u> where it has indications of <u>materialserious</u> , <u>systematic or repeated</u> breaches by a non- selected obliged entity, <u>obtained</u> <u>independantly notably when performing the</u>	2. The Authority may, where it has indications of <i>materialserious, repeated or systematic</i> breaches by a non-selected obliged entity, request its financial supervisor to:

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			<i>tasks refered to in article 5 (3)</i> request its financial supervisor to:	
	382	(a) investigate possible breaches of Union law, and where such Union law is composed of Directives or explicitly grants options for Member States, breaches of national law to the extent that it transposes Directives or exercises options granted to Member States by Union law, by a non-selected obliged entity; and	(a) investigate possible breaches of Union law, and where such Union law is composed of Directives or explicitly grants options for Member States, breaches of national law to the extent that it transposes Directives or exercises options granted to Member States by Union law, by a non-selected obliged entity; and	(a) investigate <i>possiblesuch</i> breaches of Union law, and where such Union law is composed of Directives or explicitly grants options for Member States, breaches of national law to the extent that it transposes Directives or exercises options granted to Member States by Union law, by a non-selected obliged entity; and
	383	(b) consider imposing sanctions in accordance with directly applicable Union law or national law transposing Directives on that entity in respect of such breaches.	(b) consider imposing sanctions in accordance with directly applicable Union law or national law transposing Directives on that entity in respect of such breaches.	(b) consider imposing sanctions in accordance with directly applicable Union law or national law transposing Directives on that entity in respect of such breaches.
2	384	Where necessary, the Authority may also request a financial supervisor to adopt an individual decision addressed to that entity requiring it to undertake all necessary actions to comply with its obligations under directly applicable Union law or under national law, to the extent that it transposes Directives or exercises options granted to Member States by Union law, including the cessation of any practice.	Where necessary, the Authority may also request a financial supervisor to adopt an individual decision addressed to that entity requiring it to undertake all necessary actions to comply with its obligations under directly applicable Union law or under national law, to the extent that it transposes Directives or exercises options granted to Member States by Union law, including the cessation of any practice. <u>The requests referred to in this</u>	Where necessary, the Authority may also request a financial supervisor to adopt an individual decision addressed to that entity requiring it to undertake all necessary actions to comply with its obligations under directly applicable Union law or under national law, to the extent that it transposes Directives or exercises options granted to Member States by Union law, including the cessation of any practice.

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		paragraph shall not impede ongoing supervisory measures by the financial supervisor to which the request is addressed.	
384a			2a. The Authority may initiate such requests where it has indications of serious, repeated or systematic breaches following information provided by financial supervisors pursuant to paragraph 1, by the reporting mechanism pursuant to Article 76a, by the Union institutions and bodies, through its own collection of information under Article 11, Article 11a or Article 28, or by any other credible information sources.
384b			For the purpose of this paragraph, the Commission shall establish a procedure for defining the conditions and arrangements for the Commission to request the Authority to exercise its powers under this Article in light of information in the possession of the Commission.
385	3. The financial supervisor concerned shall comply with any request addressed to it in accordance with paragraph 2 and shall inform	3. The financial supervisor concerned shall comply with any request addressed to it in accordance with paragraph 2 and shall	3. The financial supervisor concerned shall comply with any request addressed to it in accordance with paragraph 2 and shall inform

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	the Authority, as soon as possible and within ten working days from the day of the notification of such request at the latest, of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that request.	inform the Authority, as soon as possible and within ten working days from the day of the notification of such request at the latest, of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that request.	the Authority, as soon as possible and within <i>tenfive</i> working days from the day of the notification of such request at the latest, of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that request.
380	4. Where the financial supervisor concerned does not comply with the request referred to in paragraph 2 and does not inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with the request within ten days from the day of the notification of the request, the Authority may request the Commission to grant permission to transfer the relevant tasks and powers referred to in Article 5(2) and Article 6(1) related to direct supervision of the non- selected obliged entity from the financial supervisor concerned to the Authority.	4. Where the financial supervisor concerned does not comply, <i>is not able to comply or</i> <i>with the request referred to in paragraph 2</i> <i>and</i> does not inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with the request <u>referred to in</u> <u>paragraph 2</u> within ten days from the day of the notification of the request, the Authority may request the Commission to grant permission to transfer <u>temporarily</u> the relevant tasks and powers referred to in Article 5(2) and Article 6(1) related to direct supervision of the non-selected obliged entity from the financial supervisor concerned to the Authority.	4. Where the financial supervisor concerned does not comply with the request referred to in paragraph 2 and does not inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with the request within <i>tenfive</i> days from the day of the notification of the request, the Authority may request the Commission to grant permission to transfer the relevant tasks and powers referred to in Article 5(2) and Article 6(1) related to direct supervision of the non-selected obliged entity from the financial supervisor concerned to the Authority.
387	5. The request from the Authority shall contain:	5. The request from the Authority <u>to the</u> <u>Commission pursuant to paragraph 4</u> shall contain:	5. The request from the Authority <u>to the</u> <u>Commission pursuant to paragraph 3</u> shall contain:
388	(a) a description of the material breaches of the	(a) a description of the <i>materialalleged</i>	(a) a description of the <i>materialserious</i> ,

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	directly applicable requirements by an identified non-selected obliged entity and a justification that such breaches fall within the scope of competence of the Authority, pursuant to paragraph 2;	<i>serious, systematic, or repeated</i> breaches of the directly applicable requirements by an identified non-selected obliged entity and a justification that such breaches fall within the scope of competence of the Authority, pursuant to paragraph 2;	<i>repeated or systematic</i> breaches of the directly applicable requirements by an identified non- selected obliged entity and a justification that such breaches fall within the scope of competence of the Authority, pursuant to paragraph 2;
389	(b) a justification why the request to the financial supervisor referred to in paragraph 2 did not result in any action taken within the time-limit set in paragraph 3;	(b) a justification why the request to the financial supervisor referred to in paragraph 2 did not result in any action taken within the <i>time-limittime limit</i> set in paragraph 3, <i>including the reply or absence of reply from</i> <i>the financial supervisor</i> ;	(b) a justification why the request to the financial supervisor referred to in paragraph 2 did not result in any action taken within the time-limit set in paragraph 3;
390	(c) a time limit, which shall not exceed three years, for the requested transfer of the relevant tasks and powers;	(c) a <i>time limit timelimit</i> , which shall not exceed three years, for the requested transfer of the relevant tasks and powers;	(c) a time limit, which shall not exceed three years, for the requested transfer of the relevant tasks and powers;
391	(d) a description of the measures that the Authority intends to take in relation to the non- selected obliged entity upon the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers to address the material breaches referred to in paragraph 2.	(d) a description of the measures that the Authority intends to take in relation to the non-selected obliged entity upon the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers to address the <i>materialserious, systematic or repeated</i> breaches referred to in paragraph 2.	(d) a description of the measures that the Authority intends to take in relation to the non- selected obliged entity upon the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers to address the material breaches referred to in paragraph 2.
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		5a. <u>The financial supervisor concerned</u> may share its opinion with the Commission on this request by the Authority.	
392	6. The Commission shall have one month from the date of receipt of the request from the Authority to adopt a decision whether to authorise the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers or to oppose it. The decision shall be notified to the Authority, which shall immediately inform the financial supervisor and the non-selected obliged entity thereof.	6. <u>Based on the information referred to in</u> <u>paragraph 5</u> , the Commission shall have one month from the date of receipt of the request from the Authority to adopt a decision whether to authorise the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers or to oppose it. The decision shall be notified to the Authority, which shall immediately inform the financial supervisor and the non-selected obliged entity thereof.	6. The Commission shall have one month10 working days from the date of receipt of the request from the Authority to adopt a decision whether to authorise the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers or to oppose it. <u>A decision to</u> oppose the request by the Authority, as well as a decision to authorise the transfer, shall be duly justified by the Commission. The decision shall be notified to the Authority, which shall immediately inform the financial supervisor and the non-selected obliged entity thereof. <u>The</u> decision shall also be communicated to the <u>European Parliament and to the Council. A</u> decision authorising the transfer of the relevant tasks and powers from the financial supervisor to the Authority shall be made public.
393	7. On the tenth working day after the notification of the decision authorising the transfer of tasks and powers in relation to the non-selected obliged entity, the non-selected obliged entity referred to in paragraph 2 shall be deemed a selected obliged entity for the	7. On the tenth working day after the notification of the decision authorising the transfer of tasks and powers in relation to the non-selected obliged entity, the non-selected obliged entity referred to in paragraph 2 shall be deemed a selected obliged entity for the	7. On the tenth working day 24 hours after the notification of the decision authorising the transfer of tasks and powers in relation to the non-selected obliged entity, the non-selected obliged entity referred to in paragraph 2 shall be deemed a selected obliged entity for the

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	purposes of the exercise of the tasks referred to in Article 5(2) and the powers referred to in Article 6(1) and Articles 16 to 22. The Commission decision shall set a time-limit for the exercise of these tasks and powers, upon the expiry of which they shall be automatically transferred back to the financial supervisor concerned.	purposes of the exercise of the tasks referred to in Article 5(2) and the powers referred to in Article 6(1) and Articles 16 to 22. The Commission decision shall set a <i>time-</i> <i>limittime limit</i> for the exercise of these tasks and powers, upon the expiry of which they shall be <u>deemed as non-selected obliged</u> <u>entities and</u> automatically transferred back to the financial supervisor concerned. <u>Upon a</u> <u>duly justified request by the Authority,</u> <u>submitted two months before the expiry of</u> <u>the original time limit and following</u> <u>consultation with the financial supervisor</u> <u>involved, the Commission may extent the</u> <u>application of the decision on the transfer</u> <u>of tasks and powers to the Authority once,</u> <u>for a period of time that shall be strictly</u> <u>necessary to address the remaining</u> <u>breaches and that shall not exceed 3 years.</u>	purposes of the exercise of the tasks referred to in Article 5(2) and the powers referred to in Article 6(1) and Articles 16 to 22. The Commission decision shall set a time-limit for the exercise of these tasks and powers, upon the expiry of which they shall be automatically transferred back to the financial supervisor concerned.
393a		7a. <u>The financial supervisor concerned</u> may share its opinion with the Commission on this request by the Authority.	
393b			<u>Article 30a</u> <u>Requests to act in exceptional circumstances</u> <u>upon the request of a financial supervisor</u>

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393c			<b>1.</b> The Authority shall, at the request of a financial supervisor, assess whether or not it is necessary to exercise direct supervision of nonselected obliged entities in accordance with this Regulation for the purposes of ensuring the consistent application of high supervisory standards.
393d			<u>Member States may set out specific</u> <u>arrangements regarding the delegation of</u> <u>responsibilities that have to be complied with</u> <u>before their competent authorities enter into</u> <u>such delegation agreements, and may limit the</u> <u>scope of delegation to what is necessary for the</u> <u>effective supervision of cross-border financial</u> <u>market participants or groups.</u>
393e			<b>2.</b> The financial supervisor's request shall do all of the following:
393f			(a) identify the non-selected obliged entity in respect of which the financial supervisor is of the view that the Authority should assume direct supervision;

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393g			(b) state the reasons for which AML/CFT direct supervision of the non-selected obliged entity is necessary for the purposes of ensuring the consistent application of high supervisory standards;
393h			(c) identify the proposed duration of the requested transfer of the relevant tasks and powers.
393i			3. <u>The financial supervisor's request shall be</u> <u>accompanied by a report indicating the</u> <u>supervisory history and risk profile of the non-</u> <u>selected obliged entity that has been identified</u> <u>in the financial supervisor's request.</u>
393j			4. If the Authority does not agree with the financial supervisor's request, it shall consult with that financial supervisor prior to its final assessment as to whether AML/CFT supervision by the Authority of the non- selected obliged entity is necessary for the purposes of ensuring the consistent application of high supervisory standards.

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393k			<u>Article 30b</u> <u>Settlement of disagreements between</u> <u>competent authorities in cross-border</u> <u>situations</u>
3931			1. Without prejudice to the powers laid down in Section III and those specified in Directive [please insert reference to the 6th Anti-money Laundering Directive], the Authority may assist financial supervisors in reaching an agreement in accordance with the procedure set out in paragraphs 2 to 4 of this Article at the request of one or more financial supervisors where a financial supervisor disagrees with the procedure or content of an action, proposed action, or inactivity of another financial supervisor.
393m			2. <u>The financial supervisors shall notify the</u> <u>Authority without undue delay that an</u> <u>agreement has not been reached in the</u> <u>following cases:</u>
393n			(a) where a time limit for reaching an agreement between the financial supervisors has been provided for in Union law, and either

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3930			(i) the time limit has expired; or
393p			(ii) <u>a financial supervisor concludes that a</u> <u>disagreement exists, on the basis of objective</u> <u>reasons;</u>
393q			(b) where no time limit for reaching an agreement between the financial supervisors has been provided for in the Union legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), and either of the following occurs:
393r			(i) a financial supervisor concludes that a disagreement exists on the basis of objective reasons; or
393s			(ii) two months have elapsed from the date of receipt by a financial supervisor of a request from another financial supervisor to take certain action in order to comply with those legislative acts and the requested supervisor

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			<u>has not adopted a decision that satisfies the</u> <u>request.</u>
393t			3. <u>The Executive Board shall assess whether</u> the Authority should act in accordance with paragraph 1.
393u			4. <u>The Authority shall set a time limit for</u> <u>conciliation between the financial supervisors</u> <u>taking into account any relevant time periods</u> <u>specified in Union law and the complexity and</u> <u>urgency of the matter. For the purposes of the</u> <u>conciliation phase, the Authority shall act as a</u> <u>mediator.</u>
393v			5. Where the financial supervisors fail to reach an agreement during the conciliation phase referred to in paragraph 4, the Authority may take a decision requiring those supervisors to take specific action, or to refrain from certain action, in order to settle the matter, and to ensure compliance with Union law. The decision of the Authority shall be binding on the financial supervisors. The Authority's decision may require financial supervisors to revoke or amend a decision that they have adopted or to make use of the powers

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393w			<u>The Authority shall notify the financial</u> <u>supervisors of the conclusion of the procedures</u> <u>under paragraphs 4 and 5 together with, where</u> <u>applicable, its decision taken under paragraph</u> <u>5.</u>
393x			6. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, where a financial supervisor does not comply with the decision of the Authority, and thereby fails to ensure that a financial institution or, in the context of matters relating to the prevention and countering of money laundering or of terrorist financing, a financial sector operator complies with requirements directly applicable to it by virtue of the relevant Union law, the Authority may adopt an individual decision addressed to that financial institution or financial sector operator requiring it to take necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice.
393y			The Authority may also adopt a decision in accordance with the first subparagraph of this

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			paragraph where the relevant requirements of the relevant Union law are not directly applicable to financial sector operators. To that effect, the Authority shall apply relevant Union law, and where such Union law is composed of Directives, national law to the extent that it transposes those Directives. Where the relevant Union law is composed of Regulations and where those Regulations expressly grant options for Member States, the Authority shall apply also national law to the extent that such options have been exercised.
393z			7. Decisions adopted under paragraph 6 shall prevail over any previous decision adopted by the financial supervisors on the same matter. Any action by the financial supervisors in relation to facts which are subject to a decision pursuant to paragraph 5 or 6 shall be compatible with those decisions.
393aa			8. In the report referred to in Article 72, the Chair of the Authority shall set out the nature and type of disagreements between financial supervisors, the agreements reached and the decisions taken to settle such disagreements.
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			<u>Article 30c</u> Breach of Union law
393ac			1. Where a supervisory authority has not applied measures laid down in Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final] or the provisions of national law transposing that Directive, or has applied measures in a way that appears to be a breach of Union law, in particular by failing to ensure that an entity under its supervision satisfies the requirements laid down in Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420 final], the Authority shall act in accordance with the powers set out in paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 of this Article.
393ad			2. Upon the request of one or more supervisory authorities, or the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission, or on its own initiative, including where based on well-substantiated information from natural or legal persons, and after having informed the supervisory authority concerned, the Authority shall outline how it intends to proceed with the case and, where appropriate, investigate the

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			alleged breach or non-application of Union law.
393ae			The supervisory authority shall, without delay, provide the Authority with all information which the Authority considers necessary for its investigation includingwith regard to how the acts referred to in paragraph 1 are applied in accordance with Union law.
393af			Whenever requesting information from the supervisory authority has proven, or is deemed to be, insufficient to obtain the information that is deemed necessary for the purposes of investigating an alleged breach or non- application of Union law, the Authority may, after having informed the supervisory authority, address a duly justified and reasoned request for information directly to other supervisory authorities. The addressees of such a request shall, without undue delay, provide the Authority with clear, accurate and complete information.
393ag			<u>3.</u> <u>The Authority may, no later than six</u> <u>months from the date of initiating its</u> investigation, address a recommendation to the

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393ah			Before issuing such a recommendation, the Authority shall engage with the supervisory authority, where it considers such engagement appropriate in order to resolve a breach of Union law, in an attempt to reach agreement on the actions necessary for compliance with Union law.
393ai			<u>The supervisory authority shall, within 10</u> working days of receipt of the recommendation, inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to ensure compliance with Union law.
393aj			4. Where the supervisory authority has not complied with Union law within one month of the date of receipt of the Authority's recommendation, the Commission may, after having been informed of that fact by the Authority, or on its own initiative, issue a formal opinion requiring the supervisory authority to take the action necessary to comply with Union law. The Commission's

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			<i>formal opinion shall take into account the Authority's recommendation.</i>
393ak			<u>The Commission shall issue such formal</u> opinion within three months of the date of adoption of the recommendation. The <u>Commission may extend that period by one</u> <u>month.</u>
393al			<u>The Authority and the supervisory authority</u> <u>shall provide the Commission with all</u> <u>necessary information.</u>
393am			5. The supervisory authority shall, within 10 working days of receipt of the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 4, inform the Commission and the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that formal opinion.
393an			<u>6.</u> <u>Where a supervisory authority does not</u> <u>comply with the formal opinion within the</u> <u>period specified therein, and where it is</u> <u>necessary to remedy, in a timely manner, such</u> <u>non-compliance in order to attain or restore</u>

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			the integrity, stability and reputation of the financial system, the Authority may adopt an individual decision addressed to a non-selected obliged entity requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law. To that effect, the Authority shall apply all relevant Union law, and, where that Union law is composed of Directives, national law to the extent that it transposes those Directives. Where the relevant Union law is composed of Regulations and where those Regulations expressly grant options for Member States, the Authority shall apply also national law to the extent that such options have been exercised.
393ao			The decision of the Authority shall be in conformity with the formal opinion issued by the Commission pursuant to paragraph 4.
393ap			7. Decisions adopted in accordance with paragraph 6 shall prevail over any previous decision adopted by the supervisory authority on the same matter.
393aq			When taking action in relation to issues which are subject to a formal opinion pursuant to

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			paragraph 5 or to a decision pursuant to paragraph 6, supervisory authorities shall comply with the formal opinion or the decision, as applicable.
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395	Article 31	Article 31	Article 31
	Peer reviews	Peer reviews	Peer reviews
396	1. The Authority shall periodically conduct	1. The Authority shall periodically conduct	1. The Authority shall periodically conduct
	peer reviews of some or all of the activities of	peer reviews of some or all of the activities	peer reviews of some or all of the activities of
	non-financial supervisors to strengthen	of <u>supervisory authorities in the</u> non-	non-financial supervisors to strengthen
	consistency and effectiveness in supervisory	financial <u>supervisorssector</u> to strengthen	consistency and effectiveness in supervisory
	outcomes. To that end, the Authority shall	consistency and effectiveness in supervisory	outcomes. To that end, the Authority shall
	develop methods to allow for an objective	outcomes. To that end, the Authority shall	develop methods to allow for an objective
	assessment and comparison between non-	develop methods to allow for an objective	assessment and comparison between non-
	financial supervisors reviewed. When planning	assessment and comparison between <u>non-</u>	financial supervisors reviewed. <i>When planning</i>
	and conducting peer reviews, existing	financial supervisors supervisory authorities	<i>and conducting peer reviews, existing</i>
	information and evaluations already available	reviewed <u>taking into account their</u>	<i>information and evaluations already available</i>
	with regard to the non-financial supervisor	<u>specificities and characteristics</u> . When	<i>with regard to the non financial supervisor</i>
	concerned, including any relevant information	planning and conducting peer reviews,	<i>concerned, including any relevant information</i>
	provided to the Authority in accordance with	<u>existing information and evaluations already</u>	<i>provided to the Authority in accordance with</i>
	Article 11, assessments or reports drawn up by	<u>available with regard to the non financial</u>	<i>Article 11, assessments or reports drawn up by</i>
	international organisations and	<u>supervisor concerned, including any relevant</u>	<i>international organisations and</i>
	intergovernmental bodies competent in the field	<u>information providedthe Authority shall</u>	<i>intergovernmental bodies competent in the field</i>

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	of preventing money laundering or terrorist financing and any relevant information from stakeholders shall be taken into account.	avoid duplication of assessments or reports already available with regard to the Authority in accordance with Article 11, assessments or reportsnon-financial supervisory authorities concerned, which have been drawn up by international organisations and intergovernmental bodies competent in the field of preventing money laundering or terroristand the financing of terrorism. Existing information, including any relevant information provided to the Authority in accordance with Article 11, and any relevant information from stakeholders shall be taken into account.	of preventing money laundering or terrorist financing and any relevant information from stakeholders shall be taken into account.
397	2. For the purposes of this Article, the Authority shall establish ad hoc peer review committees, which shall be composed of staff from the Authority and members of the non- financial supervisors. The peer review committees shall be chaired by a member of the Authority's staff. The Chair of the Authority shall, following a call for proposals, propose the chair and the members of a peer review committee which shall be approved by the Executive Board.	2. For the purposes of this Article, the Authority shall establish ad hoc peer review committees, which shall be composed of staff from the Authority and members of <i>supervisory authorities in</i> the non-financial <i>supervisors<u>sectors</u></i> . The peer review committees shall be chaired by a member of the Authority's staff. The Chair of the Authority shall, following a call for proposals, propose the chair and the members of a peer review committee which shall be approved by the Executive Board.	2. For the purposes of this Article, the Authority shall establish ad hoc peer review committees, which <u>The peer reviews</u> shall be composed of staff from the Authority and members of the non-financial supervisors. The peer review committees shall be chaired by a member of the Authority's <u>carried out by the</u> staff. The Chair of the Authority shall, following a call for proposals, propose the chair and the members of a peer review committee which shall be approved by the Executive Boardin cooperation with the relevant staff of the non-financial supervisors.

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398	3. The peer review shall include an assessment of, but shall not be limited to:	Council Mandate 3. The peer review shall include an assessment of, but shall not be limited to:	3. The peer review shall include an assessment of, but shall not be limited to:
399	(a) the adequacy of powers and financial, human and technical resources, the degree of independence, the governance arrangements and professional standards of non-financial supervisor to ensure the effective application of Chapter IV [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423];	(a) the adequacy of powers and financial, human and technical resources, the degree of independence, the governance arrangements and professional standards of non-financial supervisor to ensure the effective application of Chapter IV [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423];	(a) the adequacy of powers and financial, human and technical resources, the degree of independence, the governance arrangements and professional standards of non-financial supervisor to ensure the effective application of Chapter IV [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423];
400	(b) the effectiveness and the degree of convergence reached in the application of Union law and in supervisory practice, and the extent to which the supervisory practice achieves the objectives set out in Union law;	(b) the effectiveness and the degree of convergence reached in the application of Union law and in supervisory practice, and the extent to which the supervisory practice achieves the objectives set out in Union law;	(b) the effectiveness and the degree of convergence reached in the application of Union law and in supervisory practice, and the extent to which the supervisory practice achieves the objectives set out in Union law;
401	(c) the application of best practices developed by non-financial supervisors whose adoption might be of benefit for other non-financial supervisors;	(c) the application of best practices developed by <u>supervisory authorities in the</u> non-financial <u>supervisors sector</u> whose adoption might be of benefit for other non- financial supervisors;	(c) the application of best practices developed by non-financial supervisors whose adoption might be of benefit for other non-financial supervisors;
402	(d) the effectiveness and the degree of	(d) the effectiveness and the degree of	(d) the effectiveness and the degree of

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	convergence reached with regard to the enforcement of the provisions adopted in the implementation of Union law, including the administrative sanctions and other administrative measures imposed against persons responsible where those provisions have not been complied with.	convergence reached with regard to the enforcement of the provisions adopted in the implementation of Union law, including the administrative sanctions and other administrative measures imposed against persons responsible where those provisions have not been complied with.	convergence reached with regard to the enforcement of the provisions adopted in the implementation of Union law, including the administrative sanctions and other administrative measures imposed against persons responsible where those provisions have not been complied with.
403	4. The Authority shall produce a report setting out the results of the peer review. That peer review report shall be prepared by the peer review committee and adopted by the Executive Board, having received the observations of the General Board in supervisory composition as to the consistency of application of the methodology with other peer review reports. The report shall explain and indicate the follow-up measures that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the peer review. Those follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations pursuant to Article 3 and opinions pursuant to Article 44. The non-financial supervisors shall make every effort to comply with any guidelines and recommendations issued, in accordance with Article 43.	4. The Authority shall produce a report setting out the results of the peer review. That peer review report shall be prepared by the peer review committee. <u>A draft version</u> of the report shall be submitted to the concerned supervisory authorities in the non-financial sector or the supervisory authorities in the non-financial sector subject to the assessment for comments, prior to its consideration by the General Board in supervisory composition. The report shall be and adopted by the Executive Board, having received the observations of the General Board in supervisory composition as to the consistency of application of the methodology with other peer review reports. The report shall explain and indicate the follow-up measures that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the peer review. Those follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations	4. The Authority shall produce a report setting out the results of the peer review. That peer review report shall be prepared by the <i>peer</i> review committee and adopted by the Executive Board, having received the observations of the Generalstaff of the Authority, in cooperation with the relevant staff of the non-financial supervisors and adopted by the Executive Board, which shall share it in a timely manner with the non-financial supervisor under-in supervisory composition as to the consistency of application of the methodology with other peer review reports. The report shall explain and indicate the follow-up measures that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the peer review. Those follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations pursuant to Article 343 and opinions pursuant to Article 44. The non-financial supervisors shall make every effort to comply with any guidelines and recommendations issued, in accordance with

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		pursuant to Article <u>343</u> and opinions pursuant to Article 44. The <u>supervisory</u> <u>authorities in the</u> non-financial <u>supervisorssector</u> shall make every effort to comply with any guidelines and recommendations issued, in accordance with Article 43.	Article 43. <u>The Authority shall transmit such</u> reports without delay, on a confidential basis, at least to the European Parliament.
404	5. The Authority shall publish the findings of the peer review on its website and submit an opinion to the Commission where, having regard to the outcome of the peer review or to any other information acquired by the Authority in carrying out its tasks, it considers that further harmonisation of Union rules applicable to obliged entities in the non-financial sector or to non-financial supervisors would be necessary from the Union's perspective.	5. The Authority shall <i>publish the findings</i> of the peer review on its website and submit an opinion to the Commission where, having regard to the outcome of the peer review or to any other information acquired by the Authority in carrying out its tasks, it considers that further harmonisation of Union rules applicable to obliged entities in the non-financial sector or to <u>supervisory</u> <u>authorities in the</u> non-financial <u>supervisors</u> <u>sector</u> would be necessary from the Union's perspective.	5. The Authority shall publish the findings of the peer review on its website and submit an opinion to the Commission where, having regard to the outcome of the peer review or to any other information acquired by the Authority in carrying out its tasks, it considers that further harmonisation of Union rules applicable to obliged entities in the non-financial sector or to non-financial supervisors would be necessary from the Union's perspective.
405	6. The Authority shall provide a follow-up report two years after the publication of the peer review report. The follow-up report shall be prepared by the peer review committee and adopted by the Executive Board, having received the observations of the General Board in supervisory composition on the consistency	6. The Authority shall provide a follow-up report two years after the publication of the peer review report. The follow-up report shall be prepared by the peer review committee and adopted by the Executive Board, having received the observations of the General Board in supervisory	6. The Authority shall provide a follow-up report two years after the publication of the peer review report. The follow-up report shall be prepared by the <i>peer review committee and</i> <i>adopted by the Executive Board, having</i> <i>received the observations of the General</i> <u>staff of</u> <i>the Authority, in cooperation with the relevant</i>

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	with other peer review reports. The follow-up report shall include an assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of the actions undertaken by the non-financial supervisors that were subject to the peer review in response to the follow-up measures of the peer review report. The Authority shall publish the findings of the follow-up report on its website.	composition on the consistency with other peer review reports. The follow-up report shall include an assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of the actions undertaken by the <i>supervisory authorities in the</i> non- financial <i>supervisors sector</i> that were subject to the peer review in response to the follow- up measures of the peer review report. The Authority shall publish the findings of the follow-up report on its website.	staff of the non-financial supervisors, and adopted by the Executive Board, which shall share it in a timely manner with the non- financial supervisor under review in supervisory composition on the consistency with other peer review reports. The follow-up report shall include an assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of the actions undertaken by the non-financial supervisors that were subject to the peer review in response to the follow-up measures of the peer review report. The Authority shall publish the findings of the follow-up report on its website.
406	7. For the purposes of this Article, the Executive Board shall adopt a peer review work plan every two years, which shall reflect the lessons learnt from the past peer review processes and discussions held in the General Board in supervisory composition. The peer review work plan shall constitute a separate part of the annual and multiannual working programme and shall be included in the Single Programming Document. In case of urgency or unforeseen events, the Authority may decide to carry out additional peer reviews.	7. For the purposes of this Article, the Executive Board shall adopt a peer review work plan every two years, <i>after approval by</i> <i>the General Board</i> , which shall reflect the lessons learnt from the past peer review processes and discussions held in the General Board in supervisory composition. The peer review work plan shall constitute a separate part of the annual and multiannual working programme and shall be included in the Single Programming Document. In case of urgency or unforeseen events, the Authority may decide to carry out additional peer reviews.	7. For the purposes of this Article, the Executive Board shall adopt a peer review work plan every two years, which shall reflect the lessons learnt from the past peer review processes and discussions held in the General Board in supervisory composition. The peer review work plan shall constitute a separate part of the annual and multiannual working programme and shall be included in the Single Programming Document. In case of urgency or unforeseen events, the Authority may decide to carry out additional peer reviews.

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407	8. When supervision is performed by SRBs, the peer review exercise shall include the assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of measures pursuant to Article 38 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] that are taken by the public authority in charge of overseeing these bodies to ensure that they perform their function to the standards required under Union law.	8. When supervision is performed by SRBs, the peer review exercise shall include the assessment of the <i>adequacy and</i> <i>effectivenessimplementation</i> of measures pursuant to Article 38 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] that are taken by the public authority in charge of overseeing these bodies to ensure that they perform their function <i>to the standards required underin</i> <i>accordance with</i> Union law.	8. When supervision is performed by SRBs, the peer review exercise shall include the assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of measures pursuant to Article 38 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] that are taken by the public authority in charge of overseeing these bodies to ensure that they perform their function to the standards required under Union law.
408	9. On a case by case basis, when SRBs indicate an interest to participate in a peer review exercise, representatives of such bodies entrusted with supervisory functions may be invited to participate in that peer review.	9. On a case by case basis, when SRBs indicate an interest to participate in a peer review exercise, representatives of such bodies entrusted with supervisory functions may be invited to participate in that peer review. <i>Article 31 (1) to (6) shall apply accordingly.</i>	9. On a case by case basis, when SRBs indicate an interest to participate in <u>When</u> a peer review exerciseconcerns SRBs, representatives of such bodies entrusted with supervisory functions maySRBs shall be invited to participate in that peer review.
408a			<u>Article 31a</u> <u>Establishment of AML/CFT supervisory</u> <u>colleges in the non-financial sector</u>
408b			<b>1.</b> After three years after the date of entry into force of Directive [please insert reference –

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			proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423final], the Authority may, within the scope of its powers and without prejudice to the powers of the relevant supervisory authorities pursuant to Articles 34 and 34a of Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423final], decide to establish AML/CFT supervisory colleges, and ensure their consistent functioning, for obliged entities in the non-financial sector operating in at least four Member States and with an annual EU-wide turnover of at least EUR 200 million euros.
408c			2. To that end, the Authority may:
408d			(a) convene and organise the meetings of <u>AML/CFT supervisory colleges where deemed</u> appropriate;
408e			(b) assist in the organisation of AML/CFT supervisory college meetings, where requested by the relevant supervisory authorities, or convene a college meeting at its own discretion where deemed necessary;

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408f			(c) ensure that all relevant information is collected and shared by the supervisory authorities in order to facilitate the work of the AML/CFT supervisory college and make such information accessible to the relevant authorities in the college;
408g			(d) promote effective and efficient supervisory practices, including evaluating the risks to which obliged entities are or might be exposed;
408h			(e) mediate and assist in resolving conflicts between participating supervisory authorities on their request;
408i			(f) oversee, in accordance with the tasks and powers specified in this Regulation, the tasks carried out by the supervisory authorities;
408j			(g) identify instances where the absence of effective and efficient supervisory practices and activities in the context of AML/CFT supervisory colleges derives from inadequate or lack of transposition of Union law into

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408k			3. <u>AML/CFT supervisory colleges may be used</u> to exchange information, provide mutual assistance and, where appropriate, coordinate the supervisory approach to the obliged entity, including the taking of appropriate and proportionate measures to address serious breaches of the requirements of Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti- Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420 final] that are detected in the jurisdiction of a supervisor participating in the AML/CFT supervisory college.
4081			4. <u>AML/CFT supervisory colleges shall be</u> composed of permanent members, including the Authority and non-financial supervisors, and, when unanimously agreed by them, observers.
408m			Where, pursuant to Article 29(3) of Directive [please insert reference to AMLD6], Member States allow SRBs to perform supervision of the entities referred to in Article 3, points (3)(a) and (b) of Regulation [please insert

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			<u>reference – proposal for Anti-Money</u> <u>Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420</u> <u>final], the respective national oversight</u> <u>authorities, pursuant to Article 38 of Directive</u> [please insert reference to AMLD6], shall be the permanent members.
408n			5. This Article shall not apply to SRBs, including SRBs overseeing obliged entities that exercise an independent legal profession or that are public office holders appointed by the government to exercise judicial functions.
409	Article 32 Powers over supervisory authorities in the non- financial sector	Article 32 Powers over supervisory authorities in the non-financial sector	Article 32 Powers over supervisory authorities in the non- financial sector
410	1. Where a supervisory authority in the non- financial sector has not applied the Union acts or the national legislation referred to in Article 1(2), or has applied them in a way which appears to be a breach of Union law, in particular by failing to ensure that an entity under its supervision or oversight satisfies the requirements laid down in those acts or in that legislation, the Authority shall act in accordance with the powers set out in	1. Where a supervisory authority in the non- financial sector has not applied the Union acts or the national legislation referred to in Article 1(2), or has applied them in a way which appears to be a breach of Union law, in particular by failing to ensure that an entity under its supervision or oversight satisfies the requirements laid down in those acts or in that legislation, the Authority shall act in accordance with the powers set out in	1. Where a supervisory authority in the non- financial sector has not applied the Union acts or the national legislation referred to in Article 1(2), or has applied them in a way which appears to be a breach of Union law, in particular by failing to ensure that an entity under its supervision or oversight satisfies the requirements laid down in those acts or in that legislation, the Authority shall act in accordance with the powers set out in paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 6

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	paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 of this Article.	Council Mandate paragraphs 2, 3, 4, 6 and 7 of this Article.	and 7 of this Article.
411	2. Upon request from one or more supervisory	2. Upon request from one or more	2. Upon request from one or more supervisory
	authorities in the non-financial sector, the	supervisory authorities in the non-financial	authorities in the non-financial sector, the
	European Parliament, the Council, the	sector, the European Parliament, the Council,	European Parliament, the Council, the
	Commission, or on its own initiative, including	<u>or</u> the Commission, <u>or on its own initiative</u> ,	Commission, or on its own initiative, including
	when this is based on well-substantiated	including when this is based on well-	when this is based on well-substantiated
	information from natural or legal persons, and	substantiated information from natural or	information from natural or legal persons, and
	after having informed the supervisory authority	legal persons, and after having informed the	after having informed the supervisory authority
	in the non-financial sector concerned, the	supervisory authority in the non-financial	in the non-financial sector concerned, the
	Authority shall outline how it intends to	sector concerned, the Authority shall outline	Authority shall outline how it intends to proceed
	proceed with the case and, where appropriate,	how it intends to proceed with the case and,	with the case and, where appropriate,
	investigate the alleged breach or non-	where appropriate, investigate the alleged	investigate the alleged breach or non-application
	application of Union law.	breach or non-application of Union law.	of Union law.
412	The supervisory authority shall, without delay,	The supervisory authority shall, without	The supervisory authority shall, without delay,
	provide the Authority with all information	delay, provide the Authority with <i>all</i>	provide the Authority with all information
	which the Authority considers necessary for its	information which the Authority considers	which the Authority considers necessary for its
	investigation including information on how the	necessary for its investigation including	investigation including information on how the
	Union acts or in that legislation referred to in	information on how the Union acts or in that	Union acts or in that legislation referred to in
	Article 1(2) are applied in accordance with	legislation referred to in Article 1(2) are	Article 1(2) are applied in accordance with
	Union law.	applied in accordance with Union law.	Union law.
413	Whenever requesting information from the	Whenever requesting information from the	Whenever requesting information from the
	supervisory authority concerned has proven, or	supervisory authority concerned has proven,	supervisory authority concerned has proven, or
	is deemed to be, insufficient to obtain the	or is deemed to be, insufficient to obtain the	is deemed to be, insufficient to obtain the
	information that is deemed necessary for the	information that is deemed necessary for the	information that is deemed necessary for the

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	purposes of investigating an alleged breach or non-application of Union law, the Authority may, after having informed the supervisory authority, address a duly justified and reasoned request for information directly to other supervisory authorities.	purposes of investigating an alleged breach or non-application of Union law, the Authority may, after having informed the supervisory authority, address a duly justified and reasoned request for information directly to other supervisory authorities.	purposes of investigating an alleged breach or non-application of Union law, the Authority may, after having informed the supervisory authority, address a duly justified and reasoned request for information directly to other supervisory authorities.
414	The addressee of such a request shall provide the Authority with clear, accurate and complete information without undue delay.	The addressee of such a request shall provide the Authority with clear, accurate and complete information without undue delay.	The addressee of such a request shall provide the Authority with clear, accurate and complete information without undue delay.
415	3. The Authority may, not later than six months from initiating its investigation, address a recommendation to the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector concerned setting out the action necessary to comply with Union law.	3. The Authority may, not later than six months from initiating its investigation, address a recommendation to the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector concerned setting out the action necessary to comply with Union law.	3. The Authority may, not later than six months from initiating its investigation, address a recommendation to the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector concerned setting out the action necessary to comply with Union law.
416	Before issuing such a recommendation, the Authority shall engage with the supervisory authority concerned, where it considers such engagement appropriate in order to resolve a breach of Union law, in an attempt to reach agreement on the actions necessary for compliance with Union law.	Before issuing such a recommendation, the Authority shall engage with the supervisory authority concerned, where <i>it considersthe</i> <u>Autority or the supervisory authority</u> <u>consider</u> such engagement appropriate in order to resolve a breach of Union law, in an attempt to reach agreement on the actions necessary for compliance with Union law.	Before issuing such a recommendation, the Authority shall engage with the supervisory authority concerned, where it considers such engagement appropriate in order to resolve a breach of Union law, in an attempt to reach agreement on the actions necessary for compliance with Union law.

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417	The supervisory authority in the non-financial sector shall, within ten working days of receipt of the recommendation, inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to ensure compliance with Union law.	The supervisory authority in the non- financial sector shall, within <i>ten working</i> <i>daysone month</i> of receipt of the recommendation, inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to ensure compliance with Union law.	The supervisory authority in the non-financial sector shall, within ten working days of receipt of the recommendation, inform the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to ensure compliance with Union law.
418	4. Where the supervisory authority in the non- financial sector has not complied with Union law within one month from receipt of the Authority's recommendation, the Commission may, after having been informed by the Authority, or on its own initiative, issue a formal opinion requiring the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector to take the action necessary to comply with Union law. The Commission's formal opinion shall take into account the Authority's recommendation.	4. Where the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector has not complied with Union law within one month from receipt of the Authority's recommendation, the Commission may, after having been informed by the Authority, or on its own initiative, issue a formal opinion requiring the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector to take the action necessary to comply with Union law. The Commission's formal opinion shall take into account the Authority's recommendation.deleted	4. Where the supervisory authority in the non- financial sector has not complied with Union law within one month from receipt of the Authority's recommendation, the Commission may, after having been informed by the Authority, or on its own initiative, issue a formal opinion requiring the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector to take the action necessary to comply with Union law. The Commission's formal opinion shall take into account the Authority's recommendation.
419	The Commission shall issue such a formal opinion within three months after the adoption of the recommendation. The Commission may extend this period by one month.	<i>The Commission shall issue such a formal</i> opinion within three months after the adoption of the recommendation. The Commission may extend this period by one month.deleted	The Commission shall issue such a formal opinion within three months after the adoption of the recommendation. The Commission may extend this period by one month.

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420	The Authority and the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector shall provide the Commission with all necessary information.	<i>The Authority and the supervisory authority</i> <i>in the non-financial sector shall provide the</i> <i>Commission with all necessary</i> <i>information.<mark>deleted</mark></i>	The Authority and the supervisory authority in the non-financial sector shall provide the Commission with all necessary information.
421	5. The supervisory authority in the non- financial sector shall, within ten working days of receipt of the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 5, inform the Commission and the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that formal opinion.	5. The supervisory authority in the non- financial sector shall, within ten working days of receipt of the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 5, inform the Commission and the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that formal opinion.deleted	5. The supervisory authority in the non- financial sector shall, within ten working days of receipt of the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 5, inform the Commission and the Authority of the steps it has taken or intends to take to comply with that formal opinion.
422	6. Where the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 4 is addressed to a supervisory authority which is a public authority overseeing a SRB, and where it does not comply with the formal opinion within the period specified therein, to remedy such non-compliance in a timely manner, the Authority may adopt an individual decision addressed to an SRB requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law.	6. Where the <i>formal opinion referred to in</i> <i>paragraph 4 is addressed to a</i> supervisory authority <i>which</i> is a public authority overseeing a SRB, and where it does not comply with the <i>formal</i> <i>opinion</i> <u>recommendation referred to in</u> <u>paragraph 3</u> within the period specified therein, <i>to remedy such non-compliance in a</i> <i>timely manner</i> , the Authority may <i>adopt an</i> <i>individual decision addressed</i> <u>issue a</u> <u>recommendation</u> to an SRB <u>requiring it to</u> <u>take all necessary action to comply with its</u> <u>obligations underto ensure it acts in</u> <u>accordance with</u> Union law.	<b>65a</b> . Where the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 4 is addressed to a supervisory authority which is a public authority overseeing a SRB, and where it does not comply with the formal opinion within the period specified therein, <i>particularly if its inaction poses a serious risk to the Union's system of supervision</i> , to remedy such non-compliance in a timely manner, the Authority may adopt <i>an individuala</i> decision addressed to an SRB <i>requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under in order to ensure compliance with applicable</i> Union law.

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422			Where Member States allow SRBs to perform supervision of the entities referred to in Article 3, points (3)(a) and (b), of Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420 final], the respective national oversight authority may send a duly justified request for a derogation from the first subparagraph of this paragraph if the oversight authority considers that the application thereof interferes with the independence of the judiciary. The request shall have suspensive effect on the Authority's decision until the Commission has adopted a formal reply. The request shall be addressed to the Commission and be shared with the Authority. The Commission shall formally reply to it within 10 working days.
423	The decision of the Authority shall be in conformity with the formal opinion issued by the Commission pursuant to paragraph 4.	<i>The decision of the Authority shall be in</i> <i>conformity with the formal opinion issued by</i> <i>the Commission pursuant to paragraph</i> <i>4.<u>deleted</u></i>	The decision of the Authority shall be in conformity with the formal opinion issued by the Commission pursuant to paragraph 4.
424	7. Decisions adopted in accordance with paragraph 6 shall prevail over any previous	7. Decisions Recommendations adopted in accordance with paragraph 6 shall prevail	7. Decisions adopted in accordance with paragraph 6 shall prevail over any previous

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	decision adopted by the supervisory authority on the same matter.	Council Mandate over any previous <i>decisionmeasures</i> adopted by the supervisory authority on the same matter.	decision adopted by the supervisory authority on the same matter.
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425	When taking action in relation to issues which are subject to a formal opinion pursuant to paragraph 5 or to a decision pursuant to paragraph 7, supervisory authorities shall comply with the formal opinion or the decision, as the case may be.	When taking action in relation to issues which are subject to a formal opinion pursuant to paragraph 5 or to a decision pursuant to paragraph 7, supervisory authorities shall comply with the formal opinion or the decision, as the case may be. <u>deleted</u>	When taking action in relation to issues which are subject to a formal opinion pursuant to paragraph 5 or to a decision pursuant to paragraph 7, supervisory authorities shall comply with the formal opinion or the decision, as the case may be.
426	SECTION 6 FIUs SUPPORT AND COORDINATION MECHANISM	SECTION 6 FIUs SUPPORT AND COORDINATION MECHANISM	
426a			<u>Article -33</u> <u>The FIUs Support and Coordination</u> <u>Mechanism</u>
426b			<u>1.</u> <u>The Authority and FIUs shall constitute an</u> <u>FIUs Support and Coordination Mechanism.</u> <u>The Authority and FIUs shall work together</u> <u>and cooperate with each other to the greatest</u>

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			<u>extent possible to prevent, detect and effectively</u> <u>combat money laundering and terrorist</u> <u>financing in the internal market.</u>
426c			<u>The FIUs and the Authority shall perform</u> <u>their tasks and carry out their activities in</u> <u>accordance with this Regulation and</u> <u>applicable Union and national law.</u>
426d			2. FIUs shall participate in, and contribute to, the activities of the FIUs Support and Coordination Mechanism in accordance with this Regulation and other applicable Union law. They shall in particular:
426e			(a) be able to participate in joint analyses as an integral part of their tasks, as well as in other activities undertaken by the Authority pursuant to its mandate;
426f			(b) provide the Authority with the relevant data and information required to fulfil its tasks, as well as to implement the Authority's indications in accordance with this Regulation and other applicable Union law.

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426g			All information obtained through participation in the activities of the Authority shall be covered by the strictest obligations of confidentiality.
426h			3. The Authority shall promote cooperation between FIUs by means of guidelines and recommendations pursuant to Article 43, or practical arrangements, where appropriate.
426i			<u>An FIU may inform the Authority in the case</u> of a disagreement with another FIU. In that case, the Authority shall act as a mediator.
426j			<u>Article -33a</u> <u>Cooperation within the FIUs Support and</u> <u>Coordination Mechanism</u>
426k			<b>1.</b> The Authority shall support FIUs in relation to the following tasks:

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4261			(a) to support, coordinate and, where necessary, direct, joint analyses to be performed with the relevant FIUs pursuant to Article 33 and Article 5(5), points (a) to (d), as well as to develop methods and procedures to coordinate and facilitate their planning, organisation and conduct;
426m			(b) to support cooperation among FIUs, pursuant to Article 5(5), point (a), and Article 36 of this Regulation and Article 24 of the [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] particularly by developing best practices, methods, formats;
426n			(c) to develop expert knowledge on detection analysis and dissemination methods, pursuant to Article 5(5), point (f);
4260			(d) to develop criteria for the identification of cross-border cases that FIUs are required to share, pursuant to article 24 of the [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423];

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426p			(e) to prepare indicators, formats, contents for the detection and reporting of STRs pursuant to article 50 of Regulation [OP please insert the next number of the AMLR, COM(2021)420] and other disclosures received by FIUs;
426q			(f) to follow the management, maintenance and update of FIU.net and the development of IT and artificial intelligence services and tools for secure information sharing, pursuant to Articles 5(5), point (e), and Article 37;
426r			(g) to follow the work of international and European fora on FIU-related matters.
426s			2. In performing the tasks referred to in paragraph 1, the Authority shall have dedicated human, financial and IT resources, and shall guarantee their independence from the supervisory functions provided for in Chapter II, Section 2 to 6. They shall be supported by national FIU delegates, pursuant to Article 35.

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427	Article 33 Conduct of joint analyses	Article 33 Conduct of joint analyses	Article 33 Conduct of joint analyses
427a		<b>1.a</b> The Authority shall define methods and criteria for the selection and prioritisation of cases relevant for joint analyses, in accordance with article 25 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423].	-1. <u>The Authority shall adopt internal</u> procedures defining methods and criteria for the identification, selection and prioritisation of cases relevant for joint analyses.
427b		<u>-1a. The Authority shall establish, on an annual basis, a list of priority areas for the conduct of joint analyses.</u>	
428	1. Where, pursuant to Article 25 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], a FIU of a Member State identifies a potential need to conduct a joint analysis with one or several FIUs in other Member States, it shall notify the Authority thereof. The Authority shall inform the FIUs in all the relevant Member States and invite them to take part in the joint analysis within five days of the initial notification. To this end, the Authority shall use secured channels of communication. The FIUs in all the relevant	1. Where, pursuant to Article 25 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] <u>and with respect to the</u> <u>criteria referred to in paragraph 1</u> , a FIU of a Member State identifies a potential need to conduct a joint analysis with one or several FIUs in other Member States, it shall notify the Authority thereof. <u>If</u> the Authority <u>assesses the case to be relevant, pursuant to</u> <u>the methods and criteria mentioned in</u> <u>paragraph 1, it</u> shall inform the FIUs in all the relevant Member States <u>promptly</u> and	1. Where, pursuant to Article 25 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], and with respect to the criteria listed in paragraph 1a of this Article, a FIU of a Member State identifies a potential need to conduct a joint analysis with one or several FIUs in other Member States, it shall notify the Authority thereof. The Authority shall inform the FIUs in all the relevant Member States and invite them to take part in the joint analysis within five days of the initial notification. To this end, the Authority shall use

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	Member States shall consider taking part in the joint analysis. The Authority shall ensure that the joint analysis is launched within 20 days of the initial notification.	invite them to take part in the joint analysis within five days of the initial notification. To this end, the Authority shall use secured channels of communication. The FIUs in all the relevant Member States shall consider taking part in the joint analysis. If at least one other FIU accepts to join the Joint analysis team, the Authority shall ensure that the joint analysis is launched within 20 days of the initial notification promptly, taking into account the urgency of the case.	secured channels of communication. The FIUs in all the relevant Member States shall consider taking part in the joint analysis. The Authority shall ensure that the joint analysis is launched within 20 days of the initial notification.
428a			<u>The notification of the need for a joint analysis</u> as provided for in the first subparagraph shall be registered by the Authority. The Authority shall assess the relevance of the registered cases with regard to the criteria listed in paragraph 1a. To that end, the Authority shall establish and regularly update a list of cases that could be the subject of joint analysis. Based on the level of priority, the urgency of cases and available resources, the Authority shall establish a work plan and launch the joint analysis.
428b			When launching a joint analysis, the Authority shall inform the FIUs in all the relevant Member States and invite them to take part in

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		Council Mandate	the joint analysis within five days of the initial assessment. To this end, the Authority shall use secured channels of communication. The FIUs in all the relevant Member States shall consider taking part in the joint analysis.
428c			If at least one other FIU agrees to join the joint analysis, the Authority shall ensure that the joint analysis is instituted within 20 days of the initial assessment, unless the urgency of the case justifies the imposition of a shorter deadline in accordance with the criteria listed in paragraph 1a.
428d			<u>If no FIU agrees to join the joint analysis, the</u> <u>Authority may, on its own initiative, choose to</u> <u>institute a joint analysis.</u>
428e			<b>1a.</b> Where an FIU has not submitted a request to establish a joint analysis, the Authority may, on its own initiative, institute a joint analysis where it identifies cases in which:
428f			(a) an FIU's operational analyses require difficult and demanding analyses having links

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428g			(b) a number of FIUs are conducting operational analyses in which the circumstances of the case necessitate coordinated, concerted action in the Member States involved;
428h			(c) <i>it directly received information indicating a</i> suspicion of money laundering or financing of terrorism that could affect the internal market or relate to cross-border activities.
428i			The Authority shall be responsible for the establishment and composition of the joint analysis team and its coordination.
428j			<u>1b.</u> <u>Europol may take part in the joint</u> <u>analysis, subject to the agreement of any</u> <u>participating FIUs, where relevant, and within</u> <u>the limits of the responsibilities of Europol and</u> <u>for the performance of its tasks.</u>
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			<u>Paragraphs 1b, 2b and 2c shall enter into force</u> only after their transposition into the appropriate legal act.
4281			<u>1c.</u> <u>Eurojust may take part in the joint</u> <u>analysis, subject to the agreement of any</u> <u>participating FIUs, where relevant.</u>
429	2. Any FIU that declines to participate in the conduct of the joint analysis shall provide the reasons thereof in writing to the Authority, within five days of the receipt of the invitation. The Authority shall provide such explanation without delay to the FIU having identified the need for a joint analysis.	2. Any FIU that declines to participate in the conduct of the joint analysis <i>shallmay</i> provide the reasons thereof in writing to the Authority, <i>within five days of the receipt of the invitation</i> . The Authority shall provide such explanation without delay to the FIU having identified the need for a joint analysis.	2. Any FIU that declines FIUs that are concerned by a joint analysis shall have a duty to participate in the conduct of the joint analysis. Exceptionally, an FIU may decline to participate in the conduct of the joint analysis by duly explaining and justifying it shall provide the reasons thereof in writing to the Authority; in writing within five days of the receipt of the invitation. The Authority shall provide such explanation without delay to the FIU having identified the need for aother FIUs that are concerned by the joint analysis.
429a			2a. In order to bring together all relevant information at an early stage of the joint analysis and with the aim of better detecting suspicious activities or transactions, the joint analysis may encompass by default the anonymous matching of subject-matter data

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429b			2b. In order to bring together all relevant information at an early stage of the joint analysis and with the aim of carrying out financial analysis at cross-border level, Europol shall take all appropriate measures to enable the Authority to have indirect access on the basis of a hit/no hit system to data related to offences within the Authority's mandate. That hit/no hit system shall notify only Europol in the case of a hit and without prejudice to any restrictions indicated by the Member State, Union body or international organisation providing the information in question, in accordance with [please insert reference to Regulation 2016/794 (Recast)].
429c			In the case of a hit, Europol shall initiate the procedure by which the information that generated the hit is permitted to be shared, in accordance with the decision of the provider of the information to Europol, and only to the extent that the data generating the hit are necessary for the performance of the Authority's tasks.
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			2c. In order to bring together all relevant information with the aim of detecting subjects of the FIU's interests in other Member States and identifying their proceeds and funds, the Authority shall take all appropriate measures to enable Europol to have indirect access to data related to financial information and financial analysis within the limits of [please insert reference to Europol's Regulation], on the basis of a hit/no hit system, in accordance with the Authority's mandate. That hit/no hit system shall notify only the Authority in the case of a hit and without prejudice to any restrictions indicated by the FIU, Member State, Union body or international organisation providing the information in guestion.
429e			In the case of a hit, the Authority shall initiate the procedure by which the information that generated the hit may be shared, in accordance with the Authority's mandate, and only to the extent that the data generating the hit are necessary for the performance of Europol's tasks.
430	3. Upon explicit consent of the FIUs participating in the joint analysis, the staff of	3. Upon explicit consent of <u><i>all</i></u> the FIUs participating in the joint analysis, the staff of	3. Upon explicit consent of the FIUs-The joint analysis shall be supported by the participating

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	the Authority supporting the joint analysis shall be granted access to all the data pertaining to the subject-matter of the joint analysis and shall be able to process those data.	the Authority supporting the joint analysis shall be granted access to all the data pertaining to the subject-matter of the joint analysis and shall be able to process those data <i>for the purposes of conducting the joint</i> <i>analysis</i> .	<i>in the joint analysis, the staff of the</i> <i>Authority</i> : <i>FIU's delegates pursuant to Article</i> <i>35 of this Regulation. FIU delegates</i> supporting the joint analysis shall be granted access, <i>directly or indirectly</i> , to all <i>the</i> -data pertaining to the subject-matter of the joint analysis and shall be able to process those data <i>for the</i> <i>purposes of conducting the joint analysis in</i> <i>accordance with the applicable data protection</i> <i>rules, in particular in respect of receiving and</i> <i>analysing suspicious transactions and other</i> <i>information in accordance with Article 17 of</i> <i>[please insert reference – proposal for 6th</i> <i>Anti-Money Laundering Directive –</i> <i>COM/2021/423 final</i> ].
430a		3a. If unanimous consent is not obtained, the joint analysis shall be supported by FIU delegates pursuant to article 35 of this Regulation. FIU delegates supporting the joint analysis shall be granted access to all data pertaining to the subject-matter of the joint analysis and shall be able to process those data for the purposes of conducting the joint analysis. AMLA staff may provide support to the joint analysis for tasks that do not require access to operational data.	<u>Upon explicit consent of the FIUs</u> <u>participating in the joint analysis, the staff of</u> <u>the Authority supporting the joint analysis</u> <u>shall be granted access to all the data</u> <u>pertaining to the subject-matter of the joint</u> <u>analysis and shall be able to process those data</u> <u>for the purpose of conducting the joint analysis</u> <u>in accordance with the applicable data</u> <u>protection rules. If unanimous consent is not</u> <u>obtained, the staff of the Authority may</u> <u>provide other types of support to the joint</u> <u>analysis. FIUs shall remain the sole owners of</u> <u>the operational information they exchange</u> <u>with other FIUs, the Authority, Europol</u> ,

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			EPPO and Eurojust.
430b			3a. The Authority may request any information from the participating FIUs with the purpose of ensuring a better conduct of the joint analysis. If the Authority's request is denied by a participating FIU, that FIU shall provide its reasoning to the Authority.
430c			<u>3b.</u> <u>The Authority shall be granted direct,</u> <u>immediate, unrestricted and free access to the</u> <u>information available in the registers, data</u> <u>retrieval systems and mechanisms referred to</u> <u>in Chapter II of [please insert reference to</u> <u>AMLD] for the purpose of conducting joint</u> <u>analyses under this Article.</u>
430d			<u>3c.</u> <u>The Authority may transmit the results of</u> <u>a joint analysis initiated on request by an FIU</u> <u>or on its own initiative, as well as any</u> <u>additional information relating to this joint</u> <u>analysis, upon consent of participating FIUs,</u> <u>to Europol, law enforcement, and customs</u> <u>authorities where there are grounds to suspect</u> <u>money laundering, its predicate offences or</u> <u>terrorist financing.</u>

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430e			The Authority and the competent authorities shall conclude a memorandum of understanding setting out the practical modalities for cooperation in the performance of their respective tasks under Union law.
431	4. The Authority shall provide all the necessary tools and operational support required for the conduct of the particular joint analysis, in accordance with the developed methods and procedures. In particular, the Authority shall set up a dedicated, secured channel of communication for the performance of the joint analysis, and shall provide the appropriate technical coordination, including IT support, budgetary and logistical support.	4. The Authority shall provide all the necessary tools and, <i>where relevant</i> , operational support required for the conduct of the particular joint analysis, in accordance with the developed methods and procedures. In particular, the Authority shall set up a dedicated, secured channel of communication for the performance of the joint analysis, and shall provide the appropriate technical coordination, including IT support, budgetary and logistical support.	4. The Authority shall provide all the necessary tools and operational support required for the conduct of the particular joint analysis, in accordance with the developed methods and procedures. In particular, the Authority shall set up a dedicated, secured channel of communication for the performance of the joint analysis, and shall provide the appropriate technical coordination, including IT support, budgetary and logistical support.
431a		5. The FIUs participating in the joint analysis shall, on the basis of unanimity, grant prior consent for disseminating the outputs of the joint analysis and define the arrangements for such dissemination.	
432	Article 34 Review of the methods, procedures and conduct	Article 34 Review of the methods, procedures and	Article 34 Review of the methods, procedures and conduct

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433	1. The Authority shall ensure that the methods and procedures established for the conduct of the joint analyses are periodically reviewed and updated where necessary.	1. The Authority shall <i>ensure that</i> <i>theestablish</i> methods and procedures <i>established</i> for the conduct of the joint analyses <i>areand</i> periodically <i>reviewed and</i> <i>updated</i> <u>review and update them</u> where necessary. <u>Such review and update shall</u> <i>also apply to the procedures referred to in</i> <i>article 33 (1a).</i>	1. The Authority shall ensure that the methods and procedures established for the conduct of the joint analyses <u>referred to in Article 33</u> are periodically reviewed and updated where necessary.
434	2. The FIUs that participated or were otherwise involved in one or more joint analyses may provide their feedback on the conduct of the analysis, including feedback on the operational support provided by the Authority in the process of the joint analysis, as well as feedback on the outcome of the analysis working methods and arrangements in place, the tools available and the coordination between the participating FIUs. The feedback may be labelled as confidential, in which case it will not be shared with other FIUs.	2. The FIUs that participated or were otherwise involved in one or more joint analyses may provide their feedback <u>to the</u> <u>Authority</u> on the conduct of the analysis, including, <u>where relevant</u> , feedback on the operational support provided by the Authority in the process of the joint analysis, as well as feedback on the outcome of the analysis working methods and arrangements in place, the tools available and the coordination between the participating FIUs. <u>The feedback may be labelled as</u> confidential, in which case it will not be shared with other FIUs.	2. The FIUs that participated or were otherwise involved in one or more joint analyses may provide their feedback <u>to the Authority</u> on the conduct of the analysis, including feedback on the operational support provided by the Authority in the process of the joint analysis, as well as feedback on the outcome of the analysis working methods and arrangements in place, the tools available and the coordination between the participating FIUs. The feedback may be labelled as confidential, in which case it will not be shared with other FIUs.
435	3. On the basis of the feedback referred to in	3. On the basis of the feedback referred to in	3. On the basis of the feedback referred to in

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	paragraph 2, or on its own initiative, the Authority may issue follow-up reports relating to the conduct of joint analyses, including specific suggestions on adjustments regarding the methods and procedures for the conduct of the joint analyses, and conclusions on the outcome of the joint analyses. The procedural and operational aspects of the follow-up report shall be shared with all FIUs, without disclosing confidential or restricted information on the case. The conclusions and recommendations relating to the conduct of the joint analyses shall be shared with the FIUs that participated in the relevant joint analyses, and with all the other FIUs insofar as these conclusions do not contain confidential or restricted information.	paragraph 2, or on its own initiative, the Authority may issue follow up reports relating to the conduct of joint analyses <u>The</u> <u>Authority shall establish procedures for</u> <u>gathering, sharing and taking stock of the</u> <u>feedback obtained pursuant to paragraph 2</u> , including <u>specific suggestions on</u> <u>adjustments regarding the methods and</u> <u>procedures for the conduct of the joint</u> <u>analyses, and</u> conclusions on the outcome of the joint analyses. <u>The procedural and</u> <u>operational aspects of the follow up report</u> <u>shall be shared with all FIUs, without</u> <u>disclosing confidential or restricted</u> <u>information on the case. The conclusions and</u> <u>recommendations relating to</u> , <u>in order to</u> <u>adjust the methods and procedures for</u> the conduct of <u>the</u> joint <u>analyses shall be shared</u> with the FIUs that participated in the <u>relevant joint analyses, and with all the other</u> <u>FIUs insofar as these conclusions do not</u> <u>contain confidential or restricted</u> <u>information_unalysis</u> .	paragraph 2, or on its own initiative, the Authority may issue follow-up reports relating to the conduct of joint analyses, including specific suggestions on adjustments regarding the methods and procedures for the conduct of the joint analyses, and conclusions on the outcome of the joint analyses. The procedural and operational aspects of the follow-up report shall be shared with all FIUs, without disclosing confidential or restricted information on the case. The conclusions and recommendations relating to the conduct of the joint analyses shall be shared with the FIUs that participated in the relevant joint analyses, and with all the other FIUs insofar as these conclusions do not contain confidential or restricted information.
43	36 Article 35 National FIU delegates	Article 35 National FIU delegates	Article 35 National FIU delegates
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	one staff member to the Authority. The national FIU delegate shall have his or her regular place of work at the seat of the Authority.	delegate one staff member to the Authority. The national FIU delegate shall have his or her regular place of work at the seat of the Authority.	delegate one <u>or more</u> staff <u>membermembers</u> to the Authority. The <u>national FIU delegate shall</u> <u>have his or her regular place of workregular</u> <u>place of work of the national FIU delegate</u> <u>shall be</u> at the seat of the Authority.
438	2. FIU delegates shall have the status of staff personnel of the delegating FIU at the time of their appointment and for the entire duration of their delegation. Member States shall appoint their FIU delegate on the basis of a proven high level of relevant, practical experience in the field of FIU tasks. The salaries and emoluments of the FIU delegate shall be borne by the delegating FIU.	2. FIU delegates shall have the status of staff personnel of the delegating FIU at the time of their appointment and for the entire duration of their delegation. Member States shall appoint their FIU delegate on the basis of a proven high level of relevant, practical experience in the field of FIU tasks. The <u>FIU</u> <u>delegate shall remain under the authority of</u> <u>the delegating FIU and shall comply with</u> <u>the security and confidentiality rules of the</u> <u>delegate shall provent the solution of the fIU</u> delegate shall be borne by the delegating FIU.	<b>21a</b> . FIU delegates shall have the status of staff personnel of the delegating FIU at the time of their appointment and for the entire duration of their delegation. <i>Member States The delegating FIU</i> shall <i>appoint their facilitate the exercise of the functions of the</i> FIU delegate <i>on the basis of a proven high level of relevant, practical experience in the field of FIU tasks. The salaries and emoluments of and refrain from any action or policy that could adversely affect the FIU delegate's career or status in the national system. In particular, the delegating FIU shall provide the FIU delegate with the resources and equipment necessary to exercise its functions under this Regulation, and shall ensure that the FIU delegate <i>shall be borne by the delegating remains fully integrated into its</i> FIU.</i>
438a			<u>Member States shall appoint their FIU</u> <u>delegate on the basis of a proven high level of</u> <u>relevant, practical experience in the field of</u>

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			FIU tasks. The independence of FIU delegates shall be beyond doubt and they shall not seek nor take instructions from Union institutions, bodies, offices or agencies, nor from any government or any other public or private body in the performance of their duties under this Regulation. The salaries and emoluments of the FIU delegate shall be borne by the delegating FIU.
439	3. The term of office of the FIU delegates shall be three years, renewable once with consent of the delegating FIU.	3. The term of office of the FIU delegates shall be three years, renewable once with consent of the delegating FIU.	3. The General Board in FIU composition may reject a person who has been appointed as FIU delegate if that person does not fulfil the criteria referred to in paragraph 2. The term of office of the FIU delegates shall be three years, renewable once with consent of the delegating FIU.
440	4. FIU delegates shall support the Authority in carrying out the tasks set out in Article 5(5). To that end, the national FIU delegates shall be granted access to the Authority's data and information necessary for the performance of their tasks for the duration of the delegation.	4. FIU delegates shall support the Authority in carrying out the tasks set out in Article 5(5). To that end, the national FIU delegates shall be granted access to the Authority's data and information necessary for the performance of their tasks for the duration of the delegation.	4. FIU delegates shall support the Authority in carrying out the tasks set out in Article 5(5). To that end, the national FIU delegates shall be granted access to the Authority's data and information necessary for the performance of their tasks for the duration of the delegation.
441	5. FIU delegates may be granted access to any	5. FIU delegates may be granted access to	5. FIU delegates <i>mayshall</i> be granted access to

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	data accessible by their delegating FIU for the purposes of carrying out the tasks referred to in paragraph 4, subject to consent of their delegating FIU.	any data accessible by their delegating FIU for the purposes of carrying out the tasks referred to in paragraph 4, subject to consent of their delegating FIU.	any data accessible by their delegating FIU for the purposes of carrying out the tasks referred to in paragraph 4, <i>subject to consent of their</i> <i>delegating FIU</i> .
442	6. The Executive Board shall determine the rights and obligations of the FIU delegates in relation to the Authority.	6. The Executive Board shall determine the rights and obligations of the FIU delegates in relation to the Authority <i>in agreement with the General Board in FIU composition.</i> <i>FIUs shall ensure that their FIU delegate complies with those rights and obligations</i> .	6. The Executive Board shall determine the rights and obligations of the FIU delegates in relation to the Authority. <u>Adequate</u> arrangements shall be in place to ensure that the FIU delegate's rights relating to social security, pension and insurance coverage under the national scheme are maintained. The total remuneration of the FIU delegate shall not be lower than what it would be if that FIU delegate had chosen to remain only a member of staff of the delegating FIU.
442a		6a. <u>The rights and obligations of FIU</u> <u>delegates referred to in the first</u> <u>subparagraph shall not be in conflict with</u> <u>the national laws transposing Chapter III of</u> <u>Directive [please insert reference – proposal</u> <u>for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive -</u> <u>COM/2021/423 final] and shall be without</u> <u>prejudice to the security and confidentiality</u> <u>rules of FIUs.</u>	
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444	1. In the context of promoting cooperation and support of the work of the FIUs, the Authority shall organise and facilitate at least the following activities:	1. In the context of promoting cooperation and support of the work of the FIUs, the Authority, <i>taking into account the needs of</i> <i>FIUs</i> , shall <i>promote common approaches</i> , <i>methods and best practices. The Authority</i> <i>shall also</i> organise and facilitate at least the following activities:	1. In the context of promoting cooperation and support of the work of the FIUs, <i>and taking into account their needs</i> , the Authority shall organise and facilitate at least the following activities:
445	(a) training programmes, including with respect to technological innovation;	(a) training programmes, including with respect to technological innovation;	(a) training programmes, including with respect to technological innovation;
446	(b) personnel exchanges and secondment schemes, including secondment of FIU staff from a Member State to the Authority;	(b) personnel exchanges and secondment schemes, including secondment of FIU staff from a Member State to the Authority;	(b) personnel exchanges and secondment schemes, including secondment of FIU staff from a Member State to the Authority;
447	(c) exchanges of practices between FIUs, including sharing expertise in a specific area.	(c) exchanges of practices between FIUs, including sharing expertise in a specific area.	(c) exchanges of practices between FIUs, including sharing expertise in a specific area.
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			(ca) access to operational analysis tools and commercially-held data and the provision of training to the staff of the Authority and of FIUs on how to use them;
447b		(d) development or procurement of IT tools and services to enhance the analysis capabilities of FIUs.	(cb) development or procurement of IT tools and services to enhance the analysis methods of FIUs.
448	2. Any FIU may submit to the Authority a request for assistance related to the tasks of the FIU, specifying the type of assistance that can be provided by the staff of the Authority, the staff of one or more than one FIU, or a combination thereof. The FIU requesting assistance shall ensure the access to any information and data necessary for the provision of such assistance. The Authority shall keep and regularly update information on specific areas of expertise and capacity of FIUs to provide mutual assistance.	2. Any FIU may submit to the Authority a request for assistance related to the tasks of the FIU, specifying the type of assistance that can be provided by the staff of the Authority, the staff of one or more than one FIU, or a combination thereof. The FIU requesting assistance shall ensure the access to any information and data necessary for the provision of such assistance. The Authority shall keep and regularly update information on specific areas of expertise and capacity of FIUs to provide mutual assistance.	2. Any FIU may submit to the Authority a request for assistance related to the tasks of the FIU, specifying the type of assistance that can be provided by the staff of the Authority, the staff of one or more than one FIU, or a combination thereof. The FIU requesting assistance shall ensure the access to any information and data necessary for the provision of such assistance. The Authority shall keep and regularly update information on specific areas of expertise and capacity of FIUs to provide mutual assistance <b>related to the tasks of FIUs</b> .
449	3. The Authority shall make every effort to provide the requested assistance, including by considering the support to be provided with its own human resources as well as coordinating and facilitating the provision of any form of	3. The Authority shall make every effort to provide the requested assistance, including by considering the support to be provided with its own human resources as well as coordinating and facilitating the provision of	3. The Authority shall make every effort to provide the requested assistance, including by considering the support to be provided with its own human resources as well as coordinating and facilitating the provision of any form of

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	assistance by other FIUs on a voluntary basis.	any form of assistance by other FIUs on a voluntary basis.	assistance by other FIUs on a voluntary basis.	
450	4. At the beginning of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in FIU composition of the human resources that the Authority can allocate to providing the assistance referred to in the previous paragraph. When changes occur to the availability of human resources due to performance of tasks referred to in Article 5(5), the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in FIU composition thereof.	4. At the beginning of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in FIU composition of the human resources that the Authority can allocate to providing the assistance referred to in the previous paragraph. When changes occur to the availability of human resources due to performance of tasks referred to in Article 5(5), the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in FIU composition thereof.	4. At the beginning of each year, the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in FIU composition of the human resources that the Authority can allocate to providing the assistance referred to in the previous paragraph. When changes occur to the availability of human resources due to performance of tasks referred to in Article 5(5), the Chair of the Authority shall inform the General Board in FIU composition thereof.	
451	Article 37 FIU.net	Article 37 FIU.net	Article 37 FIU.net	
452	1. The Authority shall ensure adequate and uninterrupted hosting, management, maintenance, and development of the FIU.net. The Authority shall, in cooperation with the Member States, ensure that the most advanced available technology is used for the FIU.net, subject to a cost-benefit analysis.	1. The Authority shall ensure adequate and uninterrupted hosting, management, maintenance, and development of the FIU.net. The Authority shall, <i>in cooperation</i> <i>with the Member States</i> , ensure that the most advanced available technology is used for the FIU.net, <i>taking into account the needs of</i> <i>FIUs</i> , subject to a cost-benefit analysis.	1. The Authority shall ensure adequate , <u>uninterrupted and secure</u> and <u>uninterrupted</u> hosting, management, maintenance, and development of the FIU.net. <u>Taking into</u> <u>account the needs of FIUs</u> , the Authority shall, in cooperation with the Member States, ensure that the most advanced <u>and secure</u> available technology is used for the FIU.net, <u>subject to a</u> <del>cost-benefit analysis</del> .	

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453	2. The Authority shall ensure uninterrupted functioning of the FIU.net and keep it and up to date. Where necessary to support or strengthen the exchange of information and cooperation between the FIUs and based on the needs of FIUs, the Authority shall design and implement, or otherwise make available, upgraded or additional functionalities of FIU.net.	2. The Authority shall ensure uninterrupted functioning of the FIU.net and keep it <i>and up</i> <i>to dateup-to-date</i> . Where necessary to support or strengthen the exchange of information and cooperation between the FIUs and based on the needs of FIUs, the Authority shall design and implement, or otherwise make available, upgraded or additional functionalities of FIU.net.	2. The Authority shall ensure uninterrupted functioning of the FIU.net and keep it <i>and</i> -up to date. Where necessary to support or strengthen the exchange of information and cooperation between the FIUs and based on the needs of FIUs, the Authority shall, <i>after consulting the</i> <i>EDPS</i> , design and implement, or otherwise make available, upgraded or additional functionalities of FIU.net.
454	3. The Authority shall be responsible for the following tasks relating to the FIU.net:	3. The Authority shall <i>also</i> be responsible for the following tasks relating to the FIU.net:	3. The Authority shall <i>also</i> be responsible for the following tasks relating to the FIU.net:
455	(a) ensure the required level of security of the system, including the implementation of the appropriate technical and organizational measures to address and mitigate data protection risks;	(a) <i>implement appropriate technical and</i> organizational measures to ensure the required <u>a</u> level of security of the system, including the implementation of the appropriate technical and organizational measures to address and mitigate data protection risksappropriate to the risk of data breaches and to data subject rights, including the keeping of appropriate information access records and logs;	(a) ensure the required implement appropriate technical and organizational measures to ensure a level of security of the system, including the implementation of the appropriate technical and organizational measures to address and mitigate data protection risksappropriate to the data protection risks with a view to ensuring data subject rights, including the keeping of appropriate information, access records and logs;

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456	(b) coordinate, manage and support any testing activities;	(b) <i>plan</i> , coordinate, manage and support any testing activities;	(b) <i>plan</i> , coordinate, manage and support any testing activities;
457	(c) ensure adequate financial resources;	(c) ensure adequate financial resources;	(c) ensure adequate financial resources;
458	(d) provide training on the technical use of FIU.net by end-users.	(d) provide training on the technical use of FIU.net by end-users.	(d) provide training on the technical use of FIU.net by end-users.
459	4. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks referred to in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3, the Authority shall be empowered to conclude or enter into legally binding contracts or agreements with third party service providers.	4. For the purposes of carrying out <u>In order</u> to support its implementation of the tasks referred to in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3, the Authority shall be empowered to conclude or enter into legally binding contracts or agreements with third party service providers, after appropriate audits of their security standards.	4. For the purposes of carrying out the tasks referred to in paragraphs 1, 2 and 3, the Authority shall be empowered to conclude or enter into legally binding contracts or agreements with third party service providers, <i>after appropriate audits of their security standards</i> .
460	5. The Authority shall adopt and implement the measures necessary for fulfilment of the tasks referred to in this Article, including a security plan, a business continuity plan and a disaster recovery plan for the FIU.net.	5. The Authority shall adopt and implement the measures necessary for fulfilment of the tasks referred to in this Article, including a security plan, a business continuity plan and a disaster recovery plan for the FIU.net.	5. The Authority shall adopt and implement the measures necessary for fulfilment of the tasks referred to in this Article, including a security plan, a business continuity plan and a disaster recovery plan for the FIU.net.

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460a			5a. The General Board in FIU composition may unanimously decide to suspend the access by a specific FIU to FIU.net where the report of the peer review in accordance with Article 36a concludes that requirements relating to the independence, integrity, professionalism, confidentiality or security of that FIU, as set out in Article 17 of the [please insert reference - proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final], have not been fulfilled. The affected FIU shall not vote. When it issues the decision of suspension, the Authority shall also issue an assessment which explains and indicates the follow-up measures required to be complied with in order for the suspension to be lifted. The Authority shall evaluate the actions taken by the FIU concerned no later than three months after issuing the decision of suspension.
460b		6. <u>The Authority shall not have access to</u> the content of the information exchanged within FIU.net, except where it is an intended recipient of such information.	
460c			<u>Article 37a</u> <u>Peer review</u>

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460d			1. The Authority shall periodically conduct peer reviews of the fulfilment by FIUs of the requirements laid down in Chapter III of Directive [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive - COM/2021/423 final]. To that end, the Authority shall develop methods to allow for an objective assessment and comparison between FIUs reviewed.
460e			2. The peer reviews shall be carried out by the staff of the Authority in cooperation with the staff of FIUs.
460f			<u>3.</u> <u>The peer review may include an assessment</u> <u>of:</u>
460g			(a) the adequacy of powers and human and technical resources, the governance arrangements and professional standards of the FIU under review;
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		Council Mandate	(b) the effectiveness and the degree of convergence reached in the application of Union law and in FIUs practice with regard to the functions and dissemination of analyses, and the extent to which the practice of the FIU under review achieves the objectives set out in Union law in that regard;
460i			(c) the effectiveness and the degree of convergence reached with regard to the methods and procedures in view of the functions and dissemination of analyses;
460j			(d) the effectiveness and the degree of cooperation and coordination with other FIUs;
460k			(e) the application of best practices developed by FIUs whose adoption might be of benefit for other FIUs.
4601			4. <u>The Authority shall produce a report setting</u> out the results of the peer review. That peer review report shall be prepared by the staff of the Authority in cooperation with the staff of FIUs and adopted by the Executive Board,

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			which shall share it in a timely manner with that FIU. The report shall explain and indicate the follow-up measures that are deemed appropriate, proportionate and necessary as a result of the peer review. Those follow-up measures may be adopted in the form of guidelines and recommendations pursuant to Article 43 and opinions pursuant to Article 44. The FIU shall make every effort to comply with any guidelines and recommendations issued, in accordance with Article 43. The Authority shall transmit such reports without delay, on a confidential basis, at least to the European Parliament.
460m			5. The Authority shall publish a summary of the findings of the peer review on its website and submit an opinion to the Commission where, having regard to the outcome of the peer review or to any other information acquired by the Authority in carrying out its tasks, it considers that further harmonisation of Union rules applicable to obliged entities or FIUs would be necessary from the Union's perspective.
460n			<u>6. The Authority shall provide a follow-up</u> report two years after the publication of the

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			peer review report. The follow-up report shall be prepared by the staff of the Authority in cooperation with the staff of FIUs and adopted by the Executive Board, which shall share it in a timely manner with the FIU under review. The follow-up report shall include an assessment of the adequacy and effectiveness of the actions undertaken by the FIUs that were subject to the peer review in response to the follow-up measures of the peer review report. The Authority shall publish the findings of the follow-up report on its website.
4600			7. For the purposes of this Article, the Executive Board shall adopt a peer review work plan every two years, which shall reflect the lessons learnt from the past peer review processes and discussions held in the General Board in FIU composition. The peer review work plan shall constitute a separate part of the annual and multiannual working programme and shall be included in the Single Programming Document. In cases of urgency or unforeseen events, the Authority may decide to carry out additional peer reviews.
460p			<u>SECTION 6a</u> <u>COMPETENCES ON</u> <u>TARGETED FINANCIAL SANCTIONS</u>

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460q			<u>Article -38</u> <u>Cooperation with the authorities responsible</u> <u>for targeted financial sanctions</u>
460r			<b>1.</b> The Authority shall be responsible for the effective and consistent supervision of both obliged entities as well as competent authorities in respect of the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions.
460s			2. The Authority and the authorities competent for the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions shall cooperate in good faith and exchange information with each other.
460t			<u>Article -38a</u> <u>Powers on targeted financial sanctions</u>
460u			<b><u>1.</u></b> For the purposes of carrying out its tasks referred to in Article 5(4a), the Authority shall:

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460v			(a) ensure the provision of outreach activities and communicate to obliged entities information relating to targeted financial sanctions for the purposes of improving compliance, including by managing a consolidated list of persons, groups and entities subject to targeted financial sanctions;
460w			(b) monitor the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions across Member States, supporting competent authorities in their efforts to apply targeted financial sanctions, including by acting as a central contact point for competent authorities for sharing information on designated persons, their assets and controlled legal entities;
460x			(c) provide guidance and assistance in the application of targeted financial sanctions- related obligations.
460y			<u>Article -38b</u> <u>Exchange of information</u>

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460z			1. The Authority and the authorities competent for the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions shall exchange, spontaneously or upon request, any information that might be relevant for the purposes of preparing, adopting, supervising or enforcing targeted financial sanctions.
460aa			<u>A request shall contain the relevant facts,</u> <u>background information, reasons for the</u> <u>request and how the information sought is</u> <u>intended to be used. All information</u> <u>transmitted or obtained in accordance with this</u> <u>paragraph shall be covered by the strictest</u> <u>obligations of confidentiality.</u>
460ab			2. The Authority shall develop draft implementing technical standards to specify the procedures to be put in place for forwarding and receiving the information referred to in paragraph 1, as well as the format to be used for its exchange. The Authority shall submit those draft implementing technical standards to the Commission by [two years after the date of entry into force of this Regulation].

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460ac			3. <u>The Commission is empowered to adopt the</u> <u>implementing technical standards referred to</u> <u>in paragraph 2 of this Article in accordance</u> <u>with Article 42.</u>
460ad			4. Where the Authority or an authority competent for the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions is requested to provide information pursuant to paragraph 1, it shall respond to the request as soon as possible.
460ae			<u>Article -38c</u> <u>Statistics</u>
460af			1. <u>The Authority shall maintain</u> <u>comprehensive statistics on matters relevant to</u> <u>the effectiveness of targeted financial</u> <u>sanctions in order to review the effectiveness of</u> <u>the frameworks for the implementation and</u> <u>enforcement of targeted financial sanctions.</u>
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			2. <u>The statistics referred to in paragraph 1</u> <u>shall include:</u>
460ah			(a) data measuring the reporting, investigation and judicial phases of the targeted financial sanctions, including the number of cases investigated, the number of persons prosecuted, the number of persons convicted for non-implementation, circumvention or other predicated offences related to targeted financial sanctions, as well as the value in euro of property that has been frozen, seized or confiscated in relation to persons designated by targeted financial sanctions;
460ai			(b) the number of accounts, amounts and economic resources frozen resulting from targeted financial sanctions;
460aj			(c) data regarding the number of cross-border requests for information that were made, received, refused and partially or fully answered by the authorities competent for the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions, broken down by counterpart country, including third countries;

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460ak			(d) human and financial resources allocated to the authorities competent for the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions;
460al			(e) the number of on-site and off-site supervisory actions, the number of breaches identified on the basis of supervisory actions and sanctions or administrative measures applied by supervisory authorities and self- regulatory bodies pursuant to Section 4 of Chapter IV [please insert reference to the <u>AMLD - COM(2021)423] and related to</u> targeted financial sanctions;
460am			(f) the number and type of detected instances of breaches, circumvention and attempts at breach or circumvention in relation to targeted financial sanctions, and sanctions or administrative measures applied in relation to those breaches, as well as the number of inspections carried out by the entity in charge of the central register pursuant to Article 10(8) of [please insert reference to the AMLD - COM(2021)423].
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			3. The authorities competent for the implementation and enforcement of targeted financial sanctions shall ensure that the statistics referred to in paragraph 2 are collected and transmitted to the Commission and the Authority on an annual basis. The Authority shall store those statistics in the database referred to in Article 11.
460ao			4. The Authority shall develop draft implementing technical standards to develop the methodology for the collection of the statistics referred to in paragraph 2. It shall submit those draft implementing technical standards to the Commission by [two years after the date of entry into force of this Regulation].
460ap			5. The Commission is empowered to adopt the implementing technical standards referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article in accordance with Article 42.
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463	1. Where the European Parliament and the Council delegate power to the Commission to adopt regulatory technical standards by means of delegated acts pursuant to Article 290 TFEU in order to ensure consistent harmonisation in the areas specifically set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may develop draft regulatory technical standards. The Authority shall submit its draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission for adoption. At the same time, the Authority shall forward those draft regulatory technical standards for information to the European Parliament and to the Council.	1. Where the European Parliament and the Council delegate power to the Commission to adopt regulatory technical standards by means of delegated acts pursuant to Article 290 TFEU in order to ensure consistent harmonisation in the areas specifically set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may develop draft regulatory technical standards. The Authority shall submit its draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission for adoption. At the same time, the Authority shall forward those draft regulatory technical standards for information to the European Parliament and to the Council.	1. Where the European Parliament and the Council delegate power to the Commission to adopt regulatory technical standards by means of delegated acts pursuant to Article 290 TFEU in order to ensure consistent harmonisation in the areas specifically set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may develop draft regulatory technical standards. The Authority shall submit its draft regulatory technical standards to the Commission for adoption. At the same time, the Authority shall forward those draft regulatory technical standards for information to the European Parliament and to the Council.
464	Regulatory technical standards shall be technical, shall not imply strategic decisions or policy choices and their content shall be delimited by the legislative acts on which they are based.	Regulatory technical standards shall be technical, shall not imply strategic decisions or policy choices and their content shall be delimited by the legislative acts on which they are based.	Regulatory technical standards shall be technical, shall not imply strategic decisions or policy choices and their content shall be delimited by the legislative acts on which they are based.
465	Before submitting them to the Commission, the	Before submitting them to the Commission,	Before submitting them to the Commission, the

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	Authority shall conduct open public consultations on draft regulatory technical standards and shall analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless those consultations and analyses are highly disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft regulatory technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	the Authority shall conduct open public consultations on draft regulatory technical standards and shall analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless those consultations and analyses are highly disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft regulatory technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	Authority shall conduct open public consultations, <i>including with civil society</i> , on draft regulatory technical standards and shall analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless those consultations and analyses are highly disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft regulatory technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.
466	Within three months of receipt of a draft regulatory technical standard, the Commission shall decide whether to adopt it. The Commission shall inform the European Parliament and the Council in due time where the adoption cannot take place within the three- month period. The Commission may adopt the draft regulatory technical standard in part only, or with amendments, where the Union's interests so require.	Within three months of receipt of a draft regulatory technical standard, the Commission shall decide whether to adopt it. The Commission shall inform the European Parliament and the Council in due time where the adoption cannot take place within the three-month period. The Commission may adopt the draft regulatory technical standard in part only, or with amendments, where the Union's interests so require.	Within three months of receipt of a draft regulatory technical standard, the Commission shall decide whether to adopt it. The Commission shall inform the European Parliament and the Council in due time where the adoption cannot take place within the three- month period. The Commission may adopt the draft regulatory technical standard in part only, or with amendments, where the Union's interests so require.
467	Where the Commission intends not to adopt a draft regulatory technical standard or to adopt it in part or with amendments, it shall send the draft regulatory technical standard back to the Authority, explaining why it does not adopt it or explaining the reasons for its amendments.	Where the Commission intends not to adopt a draft regulatory technical standard or to adopt it in part or with amendments, it shall send the draft regulatory technical standard back to the Authority, explaining why it does not adopt it or explaining the reasons for its amendments.	Where the Commission intends not to adopt a draft regulatory technical standard or to adopt it in part or with amendments, it shall send the draft regulatory technical standard back to the Authority, explaining why it does not adopt it or explaining the reasons for its amendments.

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468	The Commission shall send a copy of its letter to the European Parliament and to the Council. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft regulatory technical standard on the basis of the Commission's proposed amendments and resubmit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	The Commission shall send a copy of its letter to the European Parliament and to the Council. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft regulatory technical standard on the basis of the Commission's proposed amendments and resubmit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	The Commission shall send a copy of its letter to the European Parliament and to the Council. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft regulatory technical standard on the basis of the Commission's proposed amendments and resubmit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.
469	If, on the expiry of that six-week period, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard, or has submitted a draft regulatory technical standard that is not amended in a way consistent with the Commission's proposed amendments, the Commission may adopt the regulatory technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant, or reject it.	If, on the expiry of that six-week period, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard, or has submitted a draft regulatory technical standard that is not amended in a way consistent with the Commission's proposed amendments, the Commission may adopt the regulatory technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant, or reject it.	If, on the expiry of that six-week period, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard, or has submitted a draft regulatory technical standard that is not amended in a way consistent with the Commission's proposed amendments, the Commission may adopt the regulatory technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant, or reject it.
470	The Commission may not change the content of a draft regulatory technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.	The Commission may not change the content of a draft regulatory technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.	The Commission may not change the content of a draft regulatory technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.

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	2. Where the Authority has not submitted a draft regulatory technical standard within the	2. Where the Authority has not submitted a draft regulatory technical standard within the	2. Where the Authority has not submitted a draft regulatory technical standard within the
471	time limit set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), the Commission may request such a draft within a new time limit. The Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, in due time, that it will not comply with the new time limit.	time limit set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), the Commission may request such a draft within a new time limit. The Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, in due time, that it will not comply with the new time limit.	time limit set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), the Commission may request such a draft within a new time limit. The Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, in due time, that it will not comply with the new time limit.
472	3. Only where the Authority does not submit a draft regulatory technical standard to the Commission within the time limits in accordance with paragraph 2, may the Commission adopt a regulatory technical standard by means of a delegated act without a draft from the Authority.	3. Only where the Authority does not submit a draft regulatory technical standard to the Commission within the time limits in accordance with paragraph 2, may the Commission adopt a regulatory technical standard by means of a delegated act without a draft from the Authority.	3. Only where the Authority does not submit a draft regulatory technical standard to the Commission within the time limits in accordance with paragraph 2, may the Commission adopt a regulatory technical standard by means of a delegated act without a draft from the Authority.
473	The Commission shall conduct open public consultations on draft regulatory technical standards and analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft regulatory technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	The Commission shall conduct open public consultations on draft regulatory technical standards and analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft regulatory technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the	The Commission shall conduct open public consultations, <i>including with civil society</i> , on draft regulatory technical standards and analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft regulatory technical standards concerned or in relation to the

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474	The Commission shall immediately forward the draft regulatory technical standard to the European Parliament and the Council.	The Commission shall immediately forward the draft regulatory technical standard to the European Parliament and the Council.	The Commission shall immediately forward the draft regulatory technical standard to the European Parliament and the Council.
475	The Commission shall send its draft regulatory technical standard to the Authority. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft regulatory technical standard and submit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	The Commission shall send its draft regulatory technical standard to the Authority. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft regulatory technical standard and submit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	The Commission shall send its draft regulatory technical standard to the Authority. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft regulatory technical standard and submit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.
476	If on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard, the Commission may adopt the regulatory technical standard.	If on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard, the Commission may adopt the regulatory technical standard.	If on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard, the Commission may adopt the regulatory technical standard.
477	If the Authority has submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard within the six-	If the Authority has submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard within the	If the Authority has submitted an amended draft regulatory technical standard within the six-

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	week period, the Commission may amend the draft regulatory technical standard on the basis of the Authority's proposed amendments or adopt the regulatory technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant. The Commission shall not change the content of the draft regulatory technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.	six-week period, the Commission may amend the draft regulatory technical standard on the basis of the Authority's proposed amendments or adopt the regulatory technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant. The Commission shall not change the content of the draft regulatory technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.	week period, the Commission may amend the draft regulatory technical standard on the basis of the Authority's proposed amendments or adopt the regulatory technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant. The Commission shall not change the content of the draft regulatory technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.
478	4. The regulatory technical standards shall be adopted by means of regulations or decisions. The words 'regulatory technical standard' shall appear in the title of such regulations or decisions. Those standards shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and shall enter into force on the date stated therein.	4. The regulatory technical standards shall be adopted by means of regulations or decisions. The words 'regulatory technical standard' shall appear in the title of such regulations or decisions. Those standards shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and shall enter into force on the date stated therein.	4. The regulatory technical standards shall be adopted by means of regulations or decisions. The words 'regulatory technical standard' shall appear in the title of such regulations or decisions. Those standards shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and shall enter into force on the date stated therein.
479	Article 39 Exercise of the delegation	Article 39 Exercise of the delegation	Article 39 Exercise of the delegation
480	1. The power to adopt regulatory technical standards referred to in Article 38 shall be conferred on the Commission for a period of four years from [OP please insert the date =	1. The power to adopt regulatory technical standards referred to in Article 38 shall be conferred on the Commission for a period of four years from [OP please insert the date =	1. The power to adopt regulatory technical standards referred to in Article 38 shall be conferred on the Commission for a period of four years from [OP please insert the date =

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	from the date of entry into force of this Regulation]. The Commission shall draw up a report in respect of the delegated power not later than 6 months before the end of the 4-year period. The delegation of power shall be automatically extended for periods of an identical duration.	<b>Council Mandate</b> from the date of entry into force of this Regulation]. The Commission shall draw up a report in respect of the delegated power not later than 6 months before the end of the 4- year period. The delegation of power shall be automatically extended for periods of an identical duration.	from the date of entry into force of this Regulation]. The Commission shall draw up a report in respect of the delegated power not later than 6 months before the end of the 4-year period. The delegation of power shall be automatically extended for periods of an identical duration.
481	2. As soon as it adopts a regulatory technical standard, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.	2. As soon as it adopts a regulatory technical standard, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.	2. As soon as it adopts a regulatory technical standard, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.
482	3. The power to adopt regulatory technical standards is conferred on the Commission subject to the conditions laid down in Articles 38, 40 and 41.	3. The power to adopt regulatory technical standards is conferred on the Commission subject to the conditions laid down in Articles 38, 40 and 41.	3. The power to adopt regulatory technical standards is conferred on the Commission subject to the conditions laid down in Articles 38, 40 and 41.
483	Article 40 Objections to regulatory technical standards	Article 40 Objections to regulatory technical standards	Article 40 Objections to regulatory technical standards
484	1. The European Parliament or the Council may object to a regulatory technical standard within a period of three months from the date of notification of the regulatory technical standard	1. The European Parliament or the Council may object to a regulatory technical standard within a period of three months from the date of notification of the regulatory technical	1. The European Parliament or the Council may object to a regulatory technical standard within a period of three months from the date of notification of the regulatory technical standard

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	adopted by the Commission. At the initiative of the European Parliament or the Council that period shall be extended by three months.	standard adopted by the Commission. At the initiative of the European Parliament or the Council that period shall be extended by three months.	adopted by the Commission. At the initiative of the European Parliament or the Council that period shall be extended by three months.
485	2. If, on the expiry of the period referred to in paragraph 1, neither the European Parliament nor the Council has objected to the regulatory technical standard, it shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and shall enter into force on the date stated therein.	2. If, on the expiry of the period referred to in paragraph 1, neither the European Parliament nor the Council has objected to the regulatory technical standard, it shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and shall enter into force on the date stated therein.	2. If, on the expiry of the period referred to in paragraph 1, neither the European Parliament nor the Council has objected to the regulatory technical standard, it shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and shall enter into force on the date stated therein.
485			
486	The regulatory technical standard may be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and enter into force before the expiry of that period if the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission of their intention not to raise objections.	The regulatory technical standard may be published in the Official Journal of the European Union and enter into force before the expiry of that period if the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission of their intention not to raise objections.	The regulatory technical standard may be published in the <i>Official Journal of the</i> <i>European UnionOfficial Journal of the</i> <i>European Union</i> and enter into force before the expiry of <i>thatthe</i> period <i>referred to in</i> <i>paragraph 1</i> if the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission of their intention not to raise objections.
487	3. If either the European Parliament or the Council objects to a regulatory technical standard within the period referred to in	3. If either the European Parliament or the Council objects to a regulatory technical standard within the period referred to in	3. If either the European Parliament or the Council objects to a regulatory technical standard within the period referred to in

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		paragraph 1, it shall not enter into force. In accordance with Article 296 TFEU, the institution which objects shall state the reasons for objecting to the regulatory technical standard.	paragraph 1, it shall not enter into force. In accordance with Article 296 TFEU, the institution which objects shall state the reasons for objecting to the regulatory technical standard.	paragraph 1, it shall not enter into force. In accordance with Article 296 TFEU, the institution which objects shall state the reasons for objecting to the regulatory technical standard.
4	88	Article 41 Non-endorsement or amendment of draft regulatory technical standards	Article 41 Non-endorsement or amendment of draft regulatory technical standards	Article 41 Non-endorsement or amendment of draft regulatory technical standards
4	89	1. In the event that the Commission does not endorse a draft regulatory technical standard or amends it as provided for in Article 35, the Commission shall inform the Authority, the European Parliament and the Council, stating its reasons.	1. In the event that the Commission does not endorse a draft regulatory technical standard or amends it as provided for in Article 35, the Commission shall inform the Authority, the European Parliament and the Council, stating its reasons.	1. In the event that the Commission does not endorse a draft regulatory technical standard or amends it as provided for in Article 3538, the Commission shall inform the Authority, the European Parliament and the Council, stating its reasons.
4	90	2. Where appropriate, the European Parliament or the Council may invite the responsible Commissioner, together with the Chairperson of the Authority, within one month of the notice referred to in paragraph 1, for an ad hoc meeting of the competent committee of the European Parliament or the Council to present and explain their differences.	2. Where appropriate, the European Parliament or the Council may invite the responsible Commissioner, together with the Chairperson of the Authority, within one month of the notice referred to in paragraph 1, for an ad hoc meeting of the competent committee of the European Parliament or the Council to present and explain their differences.	2. Where appropriate, the European Parliament or the Council may invite the responsible Commissioner, together with the Chairperson of the Authority, within one month of the notice referred to in paragraph 1, for an ad hoc meeting of the competent committee of the European Parliament or the Council to present and explain their differences.

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491	Article 42 Implementing technical standards	Article 42 Implementing technical standards	Article 42 Implementing technical standards
492	1. Where the European Parliament and the Council confer implementing powers on the Commission to adopt implementing technical standards by means of implementing acts pursuant to Article 291 TFEU, in the areas specifically set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may develop draft implementing technical standards. Implementing technical standards shall be technical, shall not imply strategic decisions or policy choices and their content shall be to determine the conditions of application of those acts. The Authority shall submit its draft implementing technical standards to the Commission for adoption. At the same time, the Authority shall forward those technical standards for information to the European Parliament and to the Council.	1. Where the European Parliament and the Council confer implementing powers on the Commission to adopt implementing technical standards by means of implementing acts pursuant to Article 291 TFEU, in the areas specifically set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may develop draft implementing technical standards. Implementing technical standards shall be technical, shall not imply strategic decisions or policy choices and their content shall be to determine the conditions of application of those acts. The Authority shall submit its draft implementing technical standards to the Commission for adoption. At the same time, the Authority shall forward those technical standards for information to the European Parliament and to the Council.	1. Where the European Parliament and the Council confer implementing powers on the Commission to adopt implementing technical standards by means of implementing acts pursuant to Article 291 TFEU, in the areas specifically set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may develop draft implementing technical standards. Implementing technical standards shall be technical, shall not imply strategic decisions or policy choices and their content shall be to determine the conditions of application of those acts. The Authority shall submit its draft implementing technical standards to the Commission for adoption. At the same time, the Authority shall forward those technical standards for information to the European Parliament and to the Council.
493	Before submitting draft implementing technical standards to the Commission, the Authority shall conduct open public consultations and shall analyse the potential related costs and	Before submitting draft implementing technical standards to the Commission, the Authority shall conduct open public consultations and shall analyse the potential	Before submitting draft implementing technical standards to the Commission, the Authority shall conduct open public consultations, including with civil society, and shall analyse

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	benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are highly disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft implementing technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are highly disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft implementing technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are highly disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft implementing technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.
494	Within three months of receipt of a draft implementing technical standard, the Commission shall decide whether to adopt it. The Commission may extend that period by one month. The Commission shall inform the European Parliament and the Council in due time where the adoption cannot take place within the three-month period. The Commission may adopt the draft implementing technical standard in part only, or with amendments, where the Union's interests so require.	Within three months of receipt of a draft implementing technical standard, the Commission shall decide whether to adopt it. The Commission may extend that period by one month. The Commission shall inform the European Parliament and the Council in due time where the adoption cannot take place within the three-month period. The Commission may adopt the draft implementing technical standard in part only, or with amendments, where the Union's interests so require.	Within three months of receipt of a draft implementing technical standard, the Commission shall decide whether to adopt it. The Commission may extend that period by one month. The Commission shall inform the European Parliament and the Council in due time where the adoption cannot take place within the three-month period. The Commission may adopt the draft implementing technical standard in part only, or with amendments, where the Union's interests so require.
495	Where the Commission intends not to adopt a draft implementing technical standard or intends to adopt it in part or with amendments, it shall send it back to the Authority explaining why it does not intend to adopt it or explaining the reasons for its amendments. The Commission shall send a copy of its letter to the European Parliament and to the Council.	Where the Commission intends not to adopt a draft implementing technical standard or intends to adopt it in part or with amendments, it shall send it back to the Authority explaining why it does not intend to adopt it or explaining the reasons for its amendments. The Commission shall send a copy of its letter to the European Parliament	Where the Commission intends not to adopt a draft implementing technical standard or intends to adopt it in part or with amendments, it shall send it back to the Authority explaining why it does not intend to adopt it or explaining the reasons for its amendments. The Commission shall send a copy of its letter to the European Parliament and to the Council. Within a period

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	Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft implementing technical standard on the basis of the Commission's proposed amendments and resubmit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	and to the Council. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft implementing technical standard on the basis of the Commission's proposed amendments and resubmit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft implementing technical standard on the basis of the Commission's proposed amendments and resubmit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.
496	If, on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard, or has submitted a draft implementing technical standard that is not amended in a way consistent with the Commission's proposed amendments, the Commission may adopt the implementing technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant or reject it.	If, on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard, or has submitted a draft implementing technical standard that is not amended in a way consistent with the Commission's proposed amendments, the Commission may adopt the implementing technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant or reject it.	If, on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard, or has submitted a draft implementing technical standard that is not amended in a way consistent with the Commission's proposed amendments, the Commission may adopt the implementing technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant or reject it.
497	The Commission shall not change the content of a draft implementing technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.	The Commission shall not change the content of a draft implementing technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.	The Commission shall not change the content of a draft implementing technical standard prepared by the Authority without prior coordination with the Authority, as set out in this Article.
498	2. Where the Authority has not submitted a	2. Where the Authority has not submitted a	2. Where the Authority has not submitted a

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	draft implementing technical standard within the time limit set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), the Commission may request such a draft within a new time limit. The Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, in due time, that it will not comply with the new time limit.	draft implementing technical standard within the time limit set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), the Commission may request such a draft within a new time limit. The Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, in due time, that it will not comply with the new time limit.	draft implementing technical standard within the time limit set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), the Commission may request such a draft within a new time limit. The Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission, in due time, that it will not comply with the new time limit.
499	3. Only where the Authority does not submit a draft implementing technical standard to the Commission within the time limits in accordance with paragraph 2, may the Commission adopt an implementing technical standard by means of an implementing act without a draft from the Authority.	3. Only where the Authority does not submit a draft implementing technical standard to the Commission within the time limits in accordance with paragraph 2, may the Commission adopt an implementing technical standard by means of an implementing act without a draft from the Authority.	3. Only where the Authority does not submit a draft implementing technical standard to the Commission within the time limits in accordance with paragraph 2, may the Commission adopt an implementing technical standard by means of an implementing act without a draft from the Authority.
500	The Commission shall conduct open public consultations on draft implementing technical standards and analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft implementing technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	The Commission shall conduct open public consultations on draft implementing technical standards and analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft implementing technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.	The Commission shall conduct open public consultations, <i>including with civil society</i> , on draft implementing technical standards and analyse the potential related costs and benefits, unless such consultations and analyses are disproportionate in relation to the scope and impact of the draft implementing technical standards concerned or in relation to the particular urgency of the matter.

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501	The Commission shall immediately forward the draft implementing technical standard to the European Parliament and the Council.	The Commission shall immediately forward the draft implementing technical standard to the European Parliament and the Council.	The Commission shall immediately forward the draft implementing technical standard to the European Parliament and the Council <u>for</u> <u>consultation</u> .
502	The Commission shall send the draft implementing technical standard to the Authority. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft implementing technical standard and submit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	The Commission shall send the draft implementing technical standard to the Authority. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft implementing technical standard and submit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.	The Commission shall send the draft implementing technical standard to the Authority. Within a period of six weeks, the Authority may amend the draft implementing technical standard and submit it in the form of a formal opinion to the Commission. The Authority shall send a copy of its formal opinion to the European Parliament and to the Council.
503	If, on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard, the Commission may adopt the implementing technical standard.	If, on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard, the Commission may adopt the implementing technical standard.	If, on the expiry of the six-week period referred to in the fourth subparagraph, the Authority has not submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard, the Commission may adopt the implementing technical standard.
504	If the Authority has submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard within that six-week period, the Commission may amend the draft implementing technical standard on	If the Authority has submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard within that six-week period, the Commission may amend the draft implementing technical	If the Authority has submitted an amended draft implementing technical standard within that six- week period, the Commission may amend the draft implementing technical standard on the

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	the basis of the Authority's proposed amendments or adopt the implementing technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant.	Council Mandate standard on the basis of the Authority's proposed amendments or adopt the implementing technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant.	basis of the Authority's proposed amendments or adopt the implementing technical standard with the amendments it considers relevant.
505	The Commission shall not change the content	The Commission shall not change the	The Commission shall not change the content of
	of the draft implementing technical standards	content of the draft implementing technical	the draft implementing technical standards
	prepared by the Authority without prior	standards prepared by the Authority without	prepared by the Authority without prior
	coordination with the Authority, as set out in	prior coordination with the Authority, as set	coordination with the Authority, as set out in
	this Article.	out in this Article.	this Article.
506	4. The implementing technical standards shall	4. The implementing technical standards	4. The implementing technical standards shall
	be adopted by means of regulations or	shall be adopted by means of regulations or	be adopted by means of regulations or
	decisions. The words 'implementing technical	decisions. The words 'implementing	decisions. The words 'implementing technical
	standard' shall appear in the title of such	technical standard' shall appear in the title of	standard' shall appear in the title of such
	regulations or decisions. Those standards shall	such regulations or decisions. Those	regulations or decisions. Those standards shall
	be published in the Official Journal of the	standards shall be published in the Official	be published in the Official Journal of the
	European Union and shall enter into force on	Journal of the European Union and shall	European Union and shall enter into force on
	the date stated therein.	enter into force on the date stated therein.	the date stated therein.
507	Article 43	Article 43	Article 43
	Guidelines and recommendations	Guidelines and recommendations	Guidelines and recommendations
508	1. The Authority shall, with a view to establishing consistent, efficient and effective	1. The Authority shall, with a view to establishing consistent, efficient and	1. The Authority shall, with a view to establishing consistent, efficient and effective

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		supervisory and FIU-related practices, and to ensuring the common, uniform and consistent application of Union law, issue guidelines addressed to all supervisory authorities, FIUs, or all obliged entities and issue recommendations to one or more supervisory authorities or to one or more obliged entities.	effective supervisory and FIU-related practices, and to ensuring the common, uniform and consistent application of Union law, issue guidelines addressed to all <i>supervisory authorities supervisors</i> , FIUs, or all obliged entities and issue recommendations to one or more supervisory authorities or to one or more obliged entities.	supervisory and FIU-related practices, and to ensuring the common, uniform and consistent application of Union law, issue guidelines addressed to all supervisory authorities, FIUs, or all obliged entities and issue recommendations to one or more supervisory authorities or to one or more obliged entities.
	509	2. The Authority shall, where appropriate, conduct open public consultations regarding the guidelines and recommendations which it issues and analyse the related potential costs and benefits of issuing such guidelines and recommendations. Those consultations and analyses shall be proportionate in relation to the scope, nature and impact of the guidelines or recommendations. Where the Authority does not conduct open public consultations, the Authority shall provide its reasons.	2. The Authority shall, where appropriate, conduct open public consultations regarding the guidelines and recommendations which it issues and analyse the related potential costs and benefits of issuing such guidelines and recommendations. Those consultations and analyses shall be proportionate in relation to the scope, nature and impact of the guidelines or recommendations. Where the Authority does not conduct open public consultations, the Authority shall provide its reasons.	2. The Authority shall, where appropriate, conduct open public consultations, <i>including</i> <i>with civil society</i> , regarding <i>thethose</i> guidelines and recommendations <i>which it issues</i> and analyse the related potential costs and benefits <i>of issuing such guidelines and</i> <i>recommendations</i> . Those consultations and analyses shall be proportionate in relation to the scope, nature and impact of the guidelines or recommendations. Where the Authority does not conduct open public consultations, the Authority shall provide its reasons <i>and make</i> <i>them public</i> .
5	09a		2a. Guidelines and recommendations shall not merely refer to, or reproduce, elements of legislative acts. Before issuing a new guideline or recommendation, the Authority shall first review existing guidelines and	

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		<u>recommendations, in order to avoid any</u> <u>duplication.</u>	
510	3. The supervisory authorities and obliged entities shall make every effort to comply with those guidelines and recommendations.	3. <i>The supervisory authorities and obliged</i> <i>entitiesSupervisors, obliged entities and</i> <i>where applicable, FIUs</i> shall make every effort to comply with those guidelines and recommendations.	3. The supervisory authorities, <i>FIUs</i> and obliged entities shall make every effort to comply with those guidelines and recommendations.
511	Within two months of the issuance of a guideline or recommendation, each supervisory authority shall confirm whether it complies or intends to comply with that guideline or recommendation. In the event that a supervisory authority does not comply or does not intend to comply, it shall inform the Authority, stating its reasons.	Within two months of the issuance of a guideline or recommendation, each <i>supervisory authoritysupervisor or, where applicable, FIU</i> shall confirm whether it complies or intends to comply with that guideline or recommendation. In the event that a <i>supervisory authoritysupervisor or, where applicable, a FIU</i> does not comply or does not intend to comply, it shall inform the Authority, stating its reasons.	Within two months of the issuance of a guideline or recommendation, each supervisory authority <u>or FIU</u> shall confirm whether it complies or intends to comply with that guideline or recommendation. In the event that a supervisory authority <u>or FIU</u> does not comply or does not intend to comply, it shall inform the Authority, stating its reasons.
512	The Authority shall publish the fact that a supervisory authority does not comply or does not intend to comply with that guideline or recommendation. The Authority may also decide, on a case-by-case basis, to publish the reasons provided by the supervisory authority for not complying with that guideline or	The Authority shall publish the fact that a <i>supervisory authoritysupervisor or, where</i> <i>applicable, FIU</i> does not comply or does not intend to comply with that guideline or recommendation. The Authority may also decide, on a case-by-case basis, to publish the reasons provided by the <i>supervisory</i>	The Authority shall, <i>after having consulted the</i> <i>supervisory authority or FIU in question</i> , publish the fact that <i>athat</i> supervisory authority <i>or FIU</i> does not comply or does not intend to comply with that guideline or recommendation. The Authority may also decide, on a case-by- case basis, to publish the reasons provided by

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	recommendation. The supervisory authority shall receive advanced notice of such publication.	authority supervisor or, where applicable, a FIU for not complying with that guideline or recommendation. The supervisory authority supervisor or, where applicable, a FIU shall receive advanced notice of such publication.	the supervisory authority <u>or FIU</u> for not complying with that guideline or recommendation. The supervisory authority <u>or</u> <u>FIU</u> shall receive advanced notice of such publication.
513	If required by that guideline or recommendation, obliged entities shall report, in a clear and detailed way, whether they comply with that guideline or recommendation.	If required by that guideline or recommendation, obliged entities shall report, in a clear and detailed way, whether they comply with that guideline or recommendation.	If required by that guideline or recommendation, obliged entities shall report, in a clear and detailed way, whether they comply with that guideline or recommendation.
513a			In the report referred to in Article 53(4)(c), the Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission of the guidelines and recommendations that have been issued and that outline how the Authority intends to ensure that the supervisory authority or obliged entity concerned follow its recommendations and guidelines in the future.
513b		<b>4.</b> In the report referred to in Article 72(2), the Authority shall inform the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission of the guidelines and	

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		recommendations that have been issued.	
513c			3a. The guidelines and recommendations issued by the Authority shall replace the guidelines and recommendations previously issued by the EBA or the competent authorities on the same subject. The guidelines and recommendations issued by the EBA or the competent authorities shall remain applicable until such time as the new guidelines and recommendations issued by the Authority enter into force. The Authority shall provide for a suitable transition period for obliged entities to comply with the new guidelines and recommendations.
514	Article 44 Opinions	Article 44 Opinions	Article 44 Opinions
515	1. The Authority may, upon a request from the European Parliament, from the Council or from the Commission, or on its own initiative, provide opinions to the European Parliament, to the Council and to the Commission on all issues related to its area of competence.	1. The Authority may, upon a request from the European Parliament, from the Council or from the Commission, or on its own initiative, provide opinions to the European Parliament, to the Council and to the Commission on all issues related to its area of competence.	1. The Authority may, upon a request from the European Parliament, from the Council or from the Commission, or on its own initiative, provide opinions to the European Parliament, to the Council and to the Commission on all issues related to its area of competence.

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516	2. The request referred to in paragraph 1 may include a public consultation or a technical analysis.	Council Mandate 2. The request referred to in paragraph 1 may include a public consultation or a technical analysis.	2. The request referred to in paragraph 1 may include a public consultation, <i>including with</i> <i>civil society</i> , or a technical analysis. <i>It may also</i> <i>include a consultation of other Union bodies</i> <i>involved in the AML/CFT framework</i> , <i>including Europol, Eurojust, EPPO, OLAF</i> , <i>the European Central Bank, the Single</i> <i>Resolution Board, the European Supervisory</i> <i>Authorities, the European Data Protection</i> <i>Supervisor and the European Data Protection</i> <i>Board</i> .
517	3. The Authority may, upon a request from the European Parliament, from the Council or from the Commission provide technical advice to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission in the areas set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2).	3. The Authority may, upon a request from the European Parliament, from the Council or from the Commission provide technical advice to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission in the areas set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2).	3. The Authority may, upon a request from the European Parliament, from the Council or from the Commission provide technical advice to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission in the areas set out in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2).
517a			<u>Article 44a</u> <u>Rules governing the format of information</u> <u>exchanges</u>
517b			The Authority shall develop templates, common reporting formats or any other

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			<u>relevant measure to be used for the purposes of</u> requesting, collecting or exchanging <u>information, including in respect of at least the</u> <u>following situations:</u>
517c			(a) the Authority or supervisory authorities request, collect or exchange information from other supervisory authorities, FIUs, or obliged entities in the context of the tasks set out in this Regulation and other applicable Union law;
517d			(b) the Authority, FIUs or competent authorities request, collect or exchange information related to money laundering, its predicate offences, or terrorist financing, from other competent authorities, FIUs or obliged entities in the context of the tasks set out in this Regulation and other applicable Union law.
517e			<u>The Authority and the relevant competent</u> <u>authorities shall make use of the formats</u> <u>developed by the Authority pursuant to this</u> <u>Article. The procedure for the adoption of</u> <u>those formats shall follow the applicable</u> <u>procedure depending on the type of act</u>

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			provided for under applicable Union law.
517f			The formats issued by the Authority shall replace the formats previously issued by the EBA or the competent authorities on the same subject. The formats previously issued by the EBA or the competent authorities shall remain applicable until such time as new formats issued by the Authority enter into force. The Authority shall provide for a suitable transition period for obliged entities, competent supervisors, FIUs and other competent authorities to comply with the new formats.
518	CHAPTER III ORGANISATION OF THE AUTHORITY	CHAPTER III ORGANISATION OF THE AUTHORITY	CHAPTER III ORGANISATION OF THE AUTHORITY
519	Article 45 Administrative and management structure	Article 45 Administrative and management structure	Article 45 Administrative and management structure
520	The Authority's structure shall comprise:	The Authority's structure shall comprise:	The Authority's structure shall comprise:
521	(1) a General Board, which shall exercise the	(1) a General Board, which shall exercise	(1) a General Board, which shall exercise the

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	tasks set out in Article 49;	the tasks set out in Article 49;	tasks set out in Article 49;
522	(2) an Executive Board, which shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 53:	(2) an Executive Board, which shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 53:	(2) an Executive Board, which shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 53:
523	(3) a Chair of the Authority, who shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 57;	(3) a Chair of the Authority, who shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 57;	(3) a Chair of the Authority, who shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 57;
524	(4) an Executive Director, who shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 59;	(4) an Executive Director, who shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 59;	(4) an Executive Director, who shall exercise the tasks set out in Article 59;
525	(5) an Administrative Board of Review which shall exercise the functions listed in Article 62.	(5) an Administrative Board of Review which shall exercise the functions listed in Article 62.	(5) an Administrative Board of <i>Review Appeal</i> which shall exercise the functions listed in Article 62.
526	SECTION 1 GENERAL BOARD	SECTION 1 GENERAL BOARD	SECTION 1 GENERAL BOARD
527	Article 46 Composition of the General Board	Article 46 Composition of the General Board	Article 46 Composition of the General Board

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528	1. The General Board shall have, alternatively, the supervisory composition as laid down in paragraph 2 or the FIU composition as laid down in paragraph 3.	1. The General Board shall have, alternatively, the supervisory composition as laid down in paragraph 2 or the FIU composition as laid down in paragraph 3.	1. The General Board shall have, alternatively, the supervisory composition as laid down in paragraph 2 <i>or</i> , the FIU composition as laid down in paragraph 3.
529	2. The General Board in supervisory composition shall be composed of:	2. The General Board in supervisory composition shall be composed of:	
530	(a) the Chair of the Authority with a right to vote;	(a) the Chair of the Authority with a right to vote;	(a) the Chair of the Authority with a right to vote;
531	(b) the heads of supervisory authorities of obliged entities in each Member State with a right to vote;	(b) the heads of supervisory authorities of obliged entities in each Member State with a right to vote;	(b) the heads of supervisory authorities of obliged entities in each Member State with a right to vote;
532	(c) one representative of the Commission, without the right to vote.	(c) one representative of the Commission, without the right to vote.	(c) one representative of the Commission, without the right to vote.
533	The heads of the supervisory authorities referred to in the first subparagraph, point (b) in each Member State shall share a single vote and shall agree on a single common representative	The heads of the supervisory authorities referred to in the first subparagraph, point (b) in each Member State shall share a single vote and shall agree on a single common	The heads of the supervisory authorities referred to in the first subparagraph, point (b) in each Member State shall share a single vote and shall agree on appoint a single common

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	for each meeting and voting procedure. That common representative shall be the ad-hoc voting member for the purposes of that meeting or voting procedure. The public authorities in a Member State may also agree on a single permanent common representative who shall be a permanent voting member. Where items to be discussed by the General Board in supervisory composition concern the competence of several public authorities, the ad-hoc or permanent voting member may be accompanied by a representative from up to two other public authorities, who shall be non-voting.	representative for each meeting and voting procedure. That common representative shall be the ad-hoc voting member for the purposes of that meeting or voting procedure. The public authorities in a Member State may also agree on a single permanent common representative who shall be a permanent voting member. Where items to be discussed by the General Board in supervisory composition concern the competence of several public authorities, the ad-hoc or permanent voting member may be accompanied by a representative from up to two other public authorities, who shall be non-voting.	representative, which shall be either a permanent for each meeting and voting procedure. That common representative shall be theor an ad-hoc voting memberrepresentative, for the purposes of thateach specific meeting or voting procedure. The public authorities in a Member State may also agree on a single permanent common representative who shall be a permanent voting member. Where items to be discussed by the General Board in supervisory composition concern the competence of several public authorities, the ad-hoc or permanent voting membersingle common representative may be accompanied by a representative from up to two other public authorities, who shall be non-voting. When agreeing on their single common representative to the General Board, the supervisory authorities in each Member State shall take into account the principle of gender balance.
534	Each public authority that has a voting member under ad-hoc or permanent agreement shall be responsible for nominating a high-level alternate from its authority, who may replace the voting member of the General Board referred to in the second sub-paragraph where that person is prevented from attending.	Each public authority that has a voting member under ad-hoc or permanent agreement shall be responsible for nominating a high-level alternate from its authority, who may replace the voting member of the General Board referred to in the second <i>sub-paragraphsubparagraph</i> where that person is prevented from attending.	Each public authority that has a voting member under ad-hoc or permanent agreement shall be responsible for nominating a high-level alternate from its authority, who may replace the voting member of the General Board referred to in the second sub-paragraph where that person is prevented from attending.

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535	3. The General Board in FIU composition shall be composed of:	3. The General Board in FIU composition shall be composed of:	3. The General Board in FIU composition shall be composed of:
536	(a) the Chair of the Authority with a right to vote;	(a) the Chair of the Authority with a right to vote;	(a) the Chair of the Authority with a right to vote;
537	(b) the heads of FIUs with the right to vote;	(b) the heads of FIUs with the right to vote;	(b) the heads of FIUs with the right to vote;
538	(c) one representative of the Commission, without the right to vote.	(c) one representative of the Commission, without the right to vote.	(c) one representative of the Commission, without the right to vote.
538a		3a. Each FIU shall nominate high-level alternate from its authority, who may replace head of FIU referred to in the first subparagraph where that person is prevented from attending.	
539	4. The General Board may decide to admit observers. In particular, the General Board in FIU composition shall admit as an observer a	4. The General Board may decide to admit observers. <i>In particular, the General Board in FIU composition shall admit as an</i>	4. The General Board may decide to admit observers. <i>In particular,</i> The General Board in FIU composition shall <i>permanently</i> admit <i>as an</i>

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	representative of OLAF, Europol, Eurojust and the EPPO to meetings when matters fall under their respective mandates. The General Board in supervisory composition shall admit a representative nominated by the Supervisory Board of the European Central Bank and a representative of each of the European Supervisory Authorities, where matters within the scope of their respective mandates are discussed.	observer a representative of OLAF without the right to vote. In particular, Europol, Eurojust and the EPPO to meetings when matters fall under their respective mandates. the General Board in supervisory composition shall admit a representative nominated by the Supervisory Board of the European Central Bank and a representative of each of the European Supervisory Authorities, where matters within the scope of their respective mandates are discussed.	<i>observerat least</i> a representative of OLAF, <i>of</i> Europol, <i>of</i> Eurojust and <i>of</i> the EPPO <i>as observers</i> to meetings when matters fall under their respective mandates. The General Board in supervisory composition shall <i>permanently</i> admit <i>at least</i> a representative nominated by the Supervisory Board of the European Central Bank and a representative of each of the European Supervisory Authorities, <i>where matters within the scope of their respective mandates are discussed as observers. Other observers may be admitted on an ad hoc basis if approved by a two-thirds majority of the voting members of the General Board in the relevant composition.</i>
540	5. The members of the Executive Board may participate in the meetings of the General Board in both compositions, without the right to vote, where the items covered by their areas of responsibility as determined by the Chair of the Authority and referred to in Article 55(2), are discussed.	5. The members of the Executive Board may participate in the meetings of the General Board in both compositions, without the right to vote, where the items covered by their areas of responsibility as determined by the Chair of the Authority and referred to in Article 55(2), are discussed.	5. The members of the Executive Board may participate in the meetings of the General Board in both compositions, without the right to vote, where the items covered by their areas of responsibility as determined by the Chair of the Authority and referred to in Article 55(2), are discussed.
541	Article 47 Internal committees of the General Board	Article 47 Internal committees of the General Board	Article 47 Internal committees of the General Board
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	The General Board, on its own initiative or at the request of the Chair of the Authority, may establish internal committees for specific tasks attributed to it. The General Board may provide for the delegation of certain clearly defined tasks and decisions to internal committees, to the Executive Board or to the Chair. The General Board may revoke such delegation at any time.	The General Board, on its own initiative or at the request of the Chair of the Authority, may establish internal committees for specific tasks attributed to it. The General Board may provide for the delegation of certain clearly defined tasks and decisions to internal committees, to the Executive Board or to the Chair. The General Board may revoke such delegation at any time.	The General Board, on its own initiative or at the request of the Chair of the Authority, may establish internal committees for specific tasks attributed to it. The General Board may provide for the delegation of certain clearly defined tasks <i>and decisions</i> to internal committees, to the Executive Board or to the Chair. The General Board may revoke such delegation at any time. <i>The General Board shall remain</i> <i>responsible for, and exercise ultimate control</i> <i>over all of its decisions. The members of the</i> <i>Executive Board may participate in the</i> <i>meetings of internal committees in accordance</i> <i>with Article 46(5).</i>
542a		<u>All conclusions reached by internal</u> <u>committees shall be reported for decision to</u> <u>the General Board.</u>	
542b		<u>The General Board in FIU composition</u> <u>shall establish a standing committee from</u> <u>among its members or representatives with</u> <u>adequate expertise from their respective</u> <u>national FIU, to support it in performing its</u> <u>tasks pursuant to article 49 (3), including by</u> <u>submitting proposals and preparing draft</u> <u>decisions. The committee shall have no</u> <u>decision-making powers. The standing</u>	

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		committee shall execute its tasks in the interest of the Union as a whole and shall work in full transparency with the General Board in FIU composition. The General Board in FIU composition shall adopt the Rules of Procedure of the standing committee. The composition of the committee shall ensure a fair balance and rotation between national FIUs. It shall consist of 9 members, appointed by the General Board in FIU composition.	
543	Article 48 Independence of the General Board	Article 48 Independence of the General Board	Article 48 Independence of the General Board
544	1. When carrying out the tasks conferred upon them by this Regulation, the members of the General Board in both compositions referred to in Article 46(2) points (a) and (b) and (3) points (a) and (b) shall act independently and objectively in the sole interest of the Union as a whole and shall neither seek nor take instructions from Union institutions, bodies, offices nor agencies from any government or any other public or private body.	<ol> <li>When carrying out the tasks conferred upon them by this Regulation, the members of the General Board in both compositions referred to in Article 46(2) points (a), (b) and (c) and 46 and (b) and (3) points (a), (b) and (c) shall act independently and in the general interest of the Union.</li> <li><u>The Chair of the Authority and (b)</u> shall act independently and objectively in the sole interest of the Union as a whole and shall neither seek nor take instructions from Union institutions, bodies, offices nor agencies</li> </ol>	1. When carrying out the tasks conferred upon them by this Regulation, the members of the General Board in both compositions referred to in Article 46(2) points (a) and (b) and (3) points (a) and (b) shall act independently and objectively in the sole interest of the Union as a whole and shall neither seek nor take instructions from Union institutions, bodies, offices nor agencies from any government or any other public or private body.

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		from any government or any other public or private body.	
545	2. Member States, Union institutions, agencies, offices or bodies, and any other public or private body, shall not seek to influence the members of the General Board in the performance of its tasks.	2. Member States, Union institutions, agencies, offices or bodies, and any other public or private body, shall not seek to influence the members of the General Board in the performance of its tasks.	2. Member States, Union institutions, agencies, offices or bodies, and any other public or private body, shall not seek to influence the members of the General Board in the performance of its tasks.
546	3. The General Board shall lay down, in its Rules of Procedure, the practical arrangements for the prevention and the management of conflict of interest.	3. The General Board shall lay down, in its Rules of Procedure, the practical arrangements for the prevention and the management of conflict of interest.	3. The General Board shall lay down, in its Rules of Procedure, the practical arrangements for the prevention and the management of conflict of interest.
547	Article 49 Tasks of the General Board	Article 49 Tasks of the General Board	Article 49 Tasks of the General Board
548	1. The General Board in supervisory composition shall take the decisions relating to tasks referred to in Articles 7 to 10 as well as any decisions explicitly provided by this Regulation for the General Board in supervisory composition.	1. The General Board in supervisory composition shall take the decisions relating to tasks referred to in Articles 7 to 10 as well as any decisions explicitly provided by this Regulation for the General Board in supervisory composition.	1. The General Board in supervisory composition shall take the decisions relating to tasks referred to in Articles 7 to 10 as well as any decisions explicitly provided by this Regulation for the General Board in supervisory composition.

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549	2. The General Board in supervisory composition may provide its advice and opinion on any draft decisions prepared by the Executive Board towards selected obliged entities in accordance with Section 3 of Chapter II.	2. The General Board in supervisory composition may provide its <i>advice and</i> opinion on any draft decisions prepared by the Executive Board towards selected obliged entities in accordance with Section 3 of Chapter II <i>and article 53 (2)</i> .	2. The General Board in supervisory composition may provide its advice and opinion on any draft decisions prepared by the Executive Board towards selected obliged entities in accordance with Section 3 of Chapter II.
549a		2a. The General Board in supervisory composition and the Executive board shall jointly agree on and adopt the procedures and timelines to be followed for the purpose of providing the opinion referred to in the first sub paragraph.	
550	3. The General Board in FIU composition shall perform the tasks and adopt the decisions pursuant to Section 6 of Chapter II.	3. The General Board in FIU composition shall perform the tasks and adopt the decisions pursuant to <i>article 5 (5) and</i> section 6 of Chapter II.	3. The General Board in FIU composition shall perform the tasks and adopt the decisions pursuant to Section 6 of Chapter II.
551	4. The General Board shall adopt the draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, opinions, recommendations, guidelines and decisions of the Authority referred to in Section 7 of Chapter II, in an appropriate composition, depending on the subject-matter of the instrument. Where a given	4. The General Board shall adopt <i>the draft</i> <i>regulatory and implementing technical</i> <i>standards</i> , opinions, recommendations, guidelines and decisions of the Authority referred to in Section 7 of Chapter II, in an appropriate composition, depending on the subject-matter of the instrument. Where a	4. The General Board shall adopt the draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, opinions, recommendations, guidelines and decisions of the Authority referred to in Section 7 of Chapter II, in an appropriate composition, depending on the subject-matter of the instrument. Where a given

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	instrument concerns both FIU and supervision- related matters, adoption shall be required by both compositions of the General Board independently. The draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, opinions, recommendations, and guidelines shall be adopted based on a proposal of the relevant internal committee.	<b>Council Mandate</b> given instrument concerns both FIU and supervision-related matters, adoption shall be required by both compositions of the General Board independently. The <i>draft regulatory</i> <i>and implementing technical standards</i> , opinions, recommendations, and guidelines shall be adopted based on a proposal of the relevant internal committee. <i>The General</i> <i>Board shall develop the draft regulatory</i> <i>technical standards referred to in article 38</i> <i>as well as the implementing technical</i> <i>standards referred to in article 42.</i>	instrument concerns both FIU and supervision- related matters, adoption shall be required by both compositions of the General Board independently. The draft regulatory and implementing technical standards, opinions, recommendations, and guidelines shall be adopted based on a proposal of the relevant internal committee.
552	5. The General Board in either composition shall be consulted on the draft decisions to be taken by the Executive Board pursuant to Article 53(4), points (a), (c), (e) and (m). Where the subsequent decision taken by the Executive Board deviates from the opinion of the General Board, the Executive Board shall provide the reasons thereof in writing.	5. The General Board in either composition shall be consulted on the draft decisions to be taken by the Executive Board pursuant to Article 53(4), points (a), (c), (e) and (m). Where the subsequent decision taken by the Executive Board deviates from the opinion of the General Board, the Executive Board shall provide the reasons thereof in writing.	5. The General Board in either composition shall be consulted on the draft decisions to be taken by the Executive Board pursuant to Article $53(3)$ , 53(4), points (a), (c), (e) and (m). Where the subsequent decision taken by the Executive Board deviates from the opinion of the General Board, the Executive Board shall provide the reasons thereof in writing.
553	6. The General Board shall adopt and make public its Rules of Procedure.	6. The General Board shall adopt and make public its Rules of Procedure. <u>The Rules of</u> <u>Procedure shall include the criteria for</u> <u>admitting the observers referred to in article</u> <u>46 (4), taking into account relevance and</u> <u>reciprocity, as well as the conditions for</u>	6. The General Board shall adopt and make public its Rules of Procedure.

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		Council Mandate their participation in the meetings of the General Board.	
554	7. Without prejudice to Articles 52 (3) and (4) and Article 56 (1) and (2), the appointing authority powers over the Chair and the five permanent members of the Executive Board throughout their mandate shall be exercised by the General Board.	7. Without prejudice to Articles 52 (3) and (4) and Article 56 (1) and (2), the appointing authority powers over the Chair and the five permanent members of the Executive Board throughout their mandate shall be exercised by the General Board.	7. Without prejudice to Articles 52 (3) and (4) and Article 56 (1) and (2), the appointing authority powers over the Chair and the five permanent members of the Executive Board throughout their mandate shall be exercised by the General Board.
555	Article 50 Voting rules of the General Board	Article 50 Voting rules of the General Board	Article 50 Voting rules of the General Board
556	<ol> <li>Decisions of the General Board shall be taken by a simple majority of its members.</li> <li>Each voting member as determined by Article 47(2) shall have one vote. In case of a tied vote, the Chair of the Authority shall have a casting vote.</li> </ol>	1. Decisions of the General Board shall be taken by a simple majority of its members. Each voting member as determined by Article $\frac{47(2)46}{47(2)46}$ and (3) shall have one vote. In case of a tied vote, the Chair of the Authority shall have a casting vote.	1. Decisions of the General Board shall be taken by a simple majority of its members. Each voting member as determined by Article $\frac{47(2)46(2)}{4}$ shall have one vote. In case of a tied vote, the Chair of the Authority shall have a casting vote.
557	2. With regard to the acts referred to in Articles 38, 42, 43 and 44 of this Regulation, and by way of derogation from paragraph 1, the General Board shall take decisions on the basis of a qualified majority of its members, as	2. With regard to the acts referred to in Articles 38, 42, 43 and 44 of this Regulation, and by way of derogation from paragraph 1, the General Board shall take decisions on the basis of a qualified majority of its members,	2. With regard to the acts referred to in Articles 38, 42, 43 and 44 of this Regulation, and by way of derogation from paragraph 1, the General Board shall take decisions on the basis of a qualified majority of its members, as defined in

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	defined in Article 16(4) TEU.	as defined in Article 16(4) TEU.	Article 16(4) TEU.
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558	The Chair of the Authority shall not vote on the decisions referred to in the first subparagraph and the decisions related to the evaluation of the performance of the Executive Board referred to in Article 52 (4).	The Chair of the Authority shall not vote on the decisions referred to in the first subparagraph, <i>the opinion referred to in</i> <i>article 49 (2)</i> and the decisions related to the evaluation of the performance of the Executive Board referred to in Article 52 (4).	The Chair of the Authority shall not vote on the decisions referred to in the first subparagraph and the decisions related to the evaluation of the performance of the Executive Board referred to in Article 52 (4).
559	3. The non-voting members and the observers shall not attend any discussions within the General Board in supervisory composition relating to individual obliged entities, unless otherwise provided for in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2).	3. The non-voting members and the observers shall not attend any discussions within the General Board in supervisory composition relating to individual obliged entities, unless otherwise provided for in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), or decided upon by the voting members.	3. The non-voting members and the observers shall not attend any discussions within the General Board in supervisory composition relating to individual obliged entities, unless otherwise provided for in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2).
560	4. Paragraph 3 shall not apply to the Executive Board members and the European Central Bank representative nominated by its Supervisory Board.	4. Paragraph 3 shall not apply to the Executive Board members and the European Central Bank representative nominated by its Supervisory Board.	4. Paragraph 3 shall not apply to the Executive Board members and the European Central Bank representative nominated by its Supervisory Board.
561	5. The Chair of the Authority shall have the	5. The Chair of the Authority shall have the	5. The Chair of the Authority shall have the

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	prerogative to call a vote at any time. Without prejudice to that power and to the effectiveness of the Authority's decision-making procedures, the General Board shall strive for consensus when taking its decisions.	prerogative to call a vote at any time. Without prejudice to that power and to the effectiveness of the Authority's decision- making procedures, the General Board shall strive for consensus when taking its decisions.	prerogative to call a vote at any time. Without prejudice to that power and to the effectiveness of the Authority's decision-making procedures, the General Board shall strive for consensus when taking its decisions.
562	Article 51 Meetings of the General Board	Article 51 Meetings of the General Board	Article 51 Meetings of the General Board
563	1. The Chair of the Authority shall convene the meetings of the General Board.	1. The Chair of the Authority shall convene the meetings of the General Board.	1. The Chair of the Authority shall convene the meetings of the General Board.
564	2. The General Board shall hold at least two ordinary meetings a year. In addition, it shall meet on the initiative of its Chair, at the request of the Commission, or at the request of at least one-third of its members.	2. The General Board shall hold at least two ordinary meetings a year. In addition, it shall meet on the initiative of its Chair, <i>at the request of the Commission</i> , or at the request of at least one-third of its members.	2. The General Board shall hold at least two ordinary meetings a year. In addition, it shall meet on the initiative of its Chair, at the request of the Commission, or at the request of at least one-third of its members.
565	3. The General Board may invite any person whose opinion may be of interest to attend its meetings as an observer.	3. The General Board may invite any person whose opinion may be of interest to attend its meetings as an observer.	3. The General Board may invite any person whose opinion may be of interest to attend its meetings as an observer.
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	4. The members of the General Board and their alternates may, subject to its Rules of Procedure, be assisted at the meetings by advisers or experts.	4. The members of the General Board and their alternates may, subject to its Rules of Procedure, be assisted at the meetings by advisers or experts.	4. The members of the General Board and their alternates may, subject to its Rules of Procedure, be assisted at the meetings by advisers or experts.
567	5. The Authority shall provide the secretariat for the General Board.	5. The Authority shall provide the secretariat <i>forof</i> the General Board.	5. The Authority shall provide the secretariat for the General Board.
568	6. The Chair of the Authority and the permanent five members of the Executive Board shall not attend those meetings of the General Board where matters concerning the performance of their mandate are discussed or decided upon.	6. The Chair of the Authority and the permanent five members of the Executive Board shall not attend those meetings of the General Board where matters concerning the performance of their mandate are discussed or decided upon.	6. The Chair of the Authority and the permanent five members of the Executive Board shall not attend those meetings of the General Board where matters concerning the performance of their mandate are discussed or decided upon.
568a			<u>Article 51a</u> <u>Transparency of decisions adopted by the</u> <u>General Board</u>
568b			Within six weeks of each meeting of the General Board, the Authority shall at least provide the European Parliament with a comprehensive and meaningful record of the proceedings of that meeting that enables a full understanding of the discussions, including an

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			annotated list of decisions. Such record shall not reflect discussions within the General Board relating to individual entities, unless otherwise provided for in the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2).
569	SECTION 2 EXECUTIVE BOARD	SECTION 2 EXECUTIVE BOARD	SECTION 2 EXECUTIVE BOARD
570	Article 52 Composition and appointment of the Executive Board	Article 52 Composition and appointment of the Executive Board	Article 52 Composition and appointment of the Executive Board
571	1. The Executive Board shall be composed of:	1. The Executive Board shall be composed of:	1. The Executive Board shall be composed of:
572	(a) the Chair of the Authority;	(a) the Chair of the Authority;	(a) the Chair of the Authority;
573	(b) five full-time members;	(b) five full-time members;	(b) five full-time members, <i>including the Vice-</i> <u><i>Chair</i></u> ;
574	(c) a representative of the Commission where	(c) a representative of the Commission	(c) a representative of the Commission where

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	the Executive Board carries out the tasks referred to in Article 53(4) point (a) to (l). The representative of the Commission shall be entitled to participate in the debates and shall have access to the documents pertaining to these tasks only.	where the Executive Board carries out the tasks referred to in Article 53(4) point (a) to (l). The representative of the Commission shall be entitled to participate in the debates and shall have access to the documents pertaining to these tasks only.	the Executive Board carries out the tasks referred to in Article 53(4) point (a) to (l). The representative of the Commission shall be entitled to participate in the debates and shall have access to the documents pertaining to these tasks only.
575	2. The Executive Director shall participate in meetings of the Executive Board without the right to vote.	2. The Executive Director shall participate in meetings of the Executive Board without the right to vote.	2. The Executive Director shall participate in meetings of the Executive Board without the right to vote.
575a		2a. Where the decisions referred to in Article 53(2) towards a selected obliged entity are deliberated upon, the member of the General Board in supervisory composition from the Member State where the concerned selected obliged entity is established may participate in the relevant meetings of the Executive Board without the right to vote.	
576	3. The five members of the Executive Board referred to in paragraph 1, point (b), shall be selected following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. They shall be appointed by the General Board based on the shortlist	3. The five members of the Executive Board referred to in paragraph 1, point (b), shall be selected <u>on the basis of merit, skills,</u> <u>knowledge, recognised standing and</u> <u>experience in the area of anti-money</u> <u>laundering and countering the financing of</u>	<b>32a</b> . The five members of the Executive Board referred to in paragraph 1, point (b), shall be selected following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. <i>They The Commission</i> shall <i>be appointed by the General draw up a</i>

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	drawn by the Commission. The selection shall respect the principles of experience, qualification, and, to the extent possible, gender and geographical balance.	<i>terrorism, and other relevant qualification</i> following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. They shall be appointed by the General Board based on the shortlist drawn by the Commission. The selection shall respect <i>the principles of experience</i> , <i>qualification, and</i> , to the extent possible, gender and geographical balance.	shortlist of qualified candidates for the position of the five full-time members of the Executive Board based on the and shall provide the competent committee of the European Parliament with that shortlist drawn by the Commission. The selection. The competent committee of the European Parliament may conduct hearings of the candidates on that shortlist. Following the outcome in the European Parliament, the Commission shall respect the principles of experience, qualification, and, submit a proposal for the appointment of the five full-time members of the Executive Board to the extent possible, gender and geographical balance European Parliament for approval. Following the European Parliament's approval of that proposal, the Council shall adopt an implementing decision to appoint the five full- time members of the Executive Board. The Council shall act by qualified majority.
576a			The selection shall take into account the principles of gender balance, experience, qualification, and, to the extent possible, geographical balance.
577	4. The term of office of the five members of	4. The term of office of the five members of	4. The term of office of the five members of the

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	the Executive Board shall be four years. In the course of the 12 months preceding the end of the four-year term of office of the Chair of the Authority and five members of the Executive Board, the General Board in both compositions or a smaller committee selected among General Board members including a Commission representative shall carry out an assessment of performance of the Executive Board. The assessment shall take into account an evaluation of the Executive Board members' performance and the Authority's future tasks and challenges. Based on the assessment, the General Board in both compositions may extend their term of office once.	the Executive Board shall be four years. In the course of the 12 months preceding the end of the four-year term of office of the Chair of the Authority and five members of the Executive Board, the General Board in both compositions or a smaller committee selected among General Board members including a Commission representative shall carry out an assessment of performance of the Executive Board. The assessment shall take into account an evaluation of the Executive Board members' performance and the Authority's future tasks and challenges. Based on the assessment, the General Board in both compositions may extend their term of office once.	Executive Board shall be four years. In the course of the 12 months preceding the end of the four-year term of office of the Chair of the Authority and five members of the Executive Board, the <u>Commission, taking into account</u> <u>the opinion of the</u> General Board in both compositions or a smaller committee selected among General Board members including a Commission representative shall carry out an assessment of performance of the Executive Board. The assessment shall take into account an evaluation of the Executive Board members' performance and the Authority's future tasks and challenges. Based on the assessment, the <u>General Board in both compositions</u> <u>may Commission may propose to the European</u> <u>Parliament to</u> extend their term of office once. <u>The competent committee of the European</u> <u>Parliament may conduct hearings of the European Parliament's approval of the Commission's proposal, the Council shall adopt an implementing decision to extend the term of office of those Executive Board members. The Council shall act by qualified majority.</u>
578	5. The Executive Board members referred to in paragraph 1, point (a) and (b) shall act independently and objectively in the interest of	5. The Executive Board members referred to in paragraph 1, point (a) and (b) shall act independently and objectively in the interest	5. The Executive Board members referred to in paragraph 1, point (a) and (b) shall act independently and objectively in the interest of

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	the Union as a whole and shall neither seek nor take instructions from the Union institutions, Union decentralised agencies and other Union bodies from any government or from any other public or private body. The institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the Union and the governments of the Member States and any other bodies shall respect that independence.	of the Union as a whole and shall neither seek nor take instructions from the Union institutions, Union decentralised agencies and other Union bodies from any government or from any other public or private body. The institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the Union and the governments of the Member States and any other bodies shall respect that independence.	the Union as a whole and shall neither seek nor take instructions from the Union institutions, Union decentralised agencies and other Union bodies from any government or from any other public or private body. The institutions, bodies, offices and agencies of the Union and the governments of the Member States and any other bodies shall respect that independence.
579	6. If one or more of the members of the Executive Board, except for the Chair of the Authority, no longer fulfil the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties or has been guilty of serious misconduct, the General Board may, following a proposal by the Commission, remove any of the members of the Executive Board from office.	6. If one or more of the members of the Executive Board, except for the Chair of the Authority, no longer fulfil the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties or has been guilty of serious misconduct, the General Board may, following a proposal by the Commission, remove any of the members of the Executive Board from office.	6. If one or more of the members of the Executive Board, except for the Chair of the Authority, no longer fulfil the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties or has been guilty of serious misconduct, the General Board may, following a proposal by the Commission, remove any of the members of the Executive Board from office.
580	7. During a period of one year after ceasing to hold office, the former members of the Executive Board, including the Chair of the Authority, are prohibited from engaging in a gainful occupational activity with	7. During a period of one year after ceasing to hold office, the former members of the Executive Board, including the Chair of the Authority, are prohibited from engaging in a gainful occupational activity with	7. During a period of <i>one year<u>two years</u></i> after ceasing to hold office, the former members of the Executive Board, including the Chair <u>and</u> <u>the Vice-Chair</u> of the Authority, are prohibited from engaging in a gainful occupational activity with
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	(a) a selected obliged entity;	(a) a selected obliged entity;	(a) a selected obliged entity;
582	(b) any other entity where a conflict of interest exists or could be perceived to exist.	(b) any other entity where a conflict of interest exists or could be perceived to exist.	(b) any other entity <u>related to the Authority's</u> <u>tasks, powers and objectives,</u> where a conflict of interest <u>exists or could be perceived to existor</u> <u>an excessive risk thereof exists</u> .
583	In its rules for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest in respect of its members referred to in Article 53 (4) point (e), the Executive Board shall specify the circumstances under which such a conflict of interest exists or could be perceived to exist.	In its rules for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest in respect of its members referred to in Article 53 (4) point (e), the Executive Board shall specify the circumstances under which such a conflict of interest exists or could be perceived to exist.	In its rules for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest in respect of its members referred to in Article 53 (4) point (e), the Executive Board shall specify the circumstances under which such a conflict of interest exists or could be perceived to exist.
584	Article 53 Tasks of the Executive Board	Article 53 Tasks of the Executive Board	Article 53 Tasks of the Executive Board
585	1. The Executive Board shall be responsible for the overall planning and the execution of the tasks conferred on the Authority pursuant to Article 5. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions of the Authority with the exception of the decisions that shall be taken by the General Board in accordance with Article	1. The Executive Board shall be responsible for the overall planning and the execution of the tasks conferred on the Authority pursuant to Article 5. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions of the Authority with the exception of the decisions that shall be taken by the General Board in accordance with	1. The Executive Board shall be responsible for the overall planning and the execution of the tasks conferred on the Authority pursuant to Article 5. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions of the Authority with the exception of the decisions that shall be taken by the General Board in accordance with Article

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	49.	Article 49.	49.
586	2. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions addressed to selected obliged entities following the proposal of the selected obliged entity's Joint Supervisory Team referred to in Article 15, and taking into account the opinion provided by the General Board on that proposed decision. Where the Executive Board deviates from such an opinion, it shall provide the reasons thereof in writing.	2. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions addressed to selected obliged entities <i>followingtaking into account</i> the proposal of the selected obliged entity's Joint Supervisory Team referred to in Article 15, <i>and taking into accountthe proposal of the independent investigatory team referred to in article 25, and</i> the opinion provided by the General Board on that proposed decision <i>pursuant to Article 49(2)</i> . Where the Executive Board deviates from such an opinion, it shall provide the <i>detailed</i> reasons thereof in writing.	<b>21a</b> . The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions addressed to selected obliged entities for the purposes of the exercise of the tasks referred to in Article 5(2) and the powers referred to in Article 6(1) and Articles 16 to 22. The Executive Board shall adopt decisions addressed to selected obliged entities following the proposal of the selected obliged entity's Joint Supervisory Team referred to in Article 15, and taking into account the opinion provided by the General Board on that proposed decision. Where the Executive Board <i>deviatesdecides to deviate</i> from such an opinion, it shall provide the reasons thereof in writing.
586a			<i>The Executive Board shall adopt all of the <u>decisions addressed to obliged entities referred</u> <u>to in Article 30c.</u></i>
587	3. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions addressed to individual public authorities pursuant to Articles 28, 31, and 32.	3. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions addressed to individual public authorities pursuant to Articles 28, 31, and 32.	3. The Executive Board shall adopt all the decisions addressed to individual public authorities pursuant to Articles 28, <u>30, 30a, 30b,</u> <u>30c,</u> 31, and 32.

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588	4. In addition, the Executive Board shall have the following tasks:	4. In addition, the Executive Board shall have the following tasks:	4. In addition, the Executive Board shall have the following tasks:
589	(a) adopt, by 30 November of each year, on the basis of a proposal by the Executive Director, the draft Single Programming Document, and shall transmit it for information to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission by 31 January the following year, as well as any other updated version of the document ;	(a) adopt, by 30 November of each year, on the basis of a proposal by the Executive Director, the draft Single Programming Document, and shall transmit it for information to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission by 31 January the following year, as well as any other updated version of the document-;	(a) adopt, by 30 November of each year, on the basis of a proposal by the Executive Director, the draft Single Programming Document <u>in</u> <u>accordance with Article 54</u> , and shall transmit it for information to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission by 31 January the following year, as well as any other updated version of the document;
590	(b) adopt the draft annual budget of the Authority and exercise other functions in respect of the Authority's budget;	(b) adopt the draft annual budget of the Authority and exercise other functions in respect of the Authority's budget;	(b) adopt the draft annual budget of the Authority and exercise other functions in respect of the Authority's budget;
591	(c) assess and adopt a consolidated annual activity report on the Authority's activities, including an overview of the fulfilment of its tasks and send it, by 1 July each year, to the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission and the Court of Auditors and make the consolidated annual activity report public;	(c) assess and adopt a consolidated annual activity report on the Authority's activities, including an overview of the fulfilment of its tasks and send it, by 1 July each year, to the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission and the Court of Auditors and make the consolidated annual activity report public;	(c) assess and adopt a consolidated annual activity report on the Authority's activities, including an overview of the fulfilment of its tasks and send it, by 1 July each year, to the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission and the Court of Auditors and make the consolidated annual activity report public;

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592	(d) adopt an anti-fraud strategy, proportionate to fraud risks taking into account the costs and benefits of the measures to be implemented;	(d) adopt an anti-fraud strategy, proportionate to fraud risks taking into account the costs and benefits of the measures to be implemented;	(d) adopt an anti-fraud strategy, proportionate to fraud risks taking into account the costs and benefits of the measures to be implemented;
593	(e) adopt rules for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest in respect of its members, as well as the members of the Administrative Board of Review;	(e) adopt rules for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest in respect of its members, as well as the members of the Administrative Board of Review;	(e) adopt rules for the prevention and management of conflicts of interest in respect of its members, as well as the members of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> ;
594	(f) adopt its rules of procedure;	(f) adopt its rules of procedure;	(f) adopt its rules of procedure;
595	(g) exercise, with respect to the staff of the Authority, the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the Appointing Authority and by the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants on the Authority Empowered to Conclude a Contract of Employment ("the appointing authority powers");	(g) exercise, with respect to the staff of the Authority, the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the Appointing Authority and by the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants on the Authority Empowered to Conclude a Contract of Employment ("the appointing authority powers");	(g) exercise, with respect to the staff of the Authority, the powers conferred by the Staff Regulations on the Appointing Authority and by the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants on the Authority Empowered to Conclude a Contract of Employment ("the appointing authority powers");
596	(h) adopt appropriate implementing rules for giving effect to the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants in	(h) adopt appropriate implementing rules for giving effect to the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants	(h) adopt appropriate implementing rules for giving effect to the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants in

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	accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations;	in accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations;	accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations;
597	(i) appoint the Executive Director and remove him/her from office, in accordance with Article 58;	(i) appoint the Executive Director and remove him/her from office, in accordance with Article 58;	(i) appoint the Executive Director and remove him/her from office, in accordance with Article 58;
598	(j) appoint an Accounting Officer, who may be the Commission's Accounting Officer, subject to the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of other servants, who shall be totally independent in the performance of his/her duties;	(j) appoint an Accounting Officer, who may be the Commission's Accounting Officer, subject to the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of other servants, who shall be totally independent in the performance of his/her duties;	(j) appoint an Accounting Officer, who may be the Commission's Accounting Officer, subject to the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of other servants, who shall be totally independent in the performance of his/her duties;
599	(k) ensure adequate follow-up to findings and recommendations stemming from the internal or external audit reports and evaluations, as well as from investigations of OLAF;	(k) ensure adequate follow-up to findings and recommendations stemming from the internal or external audit reports and evaluations, as well as from investigations of OLAF;	(k) ensure adequate follow-up to findings and recommendations stemming from the internal or external audit reports and evaluations, as well as from investigations of OLAF;
600	(l) adopt the financial rules applicable to the Authority;	(l) adopt the financial rules applicable to the Authority;	(1) adopt the financial rules applicable to the Authority;
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	(m) take all decisions on the establishment of	(m) take all decisions on the establishment	(m) take all decisions on the establishment of
	the Authority's internal structures and, where	of the Authority's internal structures and,	the Authority's internal structures and, where
	necessary, their modification.	where necessary, their modification.	necessary, their modification.
602	5. The Executive Board shall select a Vice-	5. The Executive Board shall select a Vice-	5. The Executive Board shall select a Vice-
	Chair of the Authority among its voting	Chair of the Authority among its voting	Chair of the Authority among its voting
	members. The Vice-Chair shall automatically	members. The Vice-Chair shall	members. The Vice-Chair shall automatically
	replace the Chair, if the latter is prevented from	automatically replace the Chair, if the latter	replace the Chair, if the latter is prevented from
	attending to his/her duties.	is prevented from attending to his/her duties.	attending to his/her duties.
603	6. With respect to the powers mentioned in paragraph 4 point (h), the Executive Board shall adopt, in accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations, a decision based on Article 2(1) of the Staff Regulations and Article 6 of the Conditions of Employment, delegating relevant appointing authority powers to the Executive Director. The Executive Director shall be authorised to sub-delegate those powers.	6. With respect to the powers mentioned in paragraph 4 point (h), the Executive Board shall adopt, in accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations, a decision based on Article 2(1) of the Staff Regulations and Article 6 of the Conditions of Employment, delegating relevant appointing authority powers to the Executive Director. The Executive Director shall be authorised to sub-delegate those powers.	6. With respect to the powers mentioned in paragraph 4 point (h), the Executive Board shall adopt, in accordance with Article 110(2) of the Staff Regulations, a decision based on Article 2(1) of the Staff Regulations and Article 6 of the Conditions of Employment, delegating relevant appointing authority powers to the Executive Director. The Executive Director shall be authorised to sub-delegate those powers.
604	7. In exceptional circumstances, the Executive	7. In exceptional circumstances, the	7. In exceptional circumstances, the Executive
	Board may by way of a decision temporarily	Executive Board may by way of a decision	Board may by way of a decision temporarily
	suspend the delegation of the appointing	temporarily suspend the delegation of the	suspend the delegation of the appointing
	authority powers to the Executive Director and	appointing authority powers to the Executive	authority powers to the Executive Director and
	any sub-delegation by the latter and exercise	Director and any sub-delegation by the latter	any sub-delegation by the latter and exercise
	them itself or delegate them to one of its	and exercise them itself or delegate them to	them itself or delegate them to one of its

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	members or to a staff member other than the Executive Director.	one of its members or to a staff member other than the Executive Director.	members or to a staff member other than the Executive Director.
605	Article 54 Annual and multiannual programming	Article 54 Annual and multiannual programming	Article 54 Annual and multiannual programming
606	1. By 30 November each year the Executive Board shall adopt a Single Programming Document containing multiannual and annual programming, based on a draft put forward by the Executive Director, taking into account the opinion of the Commission and in relation to multiannual programming after consulting the European Parliament. It shall forward it to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.	1. By 30 November each year the Executive Board shall adopt a Single Programming Document containing multiannual and annual programming, based on a draft put forward by the Executive Director, taking into account the opinion of the Commission and in relation to multiannual programming after consulting the European Parliament. It shall forward it to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.	1. By 30 November each year the Executive Board shall adopt a Single Programming Document containing multiannual and annual programming, based on a draft put forward by the Executive Director, taking into account the opinion of the Commission and in relation to multiannual programming after consulting the European Parliament. <i>If the Executive Board</i> <i>decides not to take into account any elements</i> <i>of the opinion of the Commission</i> , it shall <i>forward itprovide a thorough justification for</i> <i>that decision. The obligation to provide a</i> <i>thorough justification shall also apply to any</i> <i>elements raised by the European Parliament</i> <i>when it is consulted. The Executive Board</i> <i>shall forward the Single Programming</i> <i>Document</i> to the European Parliament, the Council and the Commission.
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	The programming document shall become final after final adoption of the general budget and if necessary shall be adjusted accordingly.	The programming document shall become final after final adoption of the general budget and if necessary shall be adjusted accordingly.	The programming document shall become final after final adoption of the general budget and if necessary shall be adjusted accordingly.
608	2. The annual work programme shall comprise detailed objectives and expected results including performance indicators. It shall also contain a description of the actions to be financed and an indication of the financial and human resources allocated to each action, in accordance with the principles of activity-based budgeting and management. The annual work programme shall be coherent with the multi- annual work programme referred to in paragraph 4. It shall clearly indicate tasks that have been added, changed or deleted in comparison with the previous financial year.	2. The annual work programme shall comprise detailed objectives and expected results including performance indicators. It shall also contain a description of the actions to be financed and an indication of the financial and human resources allocated to each action, in accordance with the principles of activity-based budgeting and management. The annual work programme shall be coherent with the <i>multi-</i> <i>annualmultiannual</i> work programme referred to in paragraph 4. It shall clearly indicate tasks that have been added, changed or deleted in comparison with the previous financial year.	2. The annual work programme shall comprise detailed objectives and expected results including performance indicators. It shall also contain a description of the actions to be financed and an indication of the financial and human resources allocated to each action, in accordance with the principles of activity-based budgeting and management. The annual work programme shall be coherent with the multi- annual work programme referred to in paragraph 4. It shall clearly indicate tasks that have been added, changed or deleted in comparison with the previous financial year.
609	3. The Executive Board shall amend the adopted annual work programme when a new task is given to the Authority.	3. The Executive Board shall amend the adopted annual work programme when a new task is given to the Authority.	3. The Executive Board shall amend the adopted annual work programme when a new task is given to the Authority.
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	Any substantial amendment to the annual work programme shall be adopted by the same procedure as the initial annual work programme. The Executive Board may delegate the power to make non-substantial amendments to the annual work programme to the Executive Director.	Any substantial amendment to the annual work programme shall be adopted by the same procedure as the initial annual work programme. The Executive Board may delegate the power to make non-substantial amendments to the annual work programme to the Executive Director.	Any substantial amendment to the annual work programme shall be adopted by the same procedure as the initial annual work programme. The Executive Board may delegate the power to make non-substantial amendments to the annual work programme to the Executive Director.
611	4. The multiannual work programme shall set out overall strategic programming including objectives, expected results and performance indicators. It shall also set out resource programming including multiannual budget and staff.	4. The multiannual work programme shall set out overall strategic programming including objectives, expected results and performance indicators. It shall also set out resource programming including multiannual budget and staff.	4. The multiannual work programme shall set out overall strategic programming including objectives, expected results and performance indicators. It shall also set out resource programming including multiannual budget and staff.
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612	The resource programming shall be updated annually. The strategic programming shall be updated where appropriate.	The resource programming shall be updated annually. The strategic programming shall be updated where appropriate.	The resource programming shall be updated annually. The strategic programming shall be updated where appropriate.
613	Article 55 Voting rules of the Executive Board	Article 55 Voting rules of the Executive Board	Article 55 Voting rules of the Executive Board
614	1. The Executive Board shall take decisions by	1. The Executive Board shall take decisions	1. The Executive Board shall take decisions by

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	simple majority of its members. Each member of the Executive Board shall have one vote. The Chair of the Authority shall have a casting vote in case of a tie.	by simple majority of its members. Each member of the Executive Board shall have one vote. The Chair of the Authority shall have a casting vote in case of a tie.	simple majority of its members. Each member of the Executive Board, <i>in accordance with</i> <u>Article 52(1)</u> , shall have one vote. The Chair of the Authority, <i>or the Vice-Chair when</i> <u>replacing the Chair</u> , shall have a casting vote in case of a tie.
615	2. A representative of the Commission shall have a right to vote whenever matters pertaining to Article 53(4) points (a) to (1) are discussed and decided upon. For the purposes of taking the decisions referred to in Article 53(4), points (f) and (g), the representative of the Commission shall have one vote. The decisions referred to in Article 53(4), points (b) to (e) and (h) to (1) may only be taken if the representative of the Commission casts a positive vote. For the purposes of taking the decisions referred to in Article 53(4), point (a), the consent of the representative of the Commission shall only be required on the elements of the decision not related to the annual and multi-annual working programme of the Authority.	2. A representative of the Commission shall have a right to vote whenever matters pertaining to Article 53(4) points (a) to (l) are discussed and decided upon. For the purposes of taking the decisions referred to in Article 53(4), points (f) and (g), the representative of the Commission shall have one vote. The decisions referred to in Article 53(4), points (b) to (e) and (h) to (l) may only be taken if the representative of the Commission casts a positive vote. For the purposes of taking the decisions referred to in Article 53(4), point (a), the consent of the representative of the Commission shall only be required on the elements of the decision not related to the annual and <i>multi-</i> <i>annualmultiannual</i> working programme of the Authority.	2. A representative of the Commission shall have a right to vote whenever matters pertaining to Article 53(4) points (a) to (1) are discussed and decided upon. For the purposes of taking the decisions referred to in Article 53(4), points (f) and (g), the representative of the Commission shall have one vote. The decisions referred to in Article 53(4), points (b) to (e) and (h) to (l) may only be taken if the representative of the Commission casts a positive vote. For the purposes of taking the decisions referred to in Article 53(4), point (a), the consent of the representative of the Commission shall only be required on the elements of the decision not related to the annual and multi-annual working programme of the Authority.
616	3. The Executive Board's rules of procedure shall establish more detailed voting	3. The Executive Board's rules of procedure shall establish more detailed voting	3. The Executive Board's rules of procedure shall establish more detailed voting

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	arrangements, in particular the circumstances in which a member may act on behalf of another member.	arrangements, in particular the circumstances in which a member may act on behalf of another member.	arrangements, in particular the circumstances in which a member may act on behalf of another member.
616a			<u>Article 55a</u> <u>Fundamental Rights Officer</u>
616b			1. The Executive Board shall, upon a proposal of the Executive Director, designate a Fundamental Rights Officer. The Fundamental Rights Officer may be a member of the existing staff of the Authority who received special training in fundamental rights law and practice.
616c			2. The Fundamental Rights Officer shall perform the following tasks:
616d			(a) advise the Authority, where the Officer deems it necessary or where requested, on any activity of the Authority without impeding or delaying those activities;
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			(b) monitor the Authority's compliance with fundamental rights;
616f			<u>(c)</u> provide non-binding opinions on working arrangements;
616g			(d) inform the Executive Director about possible violations of fundamental rights in the course of the Authority's activities;
616h			(e) promote the Authority's respect of <u>fundamental rights in the performance of its</u> tasks and activities;
616i			(f) any other tasks where provided for by this <u>Regulation.</u>
616j			3. The Authority shall ensure that the Fundamental Rights Officer does not receive any instructions regarding the exercise of the Officer's tasks.

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616k			4. The Fundamental Rights Officer shall report directly to the Executive Director and prepare annual reports on the Officer's activities, including the extent to which the activities of the Authority respect fundamental rights. Those reports shall be made available to the Executive Board.
617	SECTION 3 THE CHAIR OF THE AUTHORITY	SECTION 3 THE CHAIR OF THE AUTHORITY	SECTION 3 THE CHAIR OF THE AUTHORITY
618	Article 56 Appointment of the Chair of the Authority	Article 56 Appointment of the Chair of the Authority	Article 56 Appointment of the Chair of the Authority
619	1. The Chair of the Authority shall be selected on the basis of merit, skills, knowledge, recognised standing and experience in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism and other relevant qualification, following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. The Commission shall draw up a shortlist of two qualified candidates for the position of the Chair of the Authority. The Council, after approval by the European Parliament, shall	1. The Chair of the Authority shall be selected on the basis of merit, skills, knowledge, recognised standing and experience in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism and other relevant qualification, following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. The Commission shall draw up a shortlist of two qualified candidates for the position of the Chair of the Authority. The <u>General Board shall</u>	1. The Chair of the Authority shall be selected on the basis of merit, skills, knowledge, <u>integrity</u> , recognised standing and experience in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism and other relevant qualification, following an open selection procedure which shall <u>take into</u> <u>account the principle of gender balance and</u> <u>shall</u> be published in the Official Journal of the European Union. The Commission shall <u>draw</u> <u>upprovide to the European Parliament</u> a shortlist of <del>two</del> -qualified candidates for the

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	adopt an implementing decision to appoint the Chair of the Authority.	organise a hearing of those two candidates and provide an opinion to the Parliament and the Council. The Council, after approval by the European Parliament, shall adopt an implementing decision to appoint the Chair of the Authority.	position of <u>Chair of the Authority and inform</u> <u>the Council of the shortlist. The European</u> <u>Parliament may conduct hearingsthe Chair</u> of the <u>Authority candidates on that shortlist</u> . <u>Following the outcome in the European</u> <u>Parliament, the Commission shall submit a</u> <u>proposal for the appointment of the Chair of</u> <u>the Authority to the European Parliament for</u> <u>The Council, after</u> approval. <u>Following-by</u> the European Parliament's <u>approval of that</u> <u>proposal, the Council</u> ,-shall adopt an implementing decision to appoint the Chair of the Authority. <u>The Council shall act by</u> <u>qualified majority. Where the European</u> <u>Parliament considers that none of the</u> <u>shortlisted candidates sufficiently fulfils the</u> <u>criteria set out in this paragraph, the open</u> <u>selection procedure shall recommence</u> .
619a		<u>1a.</u> <u>The term of office of the chair shall be</u> <u>four years. This may be extended once.</u>	
620	2. If the Chair of the Authority no longer fulfils the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties or has been guilty of serious misconduct, the Council may, following a proposal by the General Board in either composition, adopt an implementing decision to	2. If the Chair of the Authority no longer fulfils the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties or has been <u>found</u> guilty of serious misconduct, the Council may, following a proposal by the General Board in either composition, adopt	2. If the Chair of the Authority no longer fulfils the conditions required for the performance of his or her duties or has been guilty of serious misconduct, the Council may, <u>on its own</u> <u>initiative or</u> following a proposal by <u>the</u> <u>European Parliament or</u> the General Board in

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	remove the Chair of the Authority from office. The Council shall act by qualified majority.	an implementing decision to remove the Chair of the Authority from office. The Council shall act by qualified majority.	either composition, adopt an implementing decision to remove the Chair of the Authority from office. The Council shall act by qualified majority.
621	3. Should the Chair resign or be unable to attend to his or her duties for any other reason, the functions of the Chair shall be performed by the Vice-Chair.	3. Should the Chair resign or be unable to attend to his or her duties for any other reason, the functions of the Chair shall be performed by the Vice-Chair.	3. Should the Chair resign or be unable to attend to his or her duties for any other reason, the functions of the Chair shall be performed by the Vice-Chair.
622	Article 57 Responsibilities of the Chair of the Authority	Article 57 Responsibilities of the Chair of the Authority	Article 57 Responsibilities of the Chair of the Authority
623	1. The Chair of the Authority shall represent the Authority and shall be responsible for preparing the work of the General Board and the Executive Board, including setting the agenda, convening and chairing all the meetings and tabling items for decision.	1. The Chair of the Authority shall represent the Authority and shall be responsible for preparing the work of the General Board and the Executive Board, including setting the agenda, convening and chairing all the meetings and tabling items for decision.	1. The Chair of the Authority shall represent the Authority and shall be responsible for preparing the work of the General Board and the Executive Board, including setting the agenda, convening and chairing all the meetings and tabling items for decision.
624	2. The Chair shall assign to the five members of the Executive Board specific areas of responsibility within the scope of tasks of the Authority for the duration of their mandate.	2. The Chair shall assign to the five members of the Executive Board specific areas of responsibility within the scope of tasks of the Authority for the duration of their mandate.	2. The Chair shall assign to the five members of the Executive Board specific areas of responsibility within the scope of tasks of the Authority for the duration of their mandate.

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625	SECTION 4 THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	SECTION 4 THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	SECTION 4 THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR
626	Article 58 Appointment of the Executive Director	Article 58 Appointment of the Executive Director	Article 58 Appointment of the Executive Director
627	1. The Executive Director shall be engaged as a temporary agent of the Authority under Article 2(a) of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants.	1. The Executive Director shall be engaged as a temporary agent of the Authority under Article 2(a) of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants.	1. The Executive Director shall be engaged as a temporary agent of the Authority under Article 2(a) of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants.
628	2. The Executive Director shall perform his duties in the interests of the Union, and independently of any specific interests.	2. The Executive Director shall perform his <u>or her</u> duties in the interests of the Union, and independently of any specific interests.	2. The Executive Director shall perform his <u>or</u> <u>her</u> duties in the interests of the Union, and independently of any specific interests.
629	3. The Executive Director shall manage the Authority. The Executive Director shall be accountable to the Executive Board. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission and of the Executive Board, the Executive Director shall be independent in the performance of his or her duties and shall neither seek nor take	3. The Executive Director shall manage the Authority. The Executive Director shall be accountable to the Executive Board. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission and of the Executive Board, the Executive Director shall be independent in the performance of his or her duties and shall	3. The Executive Director shall manage the Authority. The Executive Director shall be accountable to the Executive Board. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission and of the Executive Board, the Executive Director shall be independent in the performance of his or her duties and shall neither seek nor take

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	instructions from any government or from any other body.	Council Mandate neither seek nor take instructions from any <u>Union institutions or bodies, from any</u> government or from any other body.	instructions from any government or from any other body.
630	4. The Executive Director shall be selected on the grounds of merit and documented high-level administrative, budgetary and management skills, following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union, and, as appropriate, other press or internet sites. The Commission shall draw up a shortlist of two qualified candidates for the position of the Executive Director. The Executive Board shall appoint the Executive Director.	4. The Executive Director shall be selected on the grounds of merit and documented high-level administrative, budgetary and management skills, following an open selection procedure which shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union, and, as appropriate, other press or internet sites. The Commission shall draw up a shortlist of two qualified candidates for the position of the Executive Director. The <u>General Board shall organize a hearing on</u> the two candidates and provide an opinion for consideration by the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall appoint the Executive Director.	4. The Executive Director shall be selected on the grounds of merit and documented high-level administrative, budgetary and management skills, following an open selection procedure which shall <u>take into account the principle of</u> <u>gender balance and</u> be published in the Official Journal of the European Union, and, as appropriate, other press or internet sites. The Commission shall draw up a shortlist of <del>two</del> qualified candidates for the position of the Executive Director <u>and shall provide that</u> <u>shortlist to the European Parliament. The</u> <u>European Parliament may conduct hearings of</u> <u>the candidates on that shortlist. Following the</u> <u>outcome in the European Parliament, the _The</u> Executive Board shall appoint the Executive Director, <u>after approval by the European</u> <u>Parliament. Where the European Parliament</u> <u>considers that none of the shortlisted</u> <u>candidates sufficiently fulfils the criteria set</u> <u>out in this paragraph, the open selection</u> <u>procedure shall recommence</u> .
631	5. The term of office of the Executive Director	5. The term of office of the Executive	5. The term of office of the Executive Director

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	shall be five years. In the course of the nine months preceding the end of the Executive Director's term of office, the Executive Board shall undertake an assessment that takes into account an evaluation of the Executive Director's performance and the Agency's future tasks and challenges. The Executive Board, taking into account the evaluation referred to in the first subparagraph, may extend the term of office of the Executive Director once.	Director shall be five years. In the course of the nine months preceding the end of the Executive Director's term of office, the Executive Board shall undertake an assessment that takes into account an evaluation of the Executive Director's performance and the Agency's future tasks and challenges. The Executive Board, taking into account the evaluation referred to in the first subparagraph, may extend the term of office of the Executive Director once.	shall be five years. In the course of the nine months preceding the end of the Executive Director's term of office, the Executive Board shall undertake an assessment that takes into account an evaluation of the Executive Director's performance and the Agency's future tasks and challenges. The Executive Board, taking into account the evaluation referred to in the first subparagraph, may extend the term of office of the Executive Director once.
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632	The Executive Director may be removed from office by the Executive Board on proposal by the Commission.	The Executive Director may be removed from office by the Executive Board on proposal by the Commission. <u>The General</u> <u>Board may provide an opinion to the</u> <u>Executive Board regarding the proposal of</u> <u>the Commission.</u>	The Executive Director may be removed from office by the Executive Board on proposal by the <i>European Parliament, the Council or the</i> Commission.
633	6. An Executive Director whose term of office has been extended may not participate in another selection procedure for the same post at the end of the extended term of office.	6. An Executive Director whose term of office has been extended may not participate in another selection procedure for the same post at the end of the extended term of office.	6. An Executive Director whose term of office has been extended may not participate in another selection procedure for the same post at the end of the extended term of office.
634	Article 59	Article 59	Article 59

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	Tasks of the Executive Director	Tasks of the Executive Director	Tasks of the Executive Director
635	1. The Executive Director shall be in charge of the day-to-day management of the Authority and shall aim to ensure gender balance within the Authority. In particular, the Executive Director shall be responsible for:	1. The Executive Director shall be in charge of the day-to-day management of the Authority and shall aim to ensure gender and, to the extent possible, geographical balance within the Authority. In particular, the Executive Director shall be responsible for:	1. The Executive Director shall be in charge of the day-to-day management of the Authority and shall aim to <u>uphold the highest</u> <u>professional standards and</u> ensure gender balance within the Authority. In particular, the Executive Director shall be responsible for:
636	(a) implementing decisions adopted by the Executive Board;	(a) implementing decisions adopted by the Executive Board;	(a) implementing decisions adopted by the Executive Board;
637	(b) preparing the draft Single Programming Document and submitting it to the Executive Board after consulting the Commission;	(b) preparing the draft Single Programming Document and submitting it to the Executive Board after consulting the Commission;	(b) preparing the draft Single Programming Document and submitting it to the Executive Board after consulting the Commission;
638	(c) implementing the Single Programming Document and reporting to the Executive Board on its implementation;	(c) implementing the Single Programming Document and reporting to the Executive Board on its implementation;	(c) implementing the Single Programming Document and reporting to the Executive Board on its implementation;
639	(d) preparing the draft consolidated annual report on the Authority's activities and	(d) preparing the draft consolidated annual report on the Authority's activities and	(d) preparing the draft consolidated annual report on the Authority's activities and

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	presenting it to the Executive Board for assessment and adoption;	Council Mandate presenting it to the Executive Board for assessment and adoption;	presenting it to the Executive Board for assessment and adoption;
640	(e) preparing an action plan following up conclusions of internal or external audit reports and evaluations, as well as investigations by the European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF) and reporting on progress twice a year to the Commission and regularly to the Gene4ral Boards and the Executive Board;	(e) preparing an action plan following up conclusions of internal or external audit reports and evaluations, as well as investigations by the European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF) and reporting on progress twice a yearregularly to the Commission-and regularly to the Gene4ral Boards, the General Board and the Executive Board;	(e) preparing an action plan following up conclusions of internal or external audit reports and evaluations, as well as investigations by the European Anti-fraud Office (OLAF) and reporting on progress twice a year to the Commission and regularly to the Gene4ral Boards and the Executive Board;
641	(f) protecting the financial interests of the Union by applying preventive measures against fraud, corruption and any other illegal activities, without prejudicing the investigative competence of OLAF by effective checks and, if irregularities are detected, by recovering amounts wrongly paid and, where appropriate, by imposing effective, proportionate and dissuasive administrative, including financial penalties;	(f) protecting the financial interests of the Union by applying preventive measures against fraud, corruption and any other illegal activities, without prejudicing the investigative competence of OLAF by effective checks and, if irregularities are detected, by recovering amounts wrongly paid and, where appropriate, by imposing effective, proportionate and dissuasive administrative, including financial penalties;	(f) protecting the financial interests of the Union by applying preventive measures against fraud, corruption and any other illegal activities, without prejudicing the investigative competence of OLAF by effective checks and, if irregularities are detected, by recovering amounts wrongly paid and, where appropriate, by imposing effective, proportionate and dissuasive administrative, including financial penalties;
642	(g) preparing an anti-fraud strategy for the Authority and presenting it to the Executive Board for approval;	(g) preparing an anti-fraud strategy for the Authority and presenting it to the Executive Board for approval;	(g) preparing an anti-fraud strategy for the Authority and presenting it to the Executive Board for approval;

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643	(h) preparing draft financial rules applicable to the Authority;	(h) preparing draft financial rules applicable to the Authority;	(h) preparing draft financial rules applicable to the Authority;
644	(i) preparing the Authority's draft statement of estimates of revenue and expenditure and implementing its budget;	(i) preparing the Authority's draft statement of estimates of revenue and expenditure and implementing its budget;	(i) preparing, as part of the draft Single <u>Programming Document</u> the Authority's draft statement of estimates of revenue and expenditure <u>pursuant to Article 66</u> and implementing its budget <u>pursuant to Article 67</u> ;
645	(j) preparing and implementing an IT security strategy, ensuring appropriate risk management for all IT infrastructure, systems and services, which are developed or procured by the Authority as well as sufficient IT security funding.	(j) preparing and implementing an IT security strategy, ensuring appropriate risk management for all IT infrastructure, systems and services, which are developed or procured by the Authority as well as sufficient IT security funding.	(j) preparing and implementing an IT security strategy, ensuring appropriate risk management for all IT infrastructure, systems and services, which are developed or procured by the Authority as well as sufficient IT security funding.
646	(k) implementing the annual work programme of the Authority under the control of the Executive Board;	(k) implementing the annual work programme of the Authority under the control of the Executive Board;	(k) implementing the annual work programme of the Authority under the control of the Executive Board;
647	(l) drawing up a draft statement of estimates of the Authority's revenue and expenditure as part of Authority's Single Programming Document pursuant to Article 66 and shall implement the	(l) drawing up a draft statement of estimates of the Authority's revenue and expenditure as part of Authority's Single Programming Document pursuant to Article 66 and shall	deleted

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	budget of the Authority pursuant to Article 67;	implement the budget of the Authority pursuant to Article 67;	
648	( <i>m</i> ) preparing a draft report describing all activities of the Authority with a section on financial and administrative matters.	(m) preparing a draft report describing all activities of the Authority with a section on financial and administrative matters.	(m) preparing a draft report describing all activities of the Authority with a section on financial and administrative matters.
649	2. The Executive Director shall take other necessary measures, notably the adoption of internal administrative instructions and the publication of notices, to ensure the functioning of the Authority, in accordance with this Regulation.	2. The Executive Director shall take other necessary measures, notably the adoption of internal administrative instructions and the publication of notices, to ensure the functioning of the Authority, in accordance with this Regulation.	2. The Executive Director shall take other necessary measures, notably the adoption of internal administrative instructions and the publication of notices, to ensure the functioning of the Authority, in accordance with this Regulation.
650	3. The Executive Director shall decide whether it is necessary to locate one or more staff in one or more Member States for the purpose of carrying out the Authority's tasks in an efficient and effective manner. Before deciding to establish a local office, the Executive Director shall obtain the prior consent of the Commission, the Executive Board and the Member State(s) concerned. The decision shall specify the scope of the activities to be carried out at the local office in a manner that avoids unnecessary costs and duplication of administrative functions of the Authority. A	3. The Executive Director shall decide whether it is necessary to locate one or more staff in one or more Member States for the purpose of carrying out the Authority's tasks in an efficient and effective manner. Before deciding to establish a local office, the Executive Director shall obtain the prior consent of the Commission, the Executive Board and the Member State(s) concerned. The decision shall specify the scope of the activities to be carried out at the local office in a manner that avoids unnecessary costs and duplication of administrative functions	3. The Executive Director shall decide whether it is necessary to locate one or more staff in one or more Member States for the purpose of carrying out the Authority's tasks in an efficient and effective manner. Before deciding to establish a local office, the Executive Director shall obtain the prior consent of the Commission, the Executive Board and the Member State(s) concerned. The decision shall specify the scope of the activities to be carried out at the local office in a manner that avoids unnecessary costs and duplication of administrative functions of the Authority. <i>A</i>

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	headquarters agreement with the Member State(s) concerned shall be concluded.	of the Authority. A headquarters agreement with the Member State(s) concerned shall be concluded.	headquarters <u>An</u> agreement with the Member State(s) concerned shall be concluded accordingly.
651	SECTION 5 ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF REVIEW	SECTION 5 ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF REVIEW	SECTION 5 ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD OF <i>REVIEW <u>APPEAL</u></i>
652	Article 60 Creation and Composition of the Administrative Board of Review	Article 60 Creation and Composition of the Administrative Board of Review	Article 60 Creation and Composition of the Administrative Board of <i>Review Appeal</i>
653	1. The Authority shall establish an Administrative Board of Review for the purposes of carrying out an internal administrative review of the decisions taken by the Authority in the exercise of the powers listed in Articles 20, 21 and 22. The scope of the internal administrative review shall pertain to the procedural and substantive conformity with this Regulation of such decisions.	1. The Authority shall establish an Administrative Board of Review for the purposes of carrying out an internal administrative review of the decisions taken by the Authority in the exercise of the powers listed in Articles 20, 21, <u>22 and 65</u> <u>and 22</u> . The scope of the internal administrative review shall pertain to the procedural and substantive conformity with this Regulation of such decisions.	1. The Authority shall establish an Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> for the purposes of carrying out an internal administrative review of the decisions taken by the Authority in the exercise of the powers listed in Articles 20, 21, 22 and 65-and 22. The scope of the internal administrative review shall pertain to the procedural and substantive conformity with this Regulation of such decisions.
654	2. The Administrative Board of Review shall be composed of five individuals of high repute, having a proven record of relevant knowledge	2. The Administrative Board of Review shall be composed of five individuals of high repute, having a proven record of relevant	2. The Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> shall be composed of five individuals of high repute, having a proven record of relevant

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	and professional experience, including supervisory experience in the area of anti- money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, excluding current staff of the Authority, as well as current staff of AML/CFT supervisory authorities and FIUs or other national or Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies who are involved in the carrying out of the tasks conferred on the Authority by this Regulation. The Administrative Board of Review shall have sufficient resources and expertise to assess the exercise of the powers of the Authority under this Regulation.	knowledge and professional experience, including supervisory experience in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, excluding current staff of the Authority, as well as current staff of AML/CFT supervisory authorities and FIUs or other national or Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies who are involved in the carrying out of the tasks conferred on the Authority by this Regulation. The Administrative Board of Review shall have sufficient resources and expertise to assess the exercise of the powers of the Authority under this Regulation.	knowledge and professional experience, including supervisory experience in the area of anti-money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism, excluding current staff of the Authority, as well as current staff of AML/CFT supervisory authorities and FIUs or other national or Union institutions, bodies, offices and agencies who are involved in the carrying out of the tasks conferred on the Authority by this Regulation. The Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> shall have sufficient resources and expertise to assess the exercise of the powers of the Authority under this Regulation.
655	3. The Administrative Board of Review shall decide on the basis of a majority of at least three of its five members.	3. The Administrative Board of Review shall decide on the basis of a majority of at least three of its five members.	3. The Administrative Board of <i>Review Appeal</i> shall decide on the basis of a majority of at least three of its five members.
656	Article 61 Members of the Administrative Board of Review	Article 61 Members of the Administrative Board of Review	Article 61 Members of the Administrative Board of Review Appeal
657	1. The members of the Administrative Board of Review and two alternates shall be appointed by the General Board in supervisory composition for a term of five years, which	1. The members of the Administrative Board of Review and two alternates shall be appointed by the General Board in supervisory composition for a term of five	1. The members of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> and two alternates shall be appointed by the General Board in supervisory composition for a term of five years, which may

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	may be extended once, following a public call for expressions of interest published in the Official Journal of the European Union. They shall not be bound by any instructions.	years, which may be extended once, following a public call for expressions of interest published in the Official Journal of the European Union. They shall not be bound by any instructions.	be extended once, following a public call for expressions of interest published in the Official Journal of the European Union. They shall not be bound by any instructions.
657a			<u>The selection shall take into account the</u> <u>principles of gender balance, experience,</u> <u>qualification, and, to the extent possible,</u> <u>geographical balance.</u>
658	2. The members of the Administrative Board of Review shall act independently and in the public interest and shall not perform any other duties within the Authority. For that purpose, they shall make a public declaration of commitments and a public declaration of interests indicating any direct or indirect interest which might be considered prejudicial to their independence or the absence of any such interest.	2. The members of the Administrative Board of Review shall act independently and in the public interest and shall not perform any other duties within the Authority. For that purpose, they shall make a public declaration of commitments and a public declaration of interests indicating any direct or indirect interest which might be considered prejudicial to their independence or the absence of any such interest.	2. The members of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> shall act independently and in the public interest and shall not perform any other duties within the Authority. For that purpose, they shall make a public declaration of commitments and a public declaration of interests indicating any direct or indirect interest which might be considered prejudicial to their independence or the absence of any such interest.
659	3. The members of the Administrative Board of Review shall not be removed from office or from the list of qualified candidates during their term of office, unless there are serious grounds for such removal and the General Board in	3. The members of the Administrative Board of Review shall not be removed from office or from the list of qualified candidates during their term of office, unless there are serious grounds for such removal and the General	3. The members of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> shall not be removed from office or from the list of qualified candidates during their term of office, unless there are serious grounds for such removal- <i>and the General</i>

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	supervisory composition takes a decision to that effect, acting on a proposal from the Commission.	Board in supervisory composition takes a decision to that effect, acting on a proposal from the Commission.	Board in supervisory composition takes a decision to that effect, acting on a proposal from the Commission.
660	Article 62 Decisions subject to review	Article 62 Decisions subject to review	Article 62 Decisions subject to <i>reviewappeal</i>
661	1. A request for review may be brought before the Administrative Board of Review against decisions taken by the Authority pursuant to Articles 6(1), 20, 21 and 22 by any natural or legal person to whom the decision is addressed, or to whom it is of a direct and individual concern.	1. A request for review may be brought before the Administrative Board of Review against decisions taken by the Authority pursuant to Articles 6(1), 20, 21, <u>22 and 65</u> <u>and 22</u> by any natural or legal person to whom the decision is addressed, or to whom it is of a direct and individual concern.	1. A request for <i>review_appeal</i> may be brought before the Administrative Board of <i>Review_Appeal</i> against decisions taken by the Authority pursuant to Articles 6(1), 20, 21, <u>22</u> <u>and 65-and 22</u> by any natural or legal person to whom the decision is addressed, or to whom it is of a direct and individual concern. <u>The filing</u> <u>of the appeal shall have suspensive effect.</u>
662	2. Any request for review shall be made in writing, including a statement of grounds, and shall be lodged at the Authority within one month of the date of notification of the decision to the person requesting the review, or, in the absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge of the latter, as the case may be.	2. Any request for review shall be made in writing, including a statement of grounds, and shall be lodged at the Authority within one month of the date of notification of the decision to the person requesting the review, or, in the absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge of the latter, as the case may be.	2. Any request for <i>reviewappeal</i> shall be made in writing, including a statement of grounds, and shall be lodged at the Authority within one month of the date of notification of the decision to the person requesting the <i>reviewappeal</i> , or, in the absence thereof, of the day on which it came to the knowledge of the latter, as the case may be.
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	3. After ruling on the admissibility of the review, the Administrative Board of Review shall express an opinion within a period appropriate to the urgency of the matter and no later than two months from the receipt of the request and remit the case for preparation of a new draft decision to the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall take into account the opinion of the Administrative Board of Review and shall promptly adopt a new decision. The new decision shall abrogate the initial decision, replace it with an amended decision.	3. After ruling on the admissibility of the review, the Administrative Board of Review shall express an opinion within a period appropriate to the urgency of the matter and no later than two months from the receipt of the request and remit the case for preparation of a new draft decision to the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall take into account the opinion of the Administrative Board of Review and shall promptly adopt a new decision. The new decision shall abrogate the initial decision, replace it with a decision of identical content, or replace it with an amended decision.	3. After ruling on the admissibility of the <i>review_appeal</i> , the Administrative Board of <i>Review_Appeal</i> shall express an opinion within a period appropriate to the urgency of the matter and no later than two months from the receipt of the request and remit the case for preparation of a new draft decision to the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall take into account the opinion of the Administrative Board of <i>Review_Appeal</i> and shall promptly adopt a new decision. The new decision shall abrogate the initial decision of identical content, or replace it with an amended decision.
664	4. A request for review pursuant to paragraph 2 shall not have suspensive effect. However, the Executive Board, on a proposal by the Administrative Board of Review, may, if it considers that circumstances so require, suspend the application of the contested decision.	4. A request for review pursuant to paragraph 2 shall not have suspensive effect. However, the Executive Board, on a proposal by the Administrative Board of Review, may, if it considers that circumstances so require, suspend the application of the contested decision.	deleted
665	5. The opinion expressed by the Administrative Board of Review, and the new decision adopted by the Executive Board pursuant to this Article, shall be reasoned and notified to the parties.	5. The opinion expressed by the Administrative Board of Review, and the new decision adopted by the Executive Board pursuant to this Article, shall be reasoned and notified to the parties.	5. The opinion expressed by the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> , and the new decision adopted by the Executive Board pursuant to this Article, shall be reasoned and notified to the parties.

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666	6. The Authority shall adopt a decision establishing the Administrative Board of Review's operating Rules of Procedure.	<ol> <li>The Authority shall adopt a decision establishing. The Administrative board of review 's shall adopt its Procedure.</li> </ol>	6. The Authority shall adopt a decision establishing the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> 's operating Rules of Procedure.
666a			<u>Article 62a</u> <u>Actions before the Court of Justice</u>
666b			<b>1.</b> Actions for the annulment of the Authority's decisions taken pursuant to Article 6(1) and Articles 20, 21 and 22 may be brought before the Court of Justice of the European Union only after the appeal procedure within the Authority set out in Article 62 has been exhausted.
666c			2. <u>An action taken pursuant to paragraph 1</u> <u>may be brought on grounds of lack of</u> <u>competence, an incorrect or irregular decision,</u> <u>infringement of an essential procedural</u> <u>requirement, infringement of the Treaties, of</u> <u>this Regulation or of any legal rule relating to</u> <u>their application or misuse of power.</u>

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666d			3. The Authority shall take the necessary measures to comply with the judgment of the General Court or, in the event of an appeal against that judgment, the Court of Justice.
667	Article 63 Exclusion and objection	Article 63 Exclusion and objection	Article 63 Exclusion and objection
668	1. The members of the Administrative Board of Review shall not take part in any review proceedings if they have any personal interest in the proceedings, if they have previously been involved as representatives of one of the parties to the proceedings, or if they participated in the adoption of the decision under review.	1. The members of the Administrative Board of Review shall not take part in any review proceedings if they have any personal interest in the proceedings, if they have previously been involved as representatives of one of the parties to the proceedings, or if they participated in the adoption of the decision under review.	1. The members of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> shall not take part in any <i>reviewappeal</i> proceedings if they have any personal interest in the proceedings, if they have previously been involved as representatives of one of the parties to the proceedings, or if they participated in the adoption of the decision under <i>reviewappeal</i> .
669	2. If, for one of the reasons listed in paragraph 1 or for any other reason, a member of the Administrative Board of Review considers that he/she should not take part in any review proceeding, he/she shall inform the Administrative Board of Review accordingly.	2. If, for one of the reasons listed in paragraph 1 or for any other reason, a member of the Administrative Board of Review considers that he/she should not take part in any review proceeding, he/she shall inform the Administrative Board of Review accordingly.	2. If, for one of the reasons listed in paragraph 1 or for any other reason, a member of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> considers that he/she should not take part in any <i>reviewappeal</i> proceeding, he/she shall inform the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> accordingly.

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670	3. Any party to the review proceedings may object to any member of the Administrative Board of Review on any of the grounds listed in paragraph 1, or if the member is suspected of partiality. Any such objection shall not be admissible if, while being aware of a reason for objecting, the party to the review proceedings has taken a procedural step. No objection may be based on the nationality of members.	3. Any party to the review proceedings may object to any member of the Administrative Board of Review on any of the grounds listed in paragraph 1, or if the member is suspected of partiality. Any such objection shall not be admissible if, while being aware of a reason for objecting, the party to the review proceedings has taken a procedural step. No objection may be based on the nationality of members.	3. Any party to the <i>reviewappeal</i> proceedings may object to any member of the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> on any of the grounds listed in paragraph 1, or if the member is suspected of partiality. Any such objection shall not be admissible if, while being aware of a reason for objecting, the party to the <i>reviewappeal</i> proceedings has taken a procedural step. No objection may be based on the nationality of members.
671	4. The Administrative Board of Review shall decide as to the action to be taken in the cases referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3 without the participation of the member concerned. For the purposes of taking that decision, the member concerned shall be replaced on the Administrative Board of Review by his/her alternate.	4. The Administrative Board of Review shall decide as to the action to be taken in the cases referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3 without the participation of the member concerned. For the purposes of taking that decision, the member concerned shall be replaced on the Administrative Board of Review by his/her alternate.	4. The Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> shall decide as to the action to be taken in the cases referred to in paragraphs 2 and 3 without the participation of the member concerned. For the purposes of taking that decision, the member concerned shall be replaced on the Administrative Board of <i>ReviewAppeal</i> by his/her alternate.
672	CHAPTER IV FINANCIAL PROVISIONS	CHAPTER IV FINANCIAL PROVISIONS	CHAPTER IV FINANCIAL PROVISIONS
673	Article 64 Budget	Article 64 Budget	Article 64 Budget

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674	1. Estimates of all revenue and expenditure for the Authority shall be prepared each financial year, corresponding to the calendar year, and shall be shown in the Authority's budget.	1. Estimates of all revenue and expenditure for the Authority shall be prepared each financial year, corresponding to the calendar year, and shall be shown in the Authority's budget.	1. Estimates of all revenue and expenditure for the Authority shall be prepared each financial year, corresponding to the calendar year, and shall be shown in the Authority's budget.
675	2. The Authority's budget shall be balanced in terms of revenue and of expenditure.	2. The Authority's budget shall be balanced in terms of revenue and of expenditure.	2. The Authority's budget shall be balanced in terms of revenue and of expenditure.
676	3. Without prejudice to other resources, the Authority's revenue shall consist of a combination of the following:	3. Without prejudice to other resources, the Authority's revenue shall consist of a combination of the following:	$\frac{32a}{2a}$ . Without prejudice to other resources, the Authority's revenue shall consist of a combination of the following:
677	(a) a contribution from the Union entered in the general budget of the European Union;	(a) a contribution from the Union entered in the general budget of the European Union;	(a) a contribution from the Union entered in the general budget of the European Union;
678	(b) the fees paid by the selected and non- selected obliged entities in accordance with Article 65, for tasks mentioned in Article 5(1), points (b) and (c).	(b) the fees paid by the selected and non- selected obliged entities in accordance with Article 65, for tasks mentioned in Article $\frac{5(1)5(2)}{2}$ , points (a), (b) and (c) and 5 (3) points (a) to (d), (f) and (g).	(b) the fees paid by the selected and non- selected obliged entities in accordance with Article 65, for tasks mentioned in Article 5(1), points (b) and (c).
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	(c) any voluntary financial contribution from the Member States.	(c) any voluntary financial contribution from the Member States.	(c) any voluntary financial contribution from the Member States <del>, <i>including from the</i></del> <u>Member State where the Authority's seat is</u> <u>located</u> ;
679a			(ca) agreed charges for publications, training and for any other services provided by the Authority where they have been specifically requested by an obliged entity or non-obliged entity.
679b			The amount and origin of any revenue referred to in points (b), (c) and (ca) of the first subparagraph of this paragraph shall be included in the annual accounts of the Authority and clearly detailed in the annual report on the Authority's budgetary and financial management referred to in Article 68(2).
680	4. The expenditure of the Authority shall include staff remuneration, administrative and infrastructure expenses and operating costs.	4. The expenditure of the Authority shall include staff remuneration, administrative and infrastructure expenses and operating costs.	4. The expenditure of the Authority shall include staff remuneration, administrative and infrastructure expenses and operating costs.
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	Article 65 Fees levied on selected and non-selected obliged entities	Article 65 Fees levied on selected and non-selected obliged entities	Article 65 Fees levied on selected and non-selected obliged entities
682	1. The Authority shall levy an annual supervisory fee on all selected obliged entities referred to in Article 13 and on the non-selected obliged entities that meet the criteria of Article 12(1) and do not meet the criteria in Article 13(1) by one Member State. The fees shall cover expenditure incurred by the Authority in relation to the tasks related to supervision and referred to in Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter II. Those fees shall not exceed the expenditure relating to these tasks. Where these criteria are not fully respected in any given year, the necessary adjustments shall be made when calculating the fees for the two following years.	1. The Authority shall levy an annual supervisory fee on all selected obliged entities referred to in Article 13 and on the non-selected obliged entities that meet the criteria of Article 12(1)-and do not meet the criteria in Article 13(1) by one Member State. The fees shall cover expenditure incurred by the Authority in relation to the tasks related to supervision and referred to in Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter II. Those fees shall not exceed the expenditure relating to these tasks. Where these criteria are not fully respected in any given year, the necessary adjustments shall be made when calculating the fees for the two following years.	1. The Authority shall levy an annual supervisory fee on all selected obliged entities referred to in Article 13 and on the non-selected obliged entities that meet the criteria of Article 12(1) and do not meet the criteria in Article 13(1) by one Member State. The fees shall cover expenditure incurred by the Authority in relation to the tasks related to supervision and referred to in Sections 3 and 4 of Chapter II. Those fees shall not exceed the expenditure relating to these tasks. Where these criteria are not fully respected in any given year, the necessary adjustments shall be made when calculating the fees for the two following years.
682a			<u>1a.</u> <u>The fees to be levied shall be calculated in</u> <u>such a way as to ensure sufficient and stable</u> <u>revenue for the Authority.</u>
683	2. The amount of the fee levied on each obliged entity referred to in paragraph 1 shall be calculated in accordance with the	2. The amount of the fee levied on each obliged entity referred to in paragraph 1 shall be calculated in accordance with the	2. The amount of the fee levied on each obliged entity referred to in paragraph 1 shall be calculated in accordance with the arrangements

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	arrangements established in the delegated act referred to in paragraph 6.	arrangements established in the delegated act referred to in paragraph 6.	established in the delegated act referred to in paragraph 6.
684	3. The fees shall be calculated at the highest level of consolidation in the Union.	3. The fees shall be calculated at the highest level of consolidation in the Union.	3. The fees shall be calculated at the highest level of consolidation in the Union.
685	4. The basis for calculating the annual supervisory fee for a given calendar year shall be the expenditure relating to the direct and indirect supervision of the selected and non- selected obliged entities subject to fees in that year. The Authority may require advance payments in respect of the annual supervisory fee, which shall be based on a reasonable estimate. The Authority shall communicate with the relevant financial supervisor before deciding on the final fee level so as to ensure that supervision remains cost-effective and reasonable for all financial sector obliged entities. The Authority shall communicate to respective financial sector obliged entities the basis for the calculation of the annual supervisory fee. Member States shall ensure that the obligation to pay the fees specified in this Article is enforceable under national law, and that due fees are fully paid.	4. The basis for calculating the annual supervisory fee for a given calendar year shall be the expenditure relating to the direct and indirect supervision of the selected and non-selected obliged entities subject to fees in that year. The Authority may require advance payments in respect of the annual supervisory fee, which shall be based on a reasonable estimate. The Authority shall communicate with the relevant financial supervisor before deciding on the final fee level so as to ensure that supervision remains cost-effective and reasonable for all financial sector obliged entities. The Authority shall communicate to respective financial sector obliged entities the basis for the calculation of the annual supervisory fee. Member States shall ensure that the obligation to pay the fees specified in this Article is enforceable under national law, and that due fees are fully paid.	4. The basis for calculating the annual supervisory fee for a given calendar year shall be the expenditure relating to the direct and indirect supervision of the selected and non- selected obliged entities subject to fees in that year. The Authority may require advance payments in respect of the annual supervisory fee, which shall be based on a reasonable estimate. The Authority shall communicate with the relevant financial supervisor before deciding on the final fee level so as to ensure that supervision remains cost-effective and reasonable for all financial sector obliged entities. The Authority shall communicate to respective financial sector obliged entities the basis for the calculation of the annual supervisory fee. Member States shall ensure that the obligation to pay the fees specified in this Article is enforceable under national law, and that due fees are fully paid.

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686	5. This Article is without prejudice to the right of financial supervisors to levy fees in accordance with national law, to the extent supervisory tasks have not been conferred on the Authority, or in respect of costs of cooperating with and assisting the Authority and acting on its instructions, in accordance with relevant Union law.	5. This Article is without prejudice to the right of financial supervisors to levy fees in accordance with national law, to the extent supervisory tasks have not been conferred on the Authority, or in respect of costs of cooperating with and assisting the Authority and acting on its instructions, in accordance with relevant Union law.	5. This Article is without prejudice to the right of financial supervisors to levy fees in accordance with national law, to the extent supervisory tasks have not been conferred on the Authority, or in respect of costs of cooperating with and assisting the Authority and acting on its instructions, in accordance with relevant Union law.
687	6. The Commission is empowered to adopt a delegated act in accordance with Article 86 to supplement this Regulation by specifying the methodology for calculating the amount of the fee levied on each selected and non-selected obliged entity subject to fees in accordance with paragraph 1, and the procedure for collecting these fees. When developing the methodology for determining the individual amount of fees the Commission shall take into account the following:	6. The Commission is empowered to adopt a delegated act in accordance with Article 86 to supplement this Regulation by specifying the methodology for calculating the amount of the fee levied on each selected and non-selected obliged entity subject to fees in accordance with paragraph 1, and the procedure for collecting these fees. When developing the methodology for determining the individual amount of fees the Commission shall take into account the following:	6. The Commission is empowered to adopt a delegated act in accordance with Article 86 to supplement this Regulation by specifying the methodology for calculating the amount of the fee levied on each selected and non-selected obliged entity subject to fees in accordance with paragraph 1, and the procedure for collecting these fees. When developing the methodology for determining the individual amount of fees the Commission shall take into account the following:
688	(a) the total annual turnover or the corresponding type of income of the obliged entities at the highest level of consolidation in the Union in accordance with the relevant accounting standards;	(a) the total annual turnover or the corresponding type of income of the obliged entities at the highest level of consolidation in the Union in accordance with the relevant accounting standards;	(a) the total annual turnover or the corresponding type of income of the obliged entities at the highest level of consolidation in the Union in accordance with the relevant accounting standards;

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688a		(a1) whether the obliged entity has gualified for direct supervision or not;	
689	(b) the inherent AML/CFT risk profile classification of the obliged entities in accordance with the methodology referred to in Article 12(5);	(b) the <i>inherent</i> -AML/CFT risk profile classification of the obliged entities in accordance with the methodology referred to in Article 12(5);	(b) the inherent AML/CFT risk profile classification of the obliged entities in accordance with the methodology referred to in Article 12(5);
690	(c) the importance of the obliged entity to the stability of the financial system or economy of one or more Member States or of the Union;	(c) the importance of the obliged entity to the stability of the financial system or economy of one or more Member States or of the Union;	(c) the importance of the obliged entity to the stability of the financial system or economy of one or more Member States or of the Union;
691	(d) the amount of fee to be collected from any non-selected obliged entity in proportion to its income or turnover referred to in point (a) , which shall not exceed 1/5 of the amount of fee to be collected from any selected obliged entity relative to same level of income or turnover.	<ul> <li>(d) the amount of fee to be collected from any non-selected obliged entity in proportion to its income or turnover referred to in point</li> <li>(a), which shall not exceed 1/5 of the amount of fee to be collected from any selected obliged entity relative to same level of income or turnover.</li> </ul>	(d) the amount of fee to be collected from any non-selected obliged entity in proportion to its income or turnover referred to in point (a) , which shall not exceed 1/5 of the amount of fee to be collected from any selected obliged entity relative to same level of income or turnover.
692	The Commission shall adopt the delegated acts	The Commission shall adopt the delegated	The Commission shall adopt the delegated acts

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	referred to in the first subparagraph by 1 January 2025.	acts referred to in the first subparagraph by 1 January 2025.	referred to in the first subparagraph by 1 January 2025.	
693	Article 66 Establishment of the budget	Article 66 Establishment of the budget	Article 66 Establishment of the budget	
694	1. Each year, the Executive Director shall draw up a draft statement of estimates of the Authority's revenue and expenditure for the following financial year, including the establishment plan, and send it to the Executive Board.	1. Each year, the Executive Director shall draw up a draft statement of estimates of the Authority's revenue and expenditure for the following financial year, including the establishment plan, and send it to the Executive Board.	1. Each year, the Executive Director shall draw up a draft statement of estimates of the Authority's revenue and expenditure for the following financial year, including the establishment plan, and send it to the Executive Board.	
695	2. The Executive Board shall, on the basis of that draft, adopt a provisional draft estimate of the Authority's revenue and expenditure for the following financial year.	2. The Executive Board shall, on the basis of that draft, adopt a provisional draft estimate of the Authority's revenue and expenditure for the following financial year.	2. The Executive Board shall, on the basis of that draft, adopt a provisional draft estimate of the Authority's revenue and expenditure for the following financial year.	
696	3. The final draft estimate of the Authority's revenue and expenditure shall be sent to the Commission by 31 January each year.	3. The final draft estimate of the Authority's revenue and expenditure shall be sent to the Commission by 31 January each year.	3. The final draft estimate of the Authority's revenue and expenditure shall be sent to the Commission by 31 January each year.	
697	4. The Commission shall send the statement of	4. The Commission shall send the statement	4. The Commission shall send the statement of	

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	estimates to the budgetary authority together	of estimates to the budgetary authority	estimates to the budgetary authority together
	with the draft general budget of the European	together with the draft general budget of the	with the draft general budget of the European
	Union.	European Union.	Union.
698	5. On the basis of the statement of estimates,	5. On the basis of the statement of estimates,	5. On the basis of the statement of estimates,
	the Commission shall enter in the draft general	the Commission shall enter in the draft	the Commission shall enter in the draft general
	budget of the Union the estimates it considers	general budget of the Union the estimates it	budget of the Union the estimates it considers
	necessary for the establishment plan and the	considers necessary for the establishment	necessary for the establishment plan and the
	amount of the subsidy to be charged to the	plan and the amount of the subsidy to be	amount of the subsidy to be charged to the
	general budget, which it shall place before the	charged to the general budget, which it shall	general budget, which it shall place before the
	budgetary authority in accordance with Articles	place before the budgetary authority in	budgetary authority in accordance with Articles
	313 and 314 TFEU.	accordance with Articles 313 and 314 TFEU.	313 and 314 TFEU.
699	6. The budgetary authority shall authorise the appropriations for the contribution to the Authority.	6. The budgetary authority shall authorise the appropriations for the contribution to the Authority.	6. The budgetary authority shall authorise the appropriations for the contribution to the Authority.
700	7. The budgetary authority shall adopt the Authority's establishment plan.	7. The budgetary authority shall adopt the Authority's establishment plan.	7. The budgetary authority shall adopt the Authority's establishment plan.
701	8. The Authority's budget shall be adopted by	8. The Authority's budget shall be adopted	8. The Authority's budget shall be adopted by
	the Executive Board. It shall become final	by the Executive Board. It shall become final	the Executive Board. It shall become final
	following final adoption of the general budget	following final adoption of the general	following final adoption of the general budget
	of the Union. Where necessary, it shall be	budget of the Union. Where necessary, it	of the Union. Where necessary, it shall be
	adjusted accordingly.	shall be adjusted accordingly.	adjusted accordingly.

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702	Article 67	Article 67	Article 67
	Implementation of the budget	Implementation of the budget	Implementation of the budget
703	1. The Executive Director shall implement the Authority's budget respecting the principles of economy, efficiency, effectiveness and sound financial management.	1. The Executive Director shall implement the Authority's budget respecting the principles of economy, efficiency, effectiveness and sound financial management.	1. The Executive Director shall implement the Authority's budget respecting the principles of economy, efficiency, effectiveness and sound financial management.
704	2. Each year, the Executive Director shall send	2. Each year, the Executive Director shall	2. Each year, the Executive Director shall send
	to the budgetary authority all information	send to the budgetary authority all	to the budgetary authority all information
	relevant to the findings of evaluation	information relevant to the findings of	relevant to the findings of evaluation
	procedures.	evaluation procedures.	procedures.
705	Article 68	Article 68	Article 68
	Presentation of accounts and discharge	Presentation of accounts and discharge	Presentation of accounts and discharge
706	1. By 1 March of the following financial year	1. By 1 March of the following financial	1. By 1 March of the following financial year
	(year N+1) the Authority's accounting officer	year (year N+1) the Authority's accounting	(year N+1) the Authority's accounting officer
	shall send the provisional accounts for the	officer shall send the provisional accounts	shall send the provisional accounts for the
	financial year (year N) to the Commission's	for the financial year (year N) to the	financial year (year N) to the Commission's
	Accounting Officer and to the Court of	Commission's Accounting Officer and to the	Accounting Officer and to the Court of

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	Auditors.	Court of Auditors.	Auditors.
707	2. By 31 March of the following financial year, the Authority shall send the report on the budgetary and financial management to the European Parliament, the Council and the Court of Auditors.	2. By 31 March of the following financial year, the Authority shall send the report on the budgetary and financial management to the European Parliament, the Council and the Court of Auditors.	2. By 31 March of the following financial year, the Authority shall send the report on the budgetary and financial management to the European Parliament, the Council and the Court of Auditors.
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708	By 31 March of the following financial year, the Commission's accounting officer shall send the Authority's provisional accounts, consolidated with the Commission's accounts, to the Court of Auditors.	By 31 March of the following financial year, the Commission's accounting officer shall send the Authority's provisional accounts, consolidated with the Commission's accounts, to the Court of Auditors.	By 31 March of the following financial year, the Commission's accounting officer shall send the Authority's provisional accounts, consolidated with the Commission's accounts, to the Court of Auditors.
709	<ul> <li>3. On receipt of the Court of Auditors' observations on the Authority's provisional accounts pursuant to Article 246 Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>, the Executive Board shall deliver an opinion on the Authority's final accounts.</li> <li>1. Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>3. On receipt of the Court of Auditors' observations on the Authority's provisional accounts pursuant to Article 246 Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>, the Executive Board shall deliver an opinion on the Authority's final accounts.</li> <li>1. Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>3. On receipt of the Court of Auditors' observations on the Authority's provisional accounts pursuant to Article 246 Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council<sup>1</sup>, the Executive Board shall deliver an opinion on the Authority's final accounts.</li> <li>1. Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the</li> </ul>
	Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU)	European Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No	Parliament and of the Council of 18 July 2018 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union, amending Regulations (EU) No 1296/2013, (EU)

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	No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1).	1296/2013, (EU) No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1).	No 1301/2013, (EU) No 1303/2013, (EU) No 1304/2013, (EU) No 1309/2013, (EU) No 1316/2013, (EU) No 223/2014, (EU) No 283/2014, and Decision No 541/2014/EU and repealing Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 966/2012 (OJ L 193, 30.7.2018, p. 1).
710	4. The accounting officer shall, by 1 July of year N+1, send the final accounts to the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission and the Court of Auditors, together with the Executive Board's opinion.	4. The accounting officer shall, by 1 July of year N+1, send the final accounts to the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission and the Court of Auditors, together with the Executive Board's opinion.	4. The accounting officer shall, by 1 July of year N+1, send the final accounts to the European Parliament, the Council, the Commission and the Court of Auditors, together with the Executive Board's opinion.
711	5. A link to the pages of the website containing the final accounts of the Authority shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union by 15 November of year N + 1.	5. A link to the pages of the website containing the final accounts of the Authority shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union by 15 November of year N + 1.	5. A link to the pages of the website containing the final accounts of the Authority shall be published in the Official Journal of the European Union by 15 November of year N + 1.
712	6. The Executive Director shall send the Court of Auditors a reply to its observations by 30 September of year N+1. The Executive Director shall also send this reply to the Executive Board.	6. The Executive Director shall send the Court of Auditors a reply to its observations by 30 September of year N+1. The Executive Director shall also send this reply to the Executive Board.	6. The Executive Director shall send the Court of Auditors a reply to its observations by 30 September of year N+1. The Executive Director shall also send this reply to the Executive Board.
713	7. The Executive Director shall submit to the	7. The Executive Director shall submit to	7. The Executive Director shall submit to the

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	European Parliament, at the latter's request, any information required for the smooth application of the discharge procedure for the financial year N, in accordance with Article 261(3) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046.	the European Parliament, at the latter's request, any information required for the smooth application of the discharge procedure for the financial year N, in accordance with Article 261(3) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046.	European Parliament, at the latter's request, any information required for the smooth application of the discharge procedure for the financial year N, in accordance with Article 261(3) of Regulation (EU, Euratom) 2018/1046.
714	8. On a recommendation from the Council acting by a qualified majority, the European Parliament shall, before 15 May of year $N + 2$ , give a discharge to the Executive Director in respect of the implementation of the budget for year N.	<ol> <li>8. On a recommendation from the Council acting by a qualified majority, the European Parliament shall, before 15 May of year N + 2, give a discharge to the Executive Director in respect of the implementation of the budget for year N.</li> </ol>	8. On a recommendation from the Council acting by a qualified majority, the European Parliament shall, before 15 May of year $N + 2$ , give a discharge to the Executive Director in respect of the implementation of the budget for year N.
715	Article 69 Financial rules	Article 69 Financial rules	Article 69 Financial rules
716	The financial rules applicable to the Authority shall be adopted by the Executive Board after consulting the Commission. They shall not depart from Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2019/715unless such a departure is specifically required for the Authority's operation and the Commission has given its prior consent.	The financial rules applicable to the Authority shall be adopted by the Executive Board after consulting the Commission. They shall not depart from Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) <u>2019/715unless2019/715 unless</u> such a departure is specifically required for the Authority's operation and the Commission has given its prior consent.	The financial rules applicable to the Authority shall be adopted by the Executive Board after consulting the Commission. They shall not depart from Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) <u>2019/715unless2019/715 unless</u> such a departure is specifically required for the Authority's operation and the Commission has given its prior consent.

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717	Article 70 Anti-fraud measures	Article 70 Anti-fraud measures	Article 70 Anti-fraud measures
718	1. For the purposes of combating fraud, corruption and any other illegal activity, Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council as well as Article 86 of Regulation (EU) 2019/715 shall apply to the Authority without any restriction.	1. For the purposes of combating fraud, corruption and any other illegal activity, Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council as well as Article 86 of Regulation (EU) 2019/715 shall apply to the Authority without any restriction.	1. For the purposes of combating fraud, corruption and any other illegal activity, Regulation (EU, Euratom) No 883/2013 of the European Parliament and of the Council as well as Article 86 of Regulation (EU) 2019/715 shall apply to the Authority without any restriction.
719	2. The Authority shall accede to the Interinstitutional Agreement concerning internal investigations by OLAF and shall immediately adopt appropriate provisions for all staff of the Authority.	2. The Authority shall accede to the Interinstitutional Agreement concerning internal investigations by OLAF and shall immediately adopt appropriate provisions for all staff of the Authority.	2. The Authority shall accede to the Interinstitutional Agreement concerning internal investigations by OLAF and shall immediately adopt appropriate provisions for all staff of the Authority.
720	3. The funding decisions, the agreements and the implementing instruments resulting from them shall explicitly stipulate that the Court of Auditors and OLAF may, where necessary, carry out on-the-spot checks on the beneficiaries of monies disbursed by the Authority.	3. The funding decisions, the agreements and the implementing instruments resulting from them shall explicitly stipulate that the Court of Auditors and OLAF may, where necessary, carry out on-the-spot checks on the beneficiaries of monies disbursed by the Authority.	3. The funding decisions, the agreements and the implementing instruments resulting from them shall explicitly stipulate that the Court of Auditors and OLAF may, where necessary, carry out on-the-spot checks on the beneficiaries of monies disbursed by the Authority.

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721	Article 71 IT Security	Article 71 IT Security	Article 71 IT Security
722	1. The Authority shall establish an internal IT governance at the level of the Executive Director which establishes and manages the IT budget and ensures regular reporting to the Executive Board on the compliance with applicable IT security rules and standards.	1. The Authority shall establish an internal IT governance at the level of the Executive Director which establishes and manages the IT budget and ensures regular reporting to the Executive Board on the compliance with applicable IT security rules and standards.	1. The Authority shall establish an internal IT governance at the level of the Executive Director which establishes and manages the IT budget and ensures regular reporting to the Executive Board on the compliance with applicable IT security rules and standards.
723	2. The agency shall ensure that at least 10% of its IT expenditure is transparently allocated to direct IT security. The contribution to the Computer Emergency Response Team of the European Institutions, Bodies and Agencies (CERT-EU) may be counted in this minimum expenditure requirement.	2. The agency shall ensure that <i>at least</i> 10% a sufficient share of its IT expenditure is transparently allocated to direct IT security. The contribution to the Computer Emergency Response Team of the European Institutions, Bodies and Agencies (CERT- EU) may be counted in this <i>minimum</i> <i>expenditure requirementshare</i> .	2. The <i>agencyAuthority</i> shall ensure that at least 10% of its IT expenditure is transparently allocated to direct IT security. The contribution to the Computer Emergency Response Team of the European Institutions, Bodies and Agencies (CERT-EU) may be counted in this minimum expenditure requirement.
724	3. An adequate IT security monitoring, detection and response service shall be established, using the services of CERT-EU. Major Incidents must be reported to CERT-EU as well as to the Commission within 24 hours of detection.	3. An adequate IT security monitoring, detection and response service shall be established, using the services of CERT-EU. Major Incidents must be reported to CERT- EU as well as to the Commission within 24 hours of detection.	3. An adequate IT security monitoring, detection and response service shall be established, using the services of CERT-EU. Major Incidents must be reported to CERT-EU as well as to the Commission within 24 hours of detection.

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725	Article 72 Accountability and reporting	Article 72 Accountability and reporting	Article 72 Accountability and reporting
726	1. The Authority shall be accountable to the European Parliament and to the Council for the implementation of this Regulation.	1. The Authority shall be accountable to the European Parliament and to the Council for the implementation of this Regulation.	1. The Authority shall be accountable to the European Parliament and to the Council for the implementation of this Regulation. <i>The Authority shall also be financially accountable to the European Court of Auditors.</i>
727	2. The Authority shall submit on an annual basis to the European Parliament, to the Council, and to the Commission a report on the execution of the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, including information on the planned evolution of the structure and amount of the supervisory fees referred to in Article 66. The Chair of the Authority shall present that report in public to the European Parliament.	2. The Authority shall submit on an annual basis to the European Parliament, to the Council, and to the Commission a report on the execution of the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, including information on the planned evolution of the structure and amount of the supervisory fees referred to in Article 66. The Chair of the Authority shall present that report in public to the European Parliament.	2. The Authority shall submit <u>and publish</u> on an annual basis to the European Parliament, to the Council, and to the Commission a report on the execution of the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, including information on the planned evolution of the structure and amount of the supervisory fees referred to in Article 66 <u>as well as on guidelines and recommendations</u> <u>it has issued in accordance with Article 43.</u> <u>The report shall be made public and shall</u> <u>include any relevant information requested by</u> <u>the European Parliament on an ad hoc basis</u> . The Chair of the Authority shall present that report in public to the European Parliament.
728	3. At the request of the European Parliament, the Chair of the Authority shall participate in a	3. At the request of the European Parliament, the Chair of the Authority shall	3. At the request of the European Parliament, the Chair of the Authority shall participate in a

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	hearing on the execution of its tasks by the competent committees of the European Parliament.	participate in a hearing on the execution of its tasks by the competent committees of the European Parliament.	hearing on the execution of its tasks by the competent committees of the European Parliament. <u>A hearing shall take place at least</u> <u>annually. At the request of the European</u> <u>Parliament, the Chair of the Authority shall</u> <u>make a statement before the relevant</u> <u>committees of the European Parliament and</u> <u>answer any questions from their members,</u> <u>whenever so requested.</u>
729	4. The Authority shall reply orally or in writing to questions put to it by the European Parliament.	4. The Authority shall reply orally or in writing to questions put to it by the European Parliament.	4. The Authority shall reply orally or in writing to questions put to it by the European Parliament <i>within four weeks of their receipt</i> .
729a			4a. Upon request, the Chair of the Authority shall hold confidential oral discussions behind closed doors with the Members of the competent committees of the European Parliament, where such discussions are required for the exercise of the European Parliament's powers under the Treaties. All participants shall respect the requirements of professional secrecy.
729b			4b. <u>Without prejudice to its confidentiality</u> obligations stemming from participation in international fora, the Authority shall inform

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			the European Parliament upon request about its contribution to a united, common, consistent and effective representation of the Union's interests in such international fora.
730	CHAPTER V GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS	CHAPTER V GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS	CHAPTER V GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS
731	SECTION 1 STAFF	SECTION 1 STAFF	SECTION 1 STAFF
732	Article 73 General provision	Article 73 General provision	Article 73 General provision
733	1. The Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants and the rules adopted by agreement between the institutions of the Union for giving effect to those Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants shall apply to the staff of the Authority for all matters not covered by this Regulation.	1. The Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants and the rules adopted by agreement between the institutions of the Union for giving effect to those Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants shall apply to the staff of the Authority for all matters not covered by this Regulation.	1. The Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants and the rules adopted by agreement between the institutions of the Union for giving effect to those Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants shall apply to the staff of the Authority for all matters not covered by this Regulation.
734	2. By way of derogation from paragraph 1, the	2. By way of derogation from paragraph 1,	2. By way of derogation from paragraph 1, the

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	Chair of the Authority, and the five members of the Executive Board referred to in Article 53 shall, respectively, be on a par with a Member and the Registrar of the General Court regarding emoluments and pensionable age, as defined in Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 <sup>1</sup> . For aspects not covered by this Regulation or by Regulation (EU) 2016/300, the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment shall apply by analogy. <u>1. Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016</u> determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).	Council Mandatethe Chair of the Authority, and the fivemembers of the Executive Board referred toin Article 53 shall, respectively, be on a parwith a Member and the Registrar of theGeneral Court regarding emoluments andpensionable age, as defined in CouncilRegulation (EU) 2016/300 <sup>1</sup> . For aspects notcovered by this Regulation or by Regulation(EU) 2016/300, the Staff Regulations and theConditions of Employment shall apply byanalogy.1. Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February2016 determining the emoluments of EU high-levelpublic office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).	Chair of the Authority, and the five members of the Executive Board referred to in Article 53 shall, respectively, be on a par with a Member and the Registrar of the General Court regarding emoluments and pensionable age, as defined in Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 <sup>1</sup> . For aspects not covered by this Regulation or by Regulation (EU) 2016/300, the Staff Regulations and the Conditions of Employment shall apply by analogy. <u>1. Council Regulation (EU) 2016/300 of 29 February 2016</u> determining the emoluments of EU high-level public office holders (OJ L 58, 4.3.2016, p. 1).
735	3. The Executive Board, in agreement with the Commission, shall adopt the necessary implementing measures, in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 110 of the Staff Regulations.	3. The Executive Board, in agreement with the Commission, shall adopt the necessary implementing measures, in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 110 of the Staff Regulations.	3. The Executive Board, in agreement with the Commission, shall adopt the necessary implementing measures, in accordance with the arrangements provided for in Article 110 of the Staff Regulations.
736	4. The Authority may make use of seconded national experts or other staff not employed by the Authority including FIU delegates.	4. The Authority may make use of seconded national experts or other staff not employed by the Authority including FIU delegates.	4. The Authority may make use of seconded national experts or other staff not employed by the Authority including FIU delegates.
737	5. The Executive Board shall adopt rules	5. The Executive Board shall adopt rules	5. The Executive Board shall adopt rules

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	related to staff from Member States to be seconded to the Authority and update them as necessary. Those rules shall include, in particular, the financial arrangements related to those secondments, including insurance and training. Those rules shall take into account the fact that the staff is seconded and to be deployed as staff of the Authority. They shall include provisions on the conditions of deployment. Where relevant, the Executive Board shall aim to ensure consistency with the rules applicable to reimbursement of the mission expenses of the statutory staff.	related to staff from Member States to be seconded to the Authority and update them as necessary. Those rules shall include, in particular, the financial arrangements related to those secondments, including insurance and training. Those rules shall take into account the fact that the staff is seconded and to be deployed as staff of the Authority. They shall include provisions on the conditions of deployment. Where relevant, the Executive Board shall aim to ensure consistency with the rules applicable to reimbursement of the mission expenses of the statutory staff.	related to staff from Member States to be seconded to the Authority and update them as necessary. Those rules shall include, in particular, the financial arrangements related to those secondments, including insurance and training. Those rules shall take into account the fact that the staff is seconded and to be deployed as staff of the Authority. They shall include provisions on the conditions of deployment. Where relevant, the Executive Board shall aim to ensure consistency with the rules applicable to reimbursement of the mission expenses of the statutory staff.
737a			<u>Article 73a</u> <u>Transitional provisions concerning staff</u>
737b			1. All members of staff under contract in the EBA carrying out tasks in the field of anti- money laundering and countering the financing of terrorism shall be offered the possibility of concluding temporary agent contracts pursuant to Article 2(a) of the Conditions of Employment of Other Servants at the various grades as set out in the Authority's establishment plan.

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737c			2. An internal selection limited to members of staff under contract in the EBA shall be carried out after the entry into force of this Regulation by the authority authorised to conclude contracts in order to check the ability, efficiency and integrity of the applicants. The internal selection procedure shall take full account of the skills and experience of each individual.
737d			3. Depending on the type and level of functions to be performed, successful applicants shall be offered temporary agent contracts ending on the same date as their prior contract or ending on a later date.
738	Article 74 Privileges and immunities	Article 74 Privileges and immunities	Article 74 Privileges and immunities
739	Protocol (No 7) on the privileges and immunities of the TEU and to the TFEU shall apply to the Authority and its staff.	Protocol (No 7) on the privileges and immunities of the TEU and to the TFEU shall apply to the Authority and its staff.	Protocol (No 7) on the privileges and immunities of the TEU and to the TFEU shall apply to the Authority and its staff.
739a		<u>Article 74a</u>	

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		<u>Staff of the Authority previously employed</u> by the European Banking Authority	
739b		1. Temporary agents employed under point (f) of Article 2 and contract agents employed under Article 3a of the Conditions of Employment, employed at the Authority by a contract concluded before and no later than 1 year after the Authority becomes operational in accordance with Article 92, and who immediately prior to their employment at the Authority have been employed by the European Banking Authority in carrying out the tasks and activities of the European Banking Authority related to preventing and countering money laundering and terrorist financing listed in Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010, shall be offered under the limit of the number of posts that will be deducted from the European Banking Authority to allocate to the Authority, the same type of contracts as at the European Banking Authority, and under the same conditions. Those agents shall be deemed to have served their entire service at the Authority.	
740	Article 75	Article 75	Article 75

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	Obligation of professional secrecy	Obligation of professional secrecy	Obligation of professional secrecy	
741	1. Members of the General Board and the Executive Board, and all members of the staff of the Authority, including officials seconded by Member States on a temporary basis, and all other persons carrying out tasks for the Authority on a contractual basis, shall be subject to the requirements of professional secrecy pursuant to Article 339 TFEU and Article 50 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], even after their duties have ceased.	1. Members of the General Board and the Executive Board, and all members of the staff of the Authority, including officials seconded by Member States on a temporary basis, and all other persons carrying out tasks for the Authority on a contractual basis, shall be subject to the requirements of professional secrecy pursuant to Article 339 TFEU and Article 50 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], even after their duties have ceased.	1. Members of the General Board and the Executive Board, and all members of the staff of the Authority, including officials seconded by Member States on a temporary basis, and all other persons carrying out tasks for the Authority on a contractual basis, shall be subject to the requirements of professional secrecy pursuant to Article 339 TFEU and Article 50 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423], even after their duties have ceased.	
742	2. The Executive Board shall ensure that individuals who provide any service, directly or indirectly, permanently or occasionally, relating to the tasks of the Authority, including officials and other persons authorised by the Executive Board or appointed by the public authorities and FIUs for that purpose, are subject to requirements of professional secrecy equivalent to those in paragraph 1.	2. The Executive Board shall ensure that individuals who provide any service, directly or indirectly, permanently or occasionally, relating to the tasks of the Authority, including officials and other persons authorised by the Executive Board or appointed by the public authorities and FIUs for that purpose, are subject to requirements of professional secrecy equivalent to those in paragraph 1.	2. The Executive Board shall ensure that individuals who provide any service, directly or indirectly, permanently or occasionally, relating to the tasks of the Authority, including officials and other persons authorised by the Executive Board or appointed by the public authorities and FIUs for that purpose, are subject to requirements of professional secrecy equivalent to those in paragraph 1.	
743	3. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the	3. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the	3. For the purpose of carrying out the tasks conferred on it by this Regulation, the Authority	

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	Authority shall be authorised, within the limits and under the conditions set out in the acts referred to in Article 1(2), to exchange information with national or Union authorities and bodies in the cases where these acts allow financial supervisors to disclose information to those entities or where Member States may provide for such disclosure under the relevant Union law.	Authority shall be authorised, within the limits and under the conditions set out in the acts referred to in Article 1(2), to exchange information with national or Union authorities and bodies in the cases where these acts allow financial supervisors to disclose information to those entities or where Member States may provide for such disclosure under the relevant Union law.	shall be authorised, within the limits and under the conditions set out in the acts referred to in Article 1(2), to exchange information with national or Union authorities and bodies in the cases where these acts allow financial supervisors to disclose information to those entities or where Member States may provide for such disclosure under the relevant Union law.
744	4. The Authority shall establish practical arrangements for implementing the confidentiality rules referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2.	4. The Authority shall establish practical arrangements for implementing the confidentiality rules referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2.	4. The Authority shall establish practical arrangements for implementing the confidentiality rules referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2.
745	<ul> <li>5. The Authority shall apply Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444 of 13 March 2015 on the security rules for protecting EU classified information (OJ L 72, 17.3.2015, p. 53).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>5. The Authority shall apply Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444 of 13 March 2015 on the security rules for protecting EU classified information (OJ L 72, 17.3.2015, p. 53).</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>5. The Authority shall apply Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444<sup>1</sup>.</li> <li>1. Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/444 of 13 March 2015 on the security rules for protecting EU classified information (OJ L 72, 17.3.2015, p. 53).</li> </ul>
746	Article 76 Security rules on the protection of classified and sensitive non-classified information	Article 76 Security rules on the protection of classified and sensitive non-classified information	Article 76 Security rules on the protection of classified and sensitive non-classified information

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747	<ol> <li>The Authority shall adopt its own security rules equivalent to the Commission's security rules for protecting European Union Classified Information (EUCI) and sensitive non- classified information, as set out in Commission Decisions (EU, Euratom) 2015/443<sup>1</sup> and (EU, Euratom) 2015/444. The security rules of the Authority shall cover, inter alia, provisions for the exchange, processing and storage of such information. The Executive Board shall adopt the Authority's security rules following approval by the Commission.</li> <li>Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/443 of 13 March 2015 on Security in the Commission (OJ L 72, 17.3.2015, p. 41)</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>The Authority shall adopt its own security rules equivalent to the Commission's security rules for protecting European Union Classified Information (EUCI) and sensitive non-classified information, as set out in Commission Decisions (EU, Euratom) 2015/443<sup>1</sup> and (EU, Euratom) 2015/444. The security rules of the Authority shall cover, inter alia, provisions for the exchange, processing and storage of such information. The Executive Board shall adopt the Authority's security rules following approval by the Commission.</li> <li>Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/443 of 13 March 2015 on Security in the Commission (OJ L 72, 17.3.2015, p. 41)</li> </ol>	1. The Authority shall adopt its own security rules equivalent to the Commission's security rules for protecting European Union Classified Information (EUCI) and sensitive non-classified information, as set out in Commission Decisions (EU, Euratom) 2015/443 <sup>1</sup> and (EU, Euratom) 2015/444. The security rules of the Authority shall cover, inter alia, provisions for the exchange, processing and storage of such information. The Executive Board shall adopt the Authority's security rules following approval by the Commission. <u>1. Commission Decision (EU, Euratom) 2015/443 of 13</u> March 2015 on Security in the Commission (OJ L 72, 17.3.2015, p. 41)
748	2. Any administrative arrangement on the exchange of classified information with the relevant authorities of a third country or, in the absence of such arrangement, any exceptional ad-hoc release of EUCI to those authorities, shall be subject to the Commission's prior approval.	2. Any administrative arrangement on the exchange of classified information with the relevant authorities of a third country or, in the absence of such arrangement, any exceptional ad-hoc release of EUCI to those authorities, shall be subject to the Commission's prior approval.	2. Any administrative arrangement on the exchange of classified information with the relevant authorities of a third country or, in the absence of such arrangement, any exceptional ad-hoc release of EUCI to those authorities, shall be subject to the Commission's prior approval.
748a			Article 76a Protection of whistleblowers

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748b			1. For the purpose of enhancing the enforcement of [Funds transfer Regulation, AMLD 6 and AMLR], the Authority shall adopt rules establishing effective and reliable mechanisms ensuring a high level of protection of persons reporting breaches of Regulation [please insert reference – proposal for Anti-Money Laundering Regulation - COM/2021/420final] or Regulation [please insert reference to Funds Transfer Regulation] by obliged entities, or breaches of the national provisions transposing [please insert reference – proposal for 6th Anti-Money Laundering Directive -COM/2021/423 final] by competent authorities.
748c			The mechanisms referred to in the first subparagraph shall provide a level of protection of persons reporting breaches of [the Funds transfer Regulation, AMLD 6 or AMLR] equivalent to the level of protection of persons reporting breaches of Union law provided by Directive (EU) 2019/1937.
748d			2. Member States shall provide for effective, proportionate and dissuasive penalties

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			applicable to natural or legal persons that:
748e			(a) hinder or attempt to hinder reporting;
748f			(b) <u>retaliate against reporting persons referred</u> to in paragraph 1;
748g			(c) bring vexatious proceedings against reporting persons referred to in paragraph 1;
748h			(d) breach the duty of maintaining the <u>confidentiality of the identity of reporting</u> <u>persons.</u>
748i			3. <u>Member States shall provide for effective</u> , <u>proportionate and dissuasive penalties</u> <u>applicable in respect of reporting persons</u> <u>where it is established that they knowingly</u> <u>reported or publicly disclosed false</u> <u>information. Member States shall also provide</u> <u>for measures for compensating damage</u> <u>resulting from such reporting or public</u> <u>disclosures in accordance with national law.</u>

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749	SECTION 2 COOPERATION	SECTION 2 COOPERATION	SECTION 2 COOPERATION
750	Article 77 Cooperation with European Supervisory Authorities and the European Data Protection Board	Article 77 Cooperation with European Supervisory Authorities and the European Data Protection Board	Article 77 Cooperation with European Supervisory Authorities, <i>the European Data Protection</i> <u>Supervisor</u> and the European Data Protection Board
751	1. The Authority shall establish and maintain a close cooperation with the European Banking Authority, the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority and the European Securities and Markets Authority.	1. The Authority shall establish and maintain a close cooperation with the European Banking Authority, the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority and the European Securities and Markets Authority.	1. The Authority shall establish and maintain a close cooperation with the European Banking Authority, the European Insurance and Occupational Pensions Authority and the European Securities and Markets Authority, <i>in particular when drafting regulatory technical standards, implementing technical standards, guidelines or recommendations within the remit of their respective tasks</i> .
751a			<u>1a.</u> <u>By [12 months after the date of entry</u> <u>into force of this Regulation], the Authority</u> <u>shall conclude a memorandum of</u> <u>understanding with the authorities referred to</u> <u>in paragraph 1 setting out in general terms</u> <u>how they intend to cooperate and exchange</u>

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			<u>information in the performance of their</u> <u>supervisory tasks under Union law in relation</u> <u>to selected obliged entities and non-selected</u> <u>obliged entities.</u>
752	2. When drafting guidelines and recommendations in accordance with Article 43, having a significant impact on the protection of personal data, the Authority shall closely cooperate with the European Data Protection Board established by Regulation (EU) 2016/679 to avoid duplication, inconsistencies and legal uncertainty in the sphere of data protection.	2. When drafting guidelines and recommendations in accordance with Article 43, having a significant impact on the protection of personal data, the Authority shall closely cooperate with the European Data Protection Board established by Regulation (EU) 2016/679 to avoid duplication, inconsistencies and legal uncertainty in the sphere of data protection.	2. When drafting <i>guidelines and</i> <i>recommendations in accordance with Article</i> <i>43regulatory technical standards,</i> <i>implementing technical standards, guidelines</i> <i>and recommendations</i> , having <i>a significantan</i> impact on the protection of personal data, the Authority shall closely cooperate with the European Data Protection Board established by Regulation (EU) 2016/679 <u>and the European</u> <u>Data Protection Supervisor established by</u> <u>Regulation (EU) 2018/1725</u> to avoid duplication, inconsistencies and legal uncertainty in the sphere of data protection.
753	Article 78 Cooperation with non-AML/CFT authorities	Article 78 Cooperation with non-AML/CFT authorities	Article 78 Cooperation with non-AML/CFT authorities
754	1. Where necessary for the fulfilment of its tasks listed in Article 5, the Authority shall cooperate, as appropriate, with the non-AML/CFT authorities.	1. Where necessary for the fulfilment of its tasks listed in Article 5, the Authority shall cooperate, as appropriate, with the non-AML/CFT authorities.	1. Where necessary for the fulfilment of its tasks listed in Article 5, the Authority shall cooperate, as appropriate, with the non- AML/CFTThe Authority shall cooperate and exchange information with the non-

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			<u>AML/CFT authorities and, on a need-to-know</u> <u>and confidential basis, with other national</u> <u>authorities and bodies competent for ensuring</u> <u>compliance with Directive 2014/17/EU</u> [consumer credit directive], Directive (EU) 2015/2366 [PSD], Directive 2009/110/EC [e- money Directive], Directive 2009/138/EC [Solvency II], Directive 2014/65/EU [Miftd II], and Regulation [MiCA] and the European Supervisory Authorities, within the boundaries of their respective mandatesAuthorities.
755	2. Where necessary, the Authority shall conclude a memorandum of understanding with the authorities referred to in paragraph 1 setting out in general terms how they will cooperate and exchange information in the performance of their supervisory tasks under Union law in relation to selected obliged entities.	2. Where necessary, the Authority shall conclude a memorandum of understanding with theauthorities referred to in paragraph 1 setting out in general terms how they will cooperate and exchange information in the performance of their supervisory tasks under Union law in relation to selected obliged entities.	<b>21a</b> . <b>Where necessary</b> , The Authority shall conclude a memorandum of understanding with the <u>non-AML/CFT authorities, the</u> <b>European Supervisory Authorities and the</b> <b>other national</b> authorities referred to in <b>paragraph-land bodies competent for ensuring</b> <b>compliance with Regulation [MiCA]</b> , setting out in general terms how they will cooperate and exchange information in the performance of their supervisory tasks under Union law in relation to selected <u>and non-selected</u> obliged entities.
755a			Where it deems it necessary, the Authority may also conclude a memorandum of understanding with any of the other

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			authorities referred to in paragraph 1 setting out in general terms how they will cooperate and exchange information in the performance of their supervisory tasks under Union law in relation to selected and non-selected obliged entities.
755b			2a. By [12 months after the date of entry into force of this Regulation], the Authority and the European Central Bank shall conclude a memorandum of understanding setting out the practical modalities for cooperation and for exchanging information in the performance of their respective tasks under Union law.
756	3. The Authority shall ensure effective cooperation and information exchange between all financial supervisors in the AML/CFT supervisory system and the relevant non- AML/CFT authorities referred to in paragraph 1, including with regard to access to any information and data in central AML/CFT database referred to in Article 11.	3. The Authority shall ensure effective cooperation and information exchange between all <i>financial supervisors supervisory</i> <i>authorities</i> in the AML/CFT supervisory system and the relevant non-AML/CFT authorities referred to in paragraph 1, including with regard to access to any information and data in central AML/CFT database referred to in Article 11.	3. The Authority shall ensure effective cooperation and information exchange between all <i>financial supervisors supervisory authorities</i> in the AML/CFT supervisory system and the relevant <i>non AML/CFT</i> authorities referred to in paragraph 1, including with regard to access to any information and data in central AML/CFT database referred to in Article 11.
757	Article 79	Article 79	Article 79

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	Cooperation in the context of public-private partnerships (PPPs)	Cooperation in the context of public-private partnerships (PPPs)	Cooperation in the context of <i>public-private</i> partnerships ( <i>PPPs)for information sharing in</i> <u>the field of AML/CFT</u>
757a			-1 Where relevant for the fulfilment of the tasks referred to in Sections 3 and 6 of Chapter II, the Authority may set up cooperation arrangements with selected obliged entities as well as with other obliged entities in the financial and non-financial sector. Those cooperation arrangements may also provide for the participation of supervisory authorities, FIUs, Europol, data protection authorities at national and Union level, as appropriate, and, upon the unanimous consent of the participating parties, other relevant stakeholders. The Authority shall ensure that those cooperation arrangements comply with the applicable data protection rules.
758	Where relevant for the fulfilment of the tasks referred to in Sections 3 and 6 of Chapter II, the Authority may participate in existing cooperation arrangements established in one or across several Member States by supervisory authorities or FIUs, where such arrangements involve, inter alia, cooperation and information exchange between the aforementioned	Where relevant for the fulfilment of the tasks referred to in Sections 3 and 6 of Chapter II, the Authority may participate in existing cooperation arrangements established in one or across several Member States by supervisory authorities or FIUs, where such arrangements involve, inter alia, cooperation and information exchange between the	<b>1.</b> Where relevant for the fulfilment of the tasks referred to in Sections 3 and 6 of Chapter II, the Authority may <u>set up or</u> participate in existing cooperation arrangements established in one or across several Member States by supervisory authorities or FIUs, where such arrangements involve, inter alia, cooperation and information exchange between the aforementioned

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	authorities and selected obliged entities. Participation of the Authority shall be subject to consent of the relevant national authority that has established such arrangement.	aforementioned authorities and selected obliged entities. Participation of the Authority shall be subject to consent of the relevant national authority that has established such arrangement.	authorities and selected obliged entities. Participation of the Authority shall be subject to consent of the relevant <i>national</i> authority that has established such arrangement <i>and in line</i> <i>with the applicable data protection rules</i> .
758a			1a. Where relevant for the fulfilment of the tasks referred to in Sections 3 and 6 of Chapter II, the Authority may participate in similar cooperation arrangements established by the European Central Bank or by other Union bodies, including Europol, Eurojust, EPPO, OLAF, the Single Resolution Board, the European Supervisory Authorities, the European Data Protection Supervisor and the European Data Protection Board, with a view to preventing and fighting against money laundering, predicate offences and terrorist financing.
759	Article 80 Cooperation with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust and the EPPO	Article 80 Cooperation with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust and the EPPO	Article 80 Cooperation with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust and the EPPO
760	1. The Authority may conclude working arrangements with Union institutions, Union decentralised agencies and other Union bodies,	1. The Authority may conclude working arrangements with Union institutions, Union decentralised agencies and other Union	1. The Authority may conclude working arrangements with Union institutions, Union decentralised agencies and other Union bodies,

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	acting in the field of law enforcement and judicial cooperation. Those working arrangements may be of a strategic or technical nature, and shall in particular aim to facilitate cooperation and the exchange of information between the parties thereto. The working arrangements shall neither form the basis for allowing the exchange of personal data nor shall bind the Union or its Member States.	bodies, acting in the field of law enforcement and judicial cooperation. Those working arrangements may be of a strategic or technical nature, and shall in particular aim to facilitate cooperation and the exchange of information between the parties thereto. The working arrangements shall neither form the basis for allowing the exchange of personal data nor shall bind the Union or its Member States.	acting in the field of law enforcement and judicial cooperation. Those working arrangements may be of a strategic or technical nature, and shall in particular aim to facilitate cooperation and the exchange of information between the parties thereto. The working arrangements shall neither form the basis for allowing the exchange of personal data nor shall bind the Union or its Member States.
761	2. The Authority shall establish and maintain a close relationship with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO. To that end, the Authority shall conclude separate working arrangements with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO setting out the details of their cooperation. The relationship shall aim in particular to ensure the exchange of strategic information and trends in relation to money laundering and terrorist financing threats facing the Union.	2. The Authority shall establish and maintain a close relationship with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO. To that end, the Authority shall conclude separate working arrangements with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO setting out the details of their cooperation. The relationship shall aim in particular to ensure the exchange of strategic information and trends in relation to money laundering and terrorist financing threats facing the Union.	<b>21</b> <i>a</i> . The Authority shall establish and maintain a close relationship with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO. To that end, the Authority shall conclude separate working arrangements with OLAF, Europol, Eurojust, and the EPPO setting out the details of their cooperation. The relationship shall aim in particular to ensure the exchange of strategic information and trends in relation to money laundering and terrorist financing threats facing the Union.
761a			<u>To that end, Europol, Eurojust and the EPPO</u> <u>shall have liaison officers based in the</u> <u>Authority's premises in order to ensure smooth</u> <u>cooperation between them.</u>

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762	Article 81 Cooperation with third countries and international organisations	Article 81 Cooperation with third countries and international organisations	Article 81 Cooperation with third countries and international organisations
763	1. In order to achieve the objectives set out in this Regulation, and without prejudice to the respective competences of the Member States and the Union institutions, the Authority may develop contacts and enter into administrative arrangements with AML/CFT authorities in third countries that have regulatory, supervisory and FIU-related competences in the field of anti-money laundering and counter terrorism financing as well as with international organisations and third-country administrations. Those arrangements shall not create legal obligations in respect of the Union and its Member States nor shall they prevent Member States and their competent authorities from concluding bilateral arrangements with those third countries.	1. In order to achieve the objectives set out in this Regulation, and without prejudice to the respective competences of the Member States and the Union institutions, the Authority may develop contacts and enter into administrative arrangements with AML/CFT authorities in third countries that have regulatory, supervisory and FIU-related competences in the field of anti-money laundering and counter terrorism financing as well as with international organisations and third-country administrations. Those arrangements shall not create legal obligations in respect of the Union and its Member States nor shall they prevent Member States and their competent authorities from concluding bilateral <u>or</u> <u>multilateral</u> arrangements with those third countries.	1. In order to achieve the objectives set out in this Regulation, and without prejudice to the respective competences of the Member States and the Union institutions, the Authority may develop contacts and enter into administrative arrangements with AML/CFT authorities in third countries that have regulatory, supervisory and FIU-related competences in the field of anti-money laundering and counter terrorism financing as well as with international organisations and third-country administrations. Those arrangements shall not create legal obligations in respect of the Union and its Member States nor shall they prevent Member States and their competent authorities from concluding bilateral <u>or multilateral</u> arrangements with those third countries.
764	2. The Authority may develop model administrative arrangements, with a view to establishing consistent, efficient and effective	2. The Authority may develop model administrative arrangements, with a view to establishing consistent, efficient and	2. The Authority <i>mayshall</i> develop model administrative arrangements, with a view to establishing consistent, efficient and effective

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	practices within the Union and to strengthening international coordination and cooperation in the fight against money laundering and terrorist financing. The public authorities and FIUs shall make every effort to follow such model arrangements.	effective practices within the Union and to strengthening international coordination and cooperation in the fight against money laundering and terrorist financing. The public authorities and FIUs shall make every effort to follow such model arrangements.	practices within the Union and to strengthening international coordination and cooperation in the fight against money laundering and terrorist financing. The public authorities and FIUs shall make every effort to follow such model arrangements.
765	3. In cases where the interaction of several Union public authorities and FIUs with third country authorities concerns matters falling within the scope of the Authority's tasks as defined in Article 5, the Authority shall have a leading role in facilitating such interaction where necessary. This role of the Authority shall be without prejudice to the regular interactions by competent authorities with third-country authorities.	3. In cases where the interaction of several Union public authorities and FIUs with third country authorities concerns matters falling within the scope of the Authority's tasks as defined in Article 5, the Authority shall have a leading role in facilitating such interaction where necessary. This role of the Authority shall be without prejudice to the regular interactions by competent authorities <u>and</u> <u>FIUs</u> with third-country authorities.	3. In cases where the interaction of several Union public authorities and FIUs with third country authorities concerns matters falling within the scope of the Authority's tasks as defined in Article 5, the Authority shall have a leading role in facilitating such interaction where necessary. This role of the Authority shall be without prejudice to the regular interactions by competent authorities <u>and FIUs</u> with third-country authorities.
766	4. The Authority shall, within its powers pursuant to this Regulation and to the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), contribute to the united, common, consistent and effective representation of the Union's interests in international fora, including by assisting the Commission in its tasks relating to Commission's membership of the Financial Action Task Force and by supporting the work and objectives of the Egmont Group of	4. The Authority shall, within its powers pursuant to this Regulation and to the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), contribute to the united, common, consistent and effective representation of the Union's interests in international fora, including by assisting the Commission in its tasks relating to Commission's membership of the Financial Action Task Force and by supporting the work and objectives of the	4. The Authority shall, within its powers pursuant to this Regulation and to the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2), contribute to the united, common, consistent and effective representation of the Union's interests in international fora, including by assisting the Commission in its tasks relating to Commission's membership of the Financial Action Task Force and by supporting the work and objectives of the Egmont Group of

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	Financial Intelligence Units.	Egmont Group of Financial Intelligence Units.	Financial Intelligence Units.
767	SECTION 3 GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS	SECTION 3 GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS	SECTION 3 GENERAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS
768	Article 82 Access to documents	Article 82 Access to documents	Article 82 Access to documents
769	1. Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 shall apply to documents held by the Authority.	1. Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 shall apply to documents held by the Authority.	1. Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 shall apply to documents held by the Authority.
770	2. Decisions taken by the Authority under Article 8 of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 may be the subject of a complaint to the Ombudsman or of an action before the Court of Justice of the European Union, under the conditions laid down in Articles 228 and 263 TFEU, respectively.	2. Decisions taken by the Authority under Article 8 of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 may be the subject of a complaint to the Ombudsman or of an action before the Court of Justice of the European Union, under the conditions laid down in Articles 228 and 263 TFEU, respectively.	2. Decisions taken by the Authority under Article 8 of Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 may be the subject of a complaint to the Ombudsman or of an action before the Court of Justice of the European Union, under the conditions laid down in Articles 228 and 263 TFEU, respectively.
771	3. The right of access to documents shall not apply to confidential information comprising:	3. The right of access to documents shall not apply to confidential information comprising:	3. The right of access to documents shall not apply to confidential information comprising:

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772	(a) information or data of the Authority, the financial supervisors, or the obliged entities obtained in the process of carrying out the tasks and activities referred to in Article 5(2) and Section 3 of Chapter II;	(a) information or data of the Authority, the financial supervisors, or the obliged entities obtained in the process of carrying out the tasks and activities referred to in Article 5(2) and Section 3 of Chapter II;	(a) information or data of the Authority, the financial supervisors, or the obliged entities obtained in the process of carrying out the tasks and activities referred to in Article 5(2) and Section 3 of Chapter II;
773	(b) any operational data or information related to such operational data of the Authority and of the FIUs that is in the possession of the Authority due to carrying out the tasks and activities referred to in Article 5(5) and Section 6 of Chapter II.	(b) any operational data or information related to such operational data of the Authority and of the FIUs that is in the possession of the Authority due to carrying out the tasks and activities referred to in Article 5(5) and Section 6 of Chapter II.	(b) any operational data or information related to such operational data of the Authority and of the FIUs that is in the possession of the Authority due to carrying out the tasks and activities referred to in Article 5(5) and Section 6 of Chapter II.
774	4. The confidential information referred to in paragraph 3, point (a), that relates to a supervisory procedure can be fully or partially disclosed to the obliged entities which are parties to that supervisory procedure, subject to the legitimate interest of natural and legal persons other than the relevant party, in the protection of their business secrets. This access shall not extend to internal documents of the Authority, financial supervisors, or correspondence between them.	4. The confidential information referred to in paragraph 3, point (a), that relates to a supervisory procedure can be fully or partially disclosed to the obliged entities which are parties to that supervisory procedure, subject to the legitimate interest of natural and legal persons other than the relevant party, in the protection of their business secrets. This access shall not extend to internal documents of the Authority, financial supervisors, or correspondence between them.	4. The confidential information referred to in paragraph 3, point (a), that relates to a supervisory procedure can be fully or partially disclosed to the obliged entities which are parties to that supervisory procedure, subject to the legitimate interest of natural and legal persons other than the relevant party, in the protection of their business secrets. This access shall not extend to internal documents of the Authority, financial supervisors, or correspondence between them.

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775	5. The Executive Board shall adopt practical measures for applying Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 and the rules regarding disclosure of information relating to supervisory procedures.	5. The Executive Board shall adopt practical measures for applying Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 and the rules regarding disclosure of information relating to supervisory procedures.	5. The Executive Board shall adopt practical measures for applying Regulation (EC) No 1049/2001 and the rules regarding disclosure of information relating to supervisory procedures.
776	Article 83 General language arrangements	Article 83 General language arrangements	Article 83 General language arrangements
777	1. Council Regulation No 1 shall apply to the Authority.	1. Council Regulation No 1 shall apply to the Authority.	1. Council Regulation No 1 shall apply to the Authority.
778	2. The Executive Board shall decide on the internal language arrangements for the Authority, which shall be consistent with the language arrangements in direct supervision, adopted pursuant to Article 27.	2. The Executive Board shall decide on the internal language arrangements for the Authority, which shall be consistent with the language arrangements in direct supervision, adopted pursuant to Article 27.	2. The Executive Board shall decide on the internal language arrangements for the Authority, which shall be consistent with the language arrangements in direct supervision, adopted pursuant to Article 27.
779	3. The translation services required for the functioning of the Authority shall be provided by the Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union, as established by Council Regulation (EC) No 2965/94 <sup>1</sup> .	3. The translation services required for the functioning of the Authority shall be provided by the Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union, as established by Council Regulation (EC) No 2965/94 <sup>1</sup> .	3. The translation services required for the functioning of the Authority shall be provided by the Translation Centre for the Bodies of the European Union, as established by Council Regulation (EC) No 2965/94 <sup>1</sup> .

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	1. Council Regulation (EC) No 2965/94 of 28 November 1994 setting up a Translation Centre for bodies of the European Union (OJ L 314, 7.12.1994, p. 1).	1. Council Regulation (EC) No 2965/94 of 28 November 1994 setting up a Translation Centre for bodies of the European Union (OJ L 314, 7.12.1994, p. 1).	1. Council Regulation (EC) No 2965/94 of 28 November 1994 setting up a Translation Centre for bodies of the European Union (OJ L 314, 7.12.1994, p. 1).
780	Article 84 Data protection	Article 84 Data protection	Article 84 Data protection
781	1. The processing of personal data on the basis of this Regulation for the purposes of the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing as referred to in Article 53 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] and Article 55 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLR, COM(2021)420] shall be considered necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Authority under Article 5 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 and Article 6 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679.	1. The processing of personal data on the basis of this Regulation for the purposes of the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing as referred to in Article 53 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] and Article 55 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLR, COM(2021)420] shall be considered necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Authority under <i>Article 5Articles 5</i> , of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 and <i>Article 6Articles 6</i> , of Regulation (EU) 2016/679.	1. The processing of personal data on the basis of this Regulation for the purposes of the prevention of money laundering and terrorist financing as referred to in Article 53 [OP please insert the next number to the AMLD, COM(2021)423] and Article 55 of [OP please insert the next number to the AMLR, COM(2021)420] shall be considered necessary for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest or in the exercise of official authority vested in the Authority under Article 5 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725 and Article 6 of Regulation (EU) 2016/679.
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782	When drafting guidelines and recommendations in accordance with Article 43, having a significant impact on the protection of personal	When drafting guidelines and recommendations in accordance with Article 43, having a significant impact on the	When <i>drafting guidelines and recommendations</i> in accordance with Article 43 <u>carrying out its</u> activities under this Regulation and other

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	data, the Authority shall, after being authorized by the Commission, consult the European Data Protection Supervisor established by Regulation (EU) 2018/1725. The Authority may also invite national data protection authorities as observers in the process of drafting such guidelines and recommendations.	protection of personal data, the Authority shall, after being authorized by the Commission, consult the European Data Protection Supervisor established by Regulation (EU) 2018/1725. The Authority may also invite national data protection authorities as observers in the process of drafting such guidelines and recommendations.	applicable Union law, having a significantan impact on the protection of personal data, the Authority shall, after being authorized by the Commission, consult the European Data Protection Supervisor established by Regulation (EU) 2018/1725. The Authority may also invite the European Data Protection Board and individual national data protection authorities as observers in the process of drafting such guidelines and recommendations in accordance with Article 43.
783	2. In accordance with Article 25 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, the Authority shall adopt internal rules which may restrict the application of the rights of the data subjects where such restrictions are necessary to the performance of the tasks referred in Article 53 [AMLD] and Article 55 of [AMLR].	2. In accordance with Article 25 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, the Authority shall adopt internal rules which may restrict the application of the rights of the data subjects where such restrictions are necessary to the performance of the tasks referred in Article 53 [AMLD] and Article 55 of [AMLR].	2. In accordance with Article 25 of Regulation (EU) 2018/1725, the Authority <i>shallmay</i> adopt internal rules which may restrict the application of the rights of the data subjects where such restrictions are necessary to the performance of the tasks referred in Article 53 [AMLD] and Article 55 of [AMLR].
784	Article 85 Liability of the Authority	Article 85 Liability of the Authority	Article 85 Liability of the Authority
785	1. In the case of non-contractual liability, the Authority shall, in accordance with the general principles common to the laws of the Member	1. In the case of non-contractual liability, the Authority shall, in accordance with the general principles common to the laws of the	1. In the case of non-contractual liability, the Authority shall, in accordance with the general principles common to the laws of the Member

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	States, make good any damage caused by it or by its staff in the performance of their duties. The Court of Justice of the European Union shall have jurisdiction in any dispute over the remedying of such damage.	Member States, make good any damage caused by it or by its staff in the performance of their duties. The Court of Justice of the European Union shall have jurisdiction in any dispute over the remedying of such damage.	States, make good any damage caused by it or by its staff in the performance of their duties. The Court of Justice of the European Union shall have jurisdiction in any dispute over the remedying of such damage.
786	2. The personal financial liability and disciplinary liability of Authority staff towards the Authority shall be governed by the relevant provisions applying to the staff of the Authority.	2. The personal financial liability and disciplinary liability of Authority staff towards the Authority shall be governed by the relevant provisions applying to the staff of the Authority.	2. The personal financial liability and disciplinary liability of Authority staff towards the Authority shall be governed by the relevant provisions applying to the staff of the Authority.
787	Article 86	Article 86	Article 86
	Delegated acts	Delegated acts	Delegated acts
788	1. The power to adopt delegated acts is	1. The power to adopt delegated acts is	1. The power to adopt delegated acts is
	conferred on the Commission subject to the	conferred on the Commission subject to the	conferred on the Commission subject to the
	conditions laid down in this Article.	conditions laid down in this Article.	conditions laid down in this Article.
789	2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred	2. The power to adopt delegated acts	2. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to
	to in Article 25 and Article 65 shall be	referred to in Article 25 and Article 65 shall	in Article 25 and Article 65 shall be conferred
	conferred on the Commission for an	be conferred on the Commission for an	on the Commission for an indeterminate period
	indeterminate period of time from [OP please	indeterminate period of time from [OP please	of time from [OP please insert the date = 6
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	into force of this Regulation].	entry into force of this Regulation].	Regulation].
790	3. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 25 and Article 65 may be revoked at any time by the European Parliament or by the Council. A decision to revoke shall put an end to the delegation of the power specified in that decision. It shall take effect the day following the publication of the decision in the Official Journal of the European Union or at a later date specified therein. It shall not affect the validity of any delegated acts already in force.	3. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 25 and Article 65 may be revoked at any time by the European Parliament or by the Council. A decision to revoke shall put an end to the delegation of the power specified in that decision. It shall take effect the day following the publication of the decision in the Official Journal of the European Union or at a later date specified therein. It shall not affect the validity of any delegated acts already in force.	3. The power to adopt delegated acts referred to in Article 25 and Article 65 may be revoked at any time by the European Parliament or by the Council. A decision to revoke shall put an end to the delegation of the power specified in that decision. It shall take effect the day following the publication of the decision in the <i>Official</i> <i>Journal of the European UnionOfficial</i> <i>Journal of the European Union</i> or at a later date specified therein. It shall not affect the validity of any delegated acts already in force.
791	4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law- Making.	4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law-Making.	4. Before adopting a delegated act, the Commission shall consult experts designated by each Member State in accordance with the principles laid down in the Interinstitutional Agreement of 13 April 2016 on Better Law- Making.
792	5. As soon as it adopts a delegated act, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.	5. As soon as it adopts a delegated act, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.	5. As soon as it adopts a delegated act, the Commission shall notify it simultaneously to the European Parliament and to the Council.
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	6. A delegated act adopted pursuant to Article 25 and Article 65 shall enter into force only if no objection has been expressed either by the European Parliament or the Council within a period of one month of notification of that act to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission that they will not object. That period shall be extended by one month at the initiative of the European Parliament or of the Council.	<ul> <li>6. A delegated act adopted pursuant to Article 25 and Article 65 shall enter into force only if no objection has been expressed either by the European Parliament or the Council within a period of one month of notification of that act to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission that they will not object. That period shall be extended by one month at the initiative of the European Parliament or of the Council.</li> </ul>	6. A delegated act adopted pursuant to Article 25 and Article 65 shall enter into force only if no objection has been expressed either by the European Parliament or the Council within a period of <i>one monththree months</i> of notification of that act to the European Parliament and the Council or if, before the expiry of that period, the European Parliament and the Council have both informed the Commission that they will not object. That period shall be extended by <i>one</i> <i>monththree months</i> at the initiative of the European Parliament or of the Council.
794	Article 87 Headquarters Agreement and operating conditions	Article 87 Headquarters Agreement and operating conditions	Article 87 Headquarters Agreement and operating conditions
795	1. The necessary arrangements concerning the accommodation to be provided for the Authority in the Member State where its seat is located and the facilities to be made available by that Member State, as well as the specific rules applicable in that Member State to the staff of the Authority and members of their families, shall be laid down in a Headquarters Agreement between the Authority and that Member State which they conclude after	1. The necessary arrangements concerning the accommodation to be provided for the Authority in the Member State where its seat is located and the facilities to be made available by that Member State, as well as the specific rules applicable in that Member State to the staff of the Authority and members of their families, shall be laid down in a Headquarters Agreement between the Authority and that Member State which they	1. The necessary arrangements concerning the accommodation to be provided for the Authority in the Member State where its seat is located and the facilities to be made available by that Member State, as well as the specific rules applicable in that Member State to the staff of the Authority and members of their families, shall be laid down in a Headquarters Agreement to be concluded between the Authority and that Member State which they conclude after

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	obtaining the approval of the Executive Board.	conclude after obtaining the approval of the Executive Board.	obtaining the approval of the Executive Board.
796	2. The Authority's host Member State shall provide the best possible conditions to ensure the proper functioning of the Authority, including multilingual, European-oriented schooling and appropriate transport connections.	2. The Authority's host Member State shall provide the best possible conditions to ensure the proper functioning of the Authority, including multilingual, European-oriented schooling and appropriate transport connections.	2. The Authority's host Member State shall provide the best possible conditions to ensure the proper functioning of the Authority, including multilingual, European-oriented schooling and appropriate transport connections.
797	Article 88 Evaluation and review	Article 88 Evaluation and review	Article 88 Evaluation and review
798	1. By 31 December 2029, and every five years thereafter, the Commission shall assess the Authority's performance in relation to its objectives, mandate, tasks and location(s), in accordance with the Commission's guidelines. The evaluation shall, in particular, address:	1. By 31 December 2029, and every five years thereafter, the Commission shall assess the Authority's performance in relation to its objectives, mandate, tasks and location(s), in accordance with the Commission's guidelines. The evaluation shall, in particular, address:	1. By 31 December 2029, and every five years thereafter, the Commission shall assess the Authority's performance in relation to its objectives, mandate <del>, <u>and</u> tasks <u>and location(s), in accordance with the Commission's</u> <u>guidelinesbased on objective criteria to be</u> <u>included in an evaluation</u>. The evaluation shall, in particular, address:</del>
799	(a) the possible need to amend the mandate of the Authority, and the financial implications of any such modification;	(a) the possible need to amend the mandate of the Authority, and the financial implications of any such modification;	(a) the possible need to amend the mandate of the Authority, and the financial implications of any such modification;

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800	(b) the impact of all supervisory activities and tasks of the Authority on the interests of the Union as a whole, and specifically the effectiveness of:	(b) the impact of all supervisory activities and tasks of the Authority on the interests of the Union as a whole, and specifically the effectiveness of:	(b) the impact of all supervisory activities and tasks of the Authority on the interests of the Union as a whole, and specifically the effectiveness of:
801	(i) supervisory tasks and activities related to direct supervision of selected obliged entities;	(i) supervisory tasks and activities related to direct supervision of selected obliged entities;	(i) supervisory tasks and activities related to direct supervision of selected obliged entities;
802	(ii) indirect supervision of non-selected obliged entities;	(ii) indirect supervision of non-selected obliged entities;	(ii) indirect supervision of non-selected obliged entities;
803	(iii) indirect oversight of other obliged entities;	(iii) indirect oversight of other obliged entities;	(iii) indirect oversight of other obliged entities;
804	(c) the impact of the activities related to support and coordination of FIUs, and in particular the coordination of the joint analyses of cross-border activities and transactions conducted by FIUs;	(c) the impact of the activities related to support and coordination of FIUs, and in particular the coordination of the joint analyses of cross-border activities and transactions conducted by FIUs;	(c) the impact of the activities <u>and technologies</u> related to support and coordination of FIUs <u>on</u> <u>preventing ML/TF</u> , and in particular the coordination of the joint analyses of cross- border activities and transactions conducted by FIUs <u>and the successful follow-up to those</u> <u>joint analyses in preventing and combatting</u>

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			<u>ML/TF;</u>
804a			(ca) the appropriateness of enlarging the scope of the oversight of the non-financial sector, particularly of the procedures and thresholds for AML/CFT supervisory colleges in the non-financial sector and the establishment of a step-in procedure for the non-financial entities similar to those laid down in Articles 30 and 30a;
805	(d) the impartiality, objectivity and autonomy of the Authority;	(d) the impartiality, objectivity and autonomy of the Authority;	(d) the impartiality, objectivity and autonomy of the Authority;
806	(e) the appropriateness of governance arrangements, including the composition of, and voting arrangements in, the Executive Board and its relation with the General Board,	(e) the appropriateness of governance arrangements, including the composition of, and voting arrangements in, the Executive Board and its relation with the General Board,	(e) the appropriateness of governance arrangements, including the composition of, and voting arrangements in, the Executive Board and its relation with the General Board,
807	(f) the cost effectiveness of the Authority, if appropriate, separately in relation to its distinct sources of funding;	(f) the cost effectiveness of the Authority, if appropriate, separately in relation to its distinct sources of funding;	(f) the cost effectiveness of the Authority, if appropriate, separately in relation to its distinct sources of funding;

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808	(g) the effectiveness of the recourse mechanism against decisions of the Authority and the independence and accountability arrangements applicable to the Authority;	(g) the effectiveness of the recourse mechanism against decisions of the Authority and the independence and accountability arrangements applicable to the Authority;	(g) the effectiveness of the recourse mechanism against decisions of the Authority and the independence and accountability arrangements applicable to the Authority;
809	(h) the effectiveness of cooperation and information sharing arrangements between the Authority and non-AML authorities;	(h) the effectiveness of cooperation and information sharing arrangements between the Authority and non-AML authorities;	(h) the effectiveness of cooperation and information sharing arrangements between the Authority and non-AML authorities;
810	(i) the interaction between the Authority and the other Union supervisory authorities and bodies, including the EBA, the Europol, Eurojust, OLAF and the EPPO;	(i) the interaction between the Authority and the other Union supervisory authorities and bodies, including the EBA, the Europol, Eurojust, OLAF and the EPPO;	(i) the interaction between the Authority and the other Union supervisory authorities and bodies, including the EBA, the Europol, Eurojust, OLAF and the EPPO;
810a			(ia) the scope of direct supervision and the criteria, including the appropriateness of the procedures and thresholds, for the direct selection of supervised obliged entities;
811	(j) the effectiveness of the Authority's supervisory and sanctioning powers;	(j) the effectiveness of the Authority's supervisory and sanctioning powers;	(j) the effectiveness of the Authority's supervisory and sanctioning powers;

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812	(k) effectiveness and convergence in supervisory practices reached by supervisory authorities and the role of the Authority therein.	(k) effectiveness and convergence in supervisory practices reached by supervisory authorities and the role of the Authority therein.	(k) effectiveness and convergence in supervisory practices reached by supervisory authorities and the role of the Authority therein.
813	2. The report referred to in paragraph 1 shall also examine whether:	2. The report referred to in paragraph 1 shall also examine whether:	2. The report referred to in paragraph 1 shall also examine whether:
814	(a) the resources of the Authority are adequate to carry out its responsibilities;	(a) the resources of the Authority are adequate to carry out its responsibilities;	(a) the resources of the Authority are adequate to carry out its responsibilities;
815	(b) it is appropriate to confer additional supervisory tasks regarding non-financial sector obliged entities, specifying, as appropriate, the types of entities that should be subject to additional supervisory tasks;	(b) it is appropriate to confer additional supervisory tasks regarding non-financial sector obliged entities, specifying, as appropriate, the types of entities that should be subject to additional supervisory tasks;	(b) it is appropriate to confer additional supervisory tasks regarding non-financial sector obliged entities, specifying, <i>as appropriate</i> , the types of entities that should be subject to additional supervisory tasks;
816	(c) it is appropriate to confer additional tasks in the area of support and coordination of the work of FIUs;	(c) it is appropriate to confer additional tasks in the area of support and coordination of the work of FIUs;	(c) it is appropriate to confer additional tasks in the area of support and coordination of the work of FIUs, <i>including a mandate for further</i> <i>developing a one-stop-shop platform within</i> <i>FIU.net to be used by obliged entities to submit</i> <i>suspicious transaction and activity reports to</i> <i>FIUs concerned</i> ;

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817	(d) it is appropriate to confer on the Authority additional sanctioning powers.	(d) it is appropriate to confer on the Authority additional sanctioning powers.	(d) it is appropriate to confer on the Authority additional sanctioning powers.
817a		2a. On the occasion of the first evaluation, the Commission shall also assess whether the maximum number of selected obliged entities shall be maintained or reviewed. When performing this assessment, the Commission shall take into account, in particular, the available resources of the Authority, its mandate, its experience and the circumstances of its direct supervision activities.	
818	3. On the occasion of every second evaluation, there shall be an assessment of the results achieved by the Authority having regard to its objectives, mandate and tasks, including an assessment of whether the continuation of the Authority is still justified with regard to these objectives, mandate and tasks.	3. On the occasion of every second evaluation, there shall be an assessment of the results achieved by the Authority having regard to its objectives, mandate and tasks, including an assessment of whether the continuation of the Authority is still justified with regard to these objectives, mandate and tasks.	3. On the occasion of every second evaluation, therethe Commission shall be an assessment conduct a thorough review of the results achieved by the Authority having regard to its objectives, mandate, tasks and powers. The review shall have due regard to the effectiveness and tasks, including an assessment of whether the continuation of the Authority is still justified with regard to these objectives, mandate and tasks Union's AML/CFT framework as a whole and to the Authority's cooperation with other bodies and agencies.

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819	4. The report and any accompanying proposals, as appropriate, shall be forwarded to the European Parliament and to the Council.	4. The report and any accompanying proposals, as appropriate, shall be forwarded to the European Parliament and to the Council.	4. The report and any accompanying proposals, as appropriate, shall be forwarded to the European Parliament and to the Council.
820	Article 89 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010	Article 89 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010	Article 89 Amendments to Regulation (EU) <del>No</del> <del>1093/2010<u>No 1093/2010</u></del>
821	Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 is amended as follows:	Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 is amended as follows:	Regulation (EU) No 1093/2010 is amended as follows:
822	(1) Article 1 is amended as follows:	(1) Article 1 is amended as follows:	(1) Article 1 is amended as follows:
823	(a) in paragraph 2, the second subparagraph is deleted;	(a) in paragraph 2, the second subparagraph is deleted;	(a) in paragraph 2, the second subparagraph is deleted;
824	(b) in paragraph 5, point (h) is deleted;	(b) in paragraph 5, point (h) is deleted;	(b) in paragraph 5, point (h) is deleted;

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825	(2) Article 4 is amended as follows:	(2) Article 4 is amended as follows:	(2) Article 4 is amended as follows:
826	(a) point (1a) is deleted;	(a) point (1a) is deleted;	(a) point (1a) is deleted;
827	(b) In point (2), point (iii) is deleted;	(b) In point (2), point (iii) is deleted;	(b) In point (2), point (iii) is deleted;
828	(3) In Article 8(1), point (1) is deleted;	(3) In Article 8(1), point (l) is deleted;	(3) In Article 8(1), point (1) is deleted;
829	(4) Articles 9a and 9b are deleted;	(4) Articles 9a and 9b are deleted;	(4) Articles 9a and 9b are deleted;
830	(5) in Article 17, paragraph 6 is replaced by the following:	(5) in Article 17, paragraph 6 is replaced by the following:	(5) in Article 17, paragraph 6 is replaced by the following:
831	<ul> <li>6. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, where a competent authority does not comply with the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article within the period specified therein, and where it is necessary to remedy, in</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>6. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, where a competent authority does not comply with the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article within the period specified therein, and where it is necessary to</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>6. <u>6.</u> Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, where a competent authority does not comply with the formal opinion referred to in paragraph 4 of this Article within the period specified therein, and where it is necessary to remedy, in</li> </ul>

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	a timely manner, such non-compliance in order to maintain or restore neutral conditions of competition in the market or ensure the orderly functioning and integrity of the financial system, the Authority may, where the relevant requirements of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation are directly applicable to financial institutions, adopt an individual decision addressed to a financial institution [?] requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice.	remedy, in a timely manner, such non- compliance in order to maintain or restore neutral conditions of competition in the market or ensure the orderly functioning and integrity of the financial system, the Authority may, where the relevant requirements of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation are directly applicable to financial institutions, adopt an individual decision addressed to a financial institution [?] requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice.	a timely manner, such non-compliance in order to maintain or restore neutral conditions of competition in the market or ensure the orderly functioning and integrity of the financial system, the Authority may, where the relevant requirements of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation are directly applicable to financial institutions, adopt an individual decision addressed to a financial institution [?] requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice.
832	The decision of the Authority shall be in conformity with the formal opinion issued by the Commission pursuant to paragraph 4.	The decision of the Authority shall be in conformity with the formal opinion issued by the Commission pursuant to paragraph 4.	The decision of the Authority shall be in conformity with the formal opinion issued by the Commission pursuant to paragraph 4.
833	(6) in Article 19, paragraph 4 is replaced by the following:	(6) in Article 19, paragraph 4 is replaced by the following:	(6) in Article 19, paragraph 4 is replaced by the following:
834	<ul> <li>4. Without prejudice to the powers of the</li> <li>Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU,</li> <li>where a competent authority does not comply</li> </ul>	4. Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, where a competent authority does not	4. <u>4.</u> Without prejudice to the powers of the Commission pursuant to Article 258 TFEU, where a competent authority does not comply

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	with the decision of the Authority, and thereby fails to ensure that a financial institution complies with requirements directly applicable to it by virtue of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may adopt an individual decision addressed to that financial institution requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice.;	comply with the decision of the Authority, and thereby fails to ensure that a financial institution complies with requirements directly applicable to it by virtue of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may adopt an individual decision addressed to that financial institution requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice. 2;	with the decision of the Authority, and thereby fails to ensure that a financial institution complies with requirements directly applicable to it by virtue of the legislative acts referred to in Article 1(2) of this Regulation, the Authority may adopt an individual decision addressed to that financial institution requiring it to take all necessary action to comply with its obligations under Union law, including the cessation of any practice. 2;
835	(7) in Article 33(1), the second subparagraph is deleted;	(7) in Article 33(1), the second subparagraph is deleted;	(7) in Article 33(1), the second subparagraph is deleted;
836	(8) in Article 40(1), the following point (g) is added:	(8) in Article 40(1), the following point (g) is added:	(8) in Article 40(1), the following point (g) is added:
837	(g) one representative of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting.;	(g) one representative of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting. <sup>1</sup> ;	(g) one representative of the Authority for Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting. 2;

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838	(9) in Article 81, paragraph 2b is deleted.	(9) in Article 81, paragraph 2b is deleted.	(9) in Article 81, paragraph 2b is deleted.
839	Article 90 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010	Article 90 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010	Article 90 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010
840	Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 is amended as follows:	Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 is amended as follows:	Regulation (EU) No 1094/2010 is amended as follows:
841	(1) in Article 1(2), the second subparagraph is deleted;	(1) in Article 1(2), the second subparagraph is deleted;	(1) in Article 1(2), the second subparagraph is deleted;
842	(2) in Article 40(1), the following point is added:	(2) in Article 40(1), the following point is added:	(2) in Article 40(1), the following point is added:
843	<ul> <li>(f) one representative of the Authority for Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting.;</li> </ul>	(f) one representative of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting. 2;	(f) one representative of the Authority for Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting.;

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844	(3) In Article 54, paragraph 2a is deleted.	(3) In Article 54, paragraph 2a is deleted.	(3) In Article 54, paragraph 2a is deleted.
845	Article 91 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010	Article 91 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010	Article 91 Amendments to Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010
846	Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 is amended as follows:	Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 is amended as follows:	Regulation (EU) No 1095/2010 is amended as follows:
847	(1) in Article 1(2), the second subparagraph is deleted;	(1) in Article 1(2), the second subparagraph is deleted;	(1) in Article 1(2), the second subparagraph is deleted;
848	(2) in Article 40(1), the following point is added:	(2) in Article 40(1), the following point is added:	(2) in Article 40(1), the following point is added:
849	<ul> <li>(f) one representative of the Authority for Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting.</li> </ul>	(f) one representative of the Authority for Anti-Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting.	(f) one representative of the Authority for Anti- Money Laundering and Countering the Financing of Terrorism, who shall be non- voting.

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850	(3) In Article 54, paragraph 2a is deleted.	(3) In Article 54, paragraph 2a is deleted.	(3) In Article 54, paragraph 2a is deleted.
851	Article 92 Commencement of the Authority's activities	Article 92 Commencement of the Authority's activities	Article 92 Commencement of the Authority's activities
852	The Commission shall be responsible for the establishment and initial operation of the Authority until the date on which the Authority becomes operational, which shall be 1 January 2024 in accordance with Article 93. For that purpose:	The Commission shall be responsible for the establishment and initial operation of the Authority until the date on which the Authority becomes operational, which shall be 1 January 2024 in accordance with Article 93. For that purpose:	The Commission shall be responsible for the establishment and initial operation of the Authority until the date on which the Authority becomes operational, which shall be 1 January 2024 in accordance with Article 93. For that purpose:
853	(a) the Commission may designate a Commission official to act as interim Executive Director and exercise the duties assigned to the Executive Director until the Authority has the capacity to implement its own budget and the Executive Director has taken up his or her duties following his or her appointment by the Executive Board in accordance with Article 58;	(a) the Commission may designate a Commission official to act as interim Executive Director and exercise the duties assigned to the Executive Director until the Authority has the capacity to implement its own budget and the Executive Director has taken up his or her duties following his or her appointment by the Executive Board in accordance with Article 58;	(a) the Commission may designate a Commission official to act as interim Executive Director and exercise the duties assigned to the Executive Director until the Authority has the capacity to implement its own budget and the Executive Director has taken up his or her duties following his or her appointment by the Executive Board in accordance with Article 58;
854	(b) by derogation from Article 53(4) and until the adoption of a decision as referred to in	(b) by derogation from Article 53(4) and until the adoption of a decision as referred to	(b) by derogation from Article 53(4) and until the adoption of a decision as referred to in

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	Article 58, the interim Executive Director shall exercise the appointing authority power;	in Article 58, the interim Executive Director shall exercise the appointing authority power;	Article 58, the interim Executive Director shall exercise the appointing authority power;
855	(c) the Commission may offer assistance to the	(c) the Commission may offer assistance to	(c) the Commission may offer assistance to the
	Authority, in particular by seconding	the Authority, in particular by seconding	Authority, in particular by seconding
	Commission officials to carry out the activities	Commission officials to carry out the	Commission officials to carry out the activities
	of the Authority under the responsibility of the	activities of the Authority under the	of the Authority under the responsibility of the
	interim Executive Director or the Executive	responsibility of the interim Executive	interim Executive Director or the Executive
	Director;	Director or the Executive Director;	Director;
856	(d) the interim Executive Director may	(d) the interim Executive Director may	(d) the interim Executive Director may
	authorise all payments covered by	authorise all payments covered by	authorise all payments covered by
	appropriations entered in the Authority's	appropriations entered in the Authority's	appropriations entered in the Authority's budget
	budget after approval by the Executive Board	budget after approval by the Executive Board	after approval by the Executive Board and may
	and may conclude contracts, including staff	and may conclude contracts, including staff	conclude contracts, including staff contracts,
	contracts, following the adoption of the	contracts, following the adoption of the	following the adoption of the Authority's
	Authority's establishment plan.	Authority's establishment plan.	establishment plan.
857	Article 93	Article 93	Article 93
	Entry into force and application	Entry into force and application	Entry into force and application
858	This Regulation shall enter into force the	This Regulation shall enter into force the	This Regulation shall enter into force the
	twentieth day following that of its publication	twentieth day following that of its	twentieth day following that of its publication in
	in the Official Journal of the European Union.	publication in the Official Journal of the	the Official Journal of the European Union.

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859	It shall apply from 1 January 2024.	It shall apply from 1 January 2024.	It shall apply from 1 January <del>2024<u>2025</u>.</del>
860	However, Articles 1, 4, 38, 42, 43, 44, 46, 56, 58, 86 and 87 shall apply from 1 January 2023.	However, Articles 1, 4, 38, 42, 43, 44, 46, 56, 58, 86 and 87 shall apply from 1 January 2023.	However, Articles 1, 4, 38, 42, 43, 44, 46, 56, 58, 86 and 87 shall apply from 1 January 20232024.
861	This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.	This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.	This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.
862	Done at Brussels,	Done at Brussels,	Done at Brussels,
863	For the European Parliament	For the European Parliament	For the European Parliament
864	The President	The President	The President
865	For the Council	For the Council	For the Council

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866	The President	The President	The President
866.1	Annex I	Annex I	Annex I
867	List of the coefficients linked to aggravating and mitigating factors for the application of Article	List of the coefficients linked to aggravating and mitigating factors for the application of Article	List of the coefficients linked to aggravating and mitigating factors for the application of Article
868	List of the coefficients linked to aggravating and mitigating factors for the application of Article 20.	List of the coefficients linked to aggravating and mitigating factors for the application of Article 20.	List of the coefficients linked to aggravating and mitigating factors for the application of Article 20.
869	The following coefficients shall be applicable in a cumulative way to the basic amounts referred to in Article 20(6) on the basis of each of the following aggravating and mitigating factors:	The following coefficients shall be applicable in a cumulative way to the basic amounts referred to in Article 20(6) on the basis of each of the following aggravating and mitigating factors:	The following coefficients shall be applicable in a cumulative way to the basic amounts referred to in Article 20(6) on the basis of each of the following aggravating and mitigating factors:
870	I. Adjustment coefficients linked to aggravating factors:	I. Adjustment coefficients linked to aggravating factors:	I. Adjustment coefficients linked to aggravating factors:

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871	1. If the breach has been committed repeatedly, for every time it has been repeated, an additional coefficient of 1,1 shall apply.	1. If the breach has been committed repeatedly, for every time it has been repeated, an additional coefficient of 1,1 shall apply.	1. If the breach has been committed repeatedly, for every time it has been repeated, an additional coefficient of 1,1 shall apply.
872	2. If the breach has been committed for more than six months, a coefficient of 1,5 shall apply.	2. If the breach has been committed for more than six months, a coefficient of 1,5 shall apply.	2. If the breach has been committed for more than six months, a coefficient of 1,5 shall apply.
873	3. If the infringement has revealed systemic weaknesses in the organisation of the selected obliged entity, in particular in its procedures, management systems or internal controls, a coefficient of 2,2 shall apply.	3. If the infringement has revealed systemic weaknesses in the organisation of the selected obliged entity, in particular in its procedures, management systems or internal controls, a coefficient of 2,2 shall apply.	3. If the infringement has revealed systemic weaknesses in the organisation of the selected obliged entity, in particular in its procedures, management systems or internal controls, a coefficient of 2,2 shall apply.
874	4. If the infringement has been committed intentionally, a coefficient of 3 shall apply.	4. If the infringement has been committed intentionally, a coefficient of 3 shall apply.	4. If the infringement has been committed intentionally, a coefficient of 3 shall apply.
875	5. If no remedial action has been taken since the breach has been identified, a coefficient of 1,7 shall apply.	5. If no remedial action has been taken since the breach has been identified, a coefficient of 1,7 shall apply.	5. If no remedial action has been taken since the breach has been identified, a coefficient of 1,7 shall apply.

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876	6. If the selected obliged entity's senior management has not cooperated with the Authority in carrying out its investigations, a coefficient of 1,5 shall apply.	6. If the selected obliged entity's senior management has not cooperated with the Authority in carrying out its investigations, a coefficient of 1,5 shall apply.	6. If the selected obliged entity's senior management has not cooperated with the Authority in carrying out its investigations, a coefficient of 1,5 shall apply.
877	II. Adjustment coefficients linked to mitigating factors:	II. Adjustment coefficients linked to mitigating factors:	II. Adjustment coefficients linked to mitigating factors:
878	1. If the selected obliged entity's senior management can demonstrate that they have taken all the necessary measures to prevent the breach, a coefficient of 0,7 shall apply.	1. If the selected obliged entity's senior management can demonstrate that they have taken all the necessary measures to prevent the breach, a coefficient of 0,7 shall apply.	1. If the selected obliged entity's senior management can demonstrate that they have taken all the necessary measures to prevent the breach, a coefficient of 0,7 shall apply.
879	2. If the selected obliged entity has brought quickly, effectively and completely the breach to Authority's attention, a coefficient of 0,4 shall apply.	2. If the selected obliged entity has brought quickly, effectively and completely the breach to Authority's attention, a coefficient of 0,4 shall apply.	2. If the selected obliged entity has brought quickly, effectively and completely the breach to Authority's attention, a coefficient of 0,4 shall apply.
880	3. If the selected obliged entity has voluntarily taken measures to ensure that similar breach cannot be committed in the future, a coefficient of 0,6 shall apply.	3. If the selected obliged entity has voluntarily taken measures to ensure that similar breach cannot be committed in the future, a coefficient of 0,6 shall apply.	3. If the selected obliged entity has voluntarily taken measures to ensure that similar breach cannot be committed in the future, a coefficient of 0,6 shall apply.

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880.1	Annex II	Annex II	Annex II
881	List of directly applicable requirements referred to in Article 21(1) and 21(3)	List of directly applicable requirements referred to in Article 21(1) and 21(3)	List of directly applicable requirements referred to in Article 21(1) and 21(3)
882	1. Requirements related to customer due diligence referred to in Article 21(3), points (a) and (b) shall be those in : Articles 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, and 37 of [AMLR].	1. Requirements related to customer due diligence referred to in Article 21(3), points (a) and (b) shall be those in : Articles 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, and 37 of [AMLR].	1. Requirements related to customer due diligence referred to in Article 21(3), points (a) and (b) shall be those in : Articles 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28, 30, 31, 32, 34, 36, and 37 of [AMLR].
883	2. Requirements related to group policies and procedures referred to in Article 21(3), point (a)shall be those in : Articles 13 and 14 of [AMLR].	2. Requirements related to group policies and procedures referred to in Article 21(3), point (a)shall be those in : Articles 13 and 14 of [AMLR].	2. Requirements related to group policies and procedures referred to in Article 21(3), point (a)shall be those in : Articles 13 and 14 of [AMLR].
884	3. Requirements related to reporting obligations referred to in Article 23(3), points (a) and (b)shall be those in : Articles 50, 51 and 52 of [AMLR] and Articles 9, 13 and 18 of [TFR recast].	3. Requirements related to reporting obligations referred to in Article 23(3), points (a) and (b)shall be those in : Articles 50, 51 and 52 of [AMLR] and Articles 9, 13 and 18 of [TFR recast].	3. Requirements related to reporting obligations referred to in Article 23(3), points (a) and (b)shall be those in : Articles 50, 51 and 52 of [AMLR] and Articles 9, 13 and 18 of [TFR recast].
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		4. Requirements related to internal policies, controls and procedures referred to in Article 23(3), point (b)shall be those in : Articles 7, 8, 9, 38, 39 and 40 of the [AMLR].	4. Requirements related to internal policies, controls and procedures referred to in Article 23(3), point (b)shall be those in : Articles 7, 8, 9, 38, 39 and 40 of the [AMLR].	4. Requirements related to internal policies, controls and procedures referred to in Article 23(3), point (b)shall be those in : Articles 7, 8, 9, 38, 39 and 40 of the [AMLR].
	886	5. Other requirements referred to in Article 23(3), points (c) and (d)shall be those in: Articles 54, 56, 57 and 58 of [AMLR] and Articles 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 21 of [TFR].	5. Other requirements referred to in Article 23(3), points (c) and (d)shall be those in: Articles 54, 56, 57 and 58 of [AMLR] and Articles 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 21 of [TFR].	5. Other requirements referred to in Article 23(3), points (c) and (d)shall be those in: Articles 54, 56, 57 and 58 of [AMLR] and Articles 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 21 of [TFR].