



The post-Brexit Handbook: a collective opportunity

The FCA are working on what a UK financial services rulebook outside of the EU will look like – and they want you to get involved. The passage of the Financial Services and Markets Act 2023 brings a great opportunity, and other regulators have been given the ability to get down to the details of what a UK financial services rulebook outside of the EU is going to look like.

Greg Sachrajda, Co-Director, Cross-Cutting Policy and Strategy, Supervision, Policy and Competition, explains by saying "We remain committed to telling you as much as we can as early as we can. We'll keep our website updated with the individual files as we make progress. The Regulatory Initiatives Grid, which we publish alongside our regulatory colleagues, will also include an overview of the reforms happening across the sector.

We want to be consistent, and we want to deliver a Handbook that means we can address emerging harms and adapt to changes more quickly. We want a regulatory framework that protects consumers, supports thriving markets, and can adapt in a more agile way to the future evolution of the sector. I look forward to working with you all to deliver that change."

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FCA's new powers are an important step towards maintaining reasonable provision of cash deposit and withdrawal services.

Parliament, through the Financial Services & Markets Act 2023, has entrusted the FCA with the responsibility of ensuring that cash deposit and withdrawal services for personal and business current accounts in the UK or part of the UK are reasonably provided. In line with the Government's Cash Access Policy Statement, the FCA will establish new regulations to ensure that cash access services continue to be offered on a fair basis as they evolve.

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