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Preparing for regulation

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We will start regulating pre-paid funeral plans on 29 July 2022.

If you provide or sell funeral plans, you need to start preparing now.

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Our application gateway opens in September 2021, but the timeline for applying and becoming authorised is short.

Don't wait until September to prepare your application, start now.

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Submit your application as soon as possible once the application gateway opens.

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If you don't, you may not leave enough time for authorisation before our regulation takes effect.

This means you may need to stop trading.

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If you're thinking about becoming an appointed representative, talk to the provider(s) who will be your principal firm.

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We have more information on our website to help guide you through the application process.

Visit fca.org.uk/funeral and sign up for email updates.