1. MIFIDPRU 2 Annex 6R
	1. Application under MIFIDPRU 2.5.40R for permission to include a portfolio of a designated investment firm in a consolidated K-CMG requirement – Additional portfolio questions

**The questions that follow must be completed separately for each portfolio this application relates to.**

1. Please state the name of the portfolio for which a K-CMG permission is requested.

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1. Please list all types of positions within the portfolio.

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1. Please list all models used to value the positions within the portfolio.

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1. Does the portfolio cover all of the designated investment firm’s trading book positions?

If the designated investment firm has positions outside of the trading book that give rise to foreign exchange or commodities risk, the FCA would generally expect K-NPR to be calculated in relation to these positions.

[ ]  Yes

[ ]  No 4Give details below

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1. Please confirm that the clearing and settlement of transactions in the relevant portfolio take place under the responsibility of a clearing member of an authorised or recognised central counterparty.

[ ]  Yes

1. Please confirm which of the following applies:

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| a. The designated investment firm itself is the clearing member | *Yes/No* |
| b. The designated investment firm is a direct client of the clearing member  | *Yes/No* |
| c. The designated investment firm is an indirect client of the clearing member | *Yes/No* |

1. Where the designated investment firm is not itself the clearing member, please provide the following information:

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| * + - 1. Name of clearing member
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| * + - 1. Status of clearing member
 | * + - 1. *Select one of the following:*
			2. *● a MIFIDPRU investment firm*
			3. *● other designated investment firm*
			4. *● a third country investment firm*
			5. *● a UK credit institution*
			6. *● a third country credit institution[[1]](#footnote-1)*
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| * + - 1. FRN/LEI of clearing member
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| * + - 1. Where the designated investment firm is an indirect client of the clearing member, please provide the following information:
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| * + - 1. Name of intermediary
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| * + - 1. Status of intermediary
 | * + - 1. *Select one of the following:*
			2. *● a MIFIDPRU investment firm*
			3. *● other designated investment firm*
			4. *● a third country investment firm*
			5. *● a UK credit institution*
			6. *● a third country credit institution*
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| * + - 1. FRN/LEI of intermediary
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Where the clearing member and/or the intermediary do not have an FRN or LEI, please explain why and provide alternative details.

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1. One of the conditions of the K-CMG permission is that transactions in the relevant portfolio are either:
2. centrally cleared in an authorised or recognised central counterparty; or
3. settled on a delivery-versus-payment basis under the responsibility of the clearing member.

Please explain how this specific condition is satisfied:

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1. In order to meet the conditions of the K-CMG permission, the designated investment firm is required to provide total margin calculated on the basis of a margin model that meets the criteria set out in MIFIDPRU 4.13.14R.
2. Please confirm whether the margin model is operated:

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| * + - 1. By the authorised or recognised central counterparty
			2. *applies to self-clearing firms*
 | * + - 1. *Yes/No*
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| * + - 1. By the relevant clearing member
			2. *applies to firms other than self-clearing firms*
 | * + - 1. *Yes/No*
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1. Please provide further details of the margin model, including how it satisfies the specific criteria in MIFIDPRU 4.13.14R:

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1. Please confirm whether the parameters of the margin model meet the EMIR standards.

 [ ]  Yes

 [ ]  No 4Give details below of the mathematical adjustments that have been applied to produce an alternative margin requirement (see MIFIDPRU 4.13.14R(2))

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1. Please explain how this alternative requirement is at least equivalent to the margin requirement that would be produced by a margin model that meets the EMIR standards.

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1. Please attach a copy of the agreement with the clearing member concerning the margin model and collateral used.

[ ]  Attached

1. Please explain the rationale for the decision to calculate a consolidated K-CMG requirement in relation to the portfolio to which this application relates. In your response, please demonstrate that you have taken adequate account of the nature of, and risk arising from, the designated investment firm’s trading activities, including whether:
2. the main activities of the designated investment firm are essentially trading activities that are subject to clearing and margining under the responsibility of a clearing member; and
3. other activities performed by the designated investment firm are material in comparison to those main activities.

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1. Please confirm that the rationale for the decision has been clearly documented and approved by the relevant management body or risk management function.

[ ]  Yes

1. Please show how the consolidated capital requirement calculated using K-CMG compares with that calculated using K-NPR.

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1. Please confirm who within the designated investment firm is accountable for the operation of the margin model used. Please provide details of the specific role or function where the knowledge about the margin model sits within the firm (e.g. Head of Risk Management, Head of Models, etc.), rather than an individual’s name.

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1. In order to meet the conditions for the K-CMG permission, the designated investment firm must have in place ongoing processes and systems for assessing the nature and level of risks to which it is, or might be, exposed, which take into account the understanding of relevant individuals within the firm of the margin model to determine whether:
2. the resulting consolidated K-CMG requirement for the portfolio is sufficient to cover the relevant risks to which the designated investment firm is exposed; and
3. the K-CMG permission remains appropriate in relation to the portfolio for which it was granted.

Please confirm that the designated investment firm’s ongoing processes and systems satisfy these requirements.

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