

# Authorisations operating service metrics 2023/24 Q3

Operating Service Metrics															
Area	Description	Timescale	Stat/Vol	Target	Green	Amber	Red	Q3 2022/23	Q4 2022/23	Q1 2023/24	Q2 2023/24	Q3 2023/24	Cases determined Q3 2023/24	Cases determined past deadline Q3 2023/24	
R1.1a	Approved Persons - of which SMCR-related	<b>Approved Persons - of which are SMCR-related</b> To process an application for 'approved person' status for an application submitted by an authorised firm under the Senior Manager and Certification Regime	Within 3 months	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	87.9%	92.5%	94.5%	95.8%	98.6%	1,400	19
R1.1a	Approved Persons - of which AR-related	<b>Approved persons - of which are AR-related</b> To process an application for 'approved person' status for an application submitted by an authorised firm under the Appointed Representative regime	Within 3 months	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	94.7%	82.8%	97.1%	96.1%	94.7%	1,670	89
A1.1	New Firm Authorisations	<b>New Firm Authorisations</b> To process a complete application for Part 4A Permission	Within 6 /12 months of a complete (S55V(1)) / incomplete (S55V(2)) application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	93.5%	94.8%	97.0%	93.9%	95.6%	341	15
R5.1	Variations of Permission	<b>Variation of Permission</b> To process a complete application from an authorised firm for Variation of Permission	Within 6 /12 months of becoming complete (S55V(1)) / receiving incomplete (S55V(2)) application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	96.6%	99.7%	99.4%	98.4%	98.8%	324	4
R6.1	Change in Control	<b>Change in Control</b> To make a decision after receiving a 'complete' notification of a proposed change in control	Within 60 working days of acknowledgement of receipt (s189(1))	Statutory	100%	100%	<100% but ≥ 90%	<90%	97.5%	99.2%	99.7%	99.1%	99.6%	302	1
A1.2	3/4MLD	<b>3/4 MLD</b> To process money laundering registration under the 3MLD/4MLD directives	Within 45 calendar days of receipt of application or receipt of any further required information	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	100.0%	97.1%	90.9%	96.8%	97.4%	78	2
PS1	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Authorisations</b> To process a complete application for authorisation under the PSRs 2017	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	88.2%	79.0%	88.3%	66.7%	93.3%	15	1
PS2	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Authorisations</b> To process a complete application for authorisation under the EMRs 2011	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	76.2%	81.8%	80.0%	89.5%	93.8%	16	1
PS3	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Registrations</b> To process a complete application for registration under the PSRs 2017	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	100%	100%	96.7%	100%	100%	17	0
PS4	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Registrations</b> To process a complete application for registration under the EMRs 2011	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	1	0
PS5	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Registrations</b> To process a complete application for a variation of registration under the PSRs 2017	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	No cases closed under this standard	100%	100%	100%	100%	3	0
PS6	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Registrations</b> To process a complete application for a variation of registration under the EMRs 2011	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	No cases closed under this standard	No cases closed under this standard	No cases closed under this standard	No cases closed under this standard	No cases closed under this standard	0	0
PS7	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Authorisations</b> To process a complete application for a variation of authorisation under the PSRs 2017	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	3	0
PS8	Payment Services & E-Money Authorisations & Registrations	<b>Payment Services &amp; E-Money Authorisations</b> To process a complete application for a variation of authorisation under the EMRs 2011	Within 3 / 12 months of the received date of a complete / incomplete application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	100%	100%	100%	100%	100%	3	0
PS9	Payment Services Agents	<b>Payment Service Agents</b> To process a notification for a UK agent under the PSRs 2017 and EMRs 2011	Within 2 months	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	98.1%	94.5%	98.1%	97.2%	98.8%	1,746	21
R8.1	Cancellations	<b>Cancellations</b> To determine a complete application for Cancellation of a Part 4A Permission	Within 6 /12 months of becoming complete (S55V(1)) / receiving incomplete (S55V(2)) application	Statutory	100%	≥ 98%	<98% but ≥ 90%	<90%	99.1%	99.0%	98.4%	98.6%	99.7%	1,045	3
N1.1	Appointed Representatives notifications	<b>Appointed Representative Notifications</b> To process a complete notification for appointed representative status	No statutory deadline												
A8.1	Mutuals	<b>Mutuals</b> To process a complete registration application from a mutual society	No statutory deadline												

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LQ determination time Q3 (days)	Median determination time Q3 (days)	UQ determination time Q3 (days)
22	38	59
10	24	39
62	114	230
29	69	143
24	46	70
42	65	107
81	100	111
62	123	188
0	0	16
3	9	35
0	1	7
1	6	16

**Notes**  
R.6.1 - Change in Control - The statutory metric is 60 working days after receiving a 'complete' notification. We can "stop the clock" once during that period, for a maximum of 30 days, to request further information from the applicant. The days reported in the lower quartile, median and upper quartile are not working days, but the total number of calendar days between receipt of a notification, complete or not, and our determination. Where we receive an incomplete notification, the elapsed period between receipt and determination will include the period of time in which we are seeking, or waiting to receive, the missing information.