

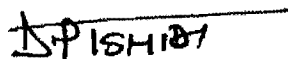
BOARD NOTICE 91 OF 2011**FINANCIAL SERVICES BOARD****FINANCIAL ADVISORY AND INTERMEDIARY SERVICES ACT, 2002****COMPLIANCE REPORT FOR FOREIGN FSPs, 2011**

In terms of section 17(4) of the Financial Advisory and Intermediary Services Act, 2002 ("the Act"), I, Dube Phineas Tshidi, the Registrar of Financial Services Providers, determine the manner in which the compliance report of foreign FSPs must be submitted, and the matters which it must have regard to. This determination was made after consultation with the Advisory Committee on Financial Services Providers.

- (a) A written report for the reporting period, by completing the schedule attached hereto, or by completing electronically, online the schedule on the web site of the Financial Services Board (www.fsb.co.za), must be submitted by 31 October 2011.
- (b) Answers should not be provided in columns that are shaded in grey in the schedule.
- (c) In this Notice, unless the context indicates otherwise—
 - (i) any word or expression shall have the meaning that it was assigned in the Act;
 - (ii) "Code of Conduct" means any Code published under section 15 of the Act;
 - (iii) "Determination of Fit and Proper Requirements" means the Determination of Fit and Proper Requirements for Financial Services Providers, 2008;
 - (iv) "developmental area" means any control, process or compliance issue that has been identified during the monitoring of compliance as an area in respect of which the need for improvement of such control, process or compliance issue has been identified by the provider, and plans are in place to effect such improvements within a reasonable time;
 - (v) "FICA" means the Financial Intelligence Centre Act, 2001;
 - (vi) "foreign FSP or "foreign financial services provider" means a financial services provider that is not domiciled in the Republic of South Africa;
 - (vii) "Forex Investment Business Code of Conduct" means the Code of Conduct for Authorised Financial Service Providers, and their Representatives, involved in Forex Investment Business, 2004;

- (viii) "FSP", "financial services provider" or "provider" means an authorised financial services provider, and includes, where applicable, any representative of the provider;
- (ix) "General Code of Conduct" or "General Code" means the General Code of Conduct for Authorised Financial Services Providers and Representatives, 2003;
- (x) "Regulations" means the Financial Advisory and Intermediary Services Regulations, 2003;
- (xi) "reporting date" means 31 August 2011;
- (xii) "reporting period" means the period the latter of-
 - (aa) the date of authorisation as financial services provider in terms of section 8 of the Act;
 - (bb) the first day of the month following the reporting period for the 2010 compliance report; or
 - (cc) the date of appointment of the compliance officer of the FSP,until the reporting date.

This Determination is called the Compliance Report for Foreign FSPs, 2011, and comes into operation on the date of publication thereof.



D P TSHIDI,
Registrar of Financial Services Providers

SCHEDULE

Compliance Report for Foreign FSPs for reporting period ended 31 August 2011

Scope

In accordance with section 17(4) of the Act, I/we (the approved compliance officer(s), if appointed) or the sole proprietor or key individual of the FSP if no compliance officer is appointed hereby report as follows as regards compliance with the Act by (full name of the FSP and the FSP Number) and any representatives of the FSP, for the reporting period (date reporting period started) to (reporting date)

Question		Column				
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		Yes	No	Not applicable	Develop - mental area	Note No. Comment/ Annexure
	SECTION 1 – GENERAL					
1	Conditions and restrictions imposed, made, given or issued by Registrar Sections 7, 8(4) (a) and (5) (b) of Act					
1.1	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure compliance with condition 1 of the licensing conditions requiring the FSP to update business information as provided during the application stage within 15 days of any change occurring?					
1.2	Does the FSP verify that any other FSP an instruction is given to, or from whom an instruction is received, is authorised to render the specific financial services in South Africa without any licence restriction in relation to the specific financial product?					
1.3	Financial products in respect of which FSP renders financial services Condition 5 imposed by Registrar in terms of section 8(4) of Act					
1.3.1	Is the FSP regulated in terms of any other Act (within or outside South Africa)? (Please note that this does not include membership of professional bodies.)					
1.3.2	<i>If the answer to Question 1.3.1 is YES -</i>					

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	Provide details of the Regulator (Name of Regulator and registration and licensing number, if applicable) in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
1.3.3	Does the FSP render financial services on any financial product in South Africa that is not specifically defined in the Act or regulated in terms of any other legislation (i.e. hedge fund, depending on the structure)?					
1.3.4	<i>If the answer to Question 1.3.3 is YES –</i> Provide details of the financial products concerned in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
1.4	Financial products in respect of which FSP renders financial services <i>Authorisation in terms of licence of FSP</i>					
1.4.1	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that the rendering of financial services are done within the limitation on Categories and subcategories for which the licence is issued?					
1.4.2	Did any non-compliance occur in respect of the limitation on Categories and subcategories during the reporting period?					
1.4.3	<i>If the answer to Question 1.4.2 is YES -</i> Provide details of any instances of non-compliance found as well as steps taken to reasonably ensure that such non-compliance does not occur again in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
2	Group structure					
2.1	Does the FSP form part of a group of companies and/or have service level agreements in place with other financial services providers within the group? If YES, provide full details of the group (including an organogram or diagram as well as such the FSP's relation to the group of companies) in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
2.2	Does the FSP have any branches, business units or offices situated in South Africa? If YES, provide the full contact details thereof in a separate annexure and indicate the					

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	annexure number in column 5.					
3	Key individuals Section 8(1) and (4)(b) of Act and <i>Determination of Fit and Proper Requirements</i>					
3.1	Are the people involved in a managing/overseeing function in relation to the rendering of financial services in South Africa, appointed as key individuals?					
3.2	In a separate annexure, provide information on the organogram/structure with regards to key individuals (what position they have in the organisation, where they are situated). Indicate the annexure number 5.					
3.3	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure compliance with section 8(4)(b) of the Act in the case of replacement of key individuals?					
4	Representatives Sections 13 and 14 of Act and section 8(8) of <i>Determination of Fit and Proper Requirements</i>					
4.1	Does the FSP have representatives? If YES, the Statistical Information Sheet (Section 3) must be answered.					
4.2	If the answer to question 4.1 is YES, questions 4.3 to 4.6.1 must be answered.					
4.3	Does the FSP have any juristic representatives?					
4.4	If the answer to Question 4.3 is YES – questions 4.4.1 to 4.4.3 must be answered					
4.4.1	Does the FSP have an agreement with each juristic representative?					
4.4.2	Are all employees of the juristic representative that are rendering financial services on behalf of the provider, appointed as representatives of the provider in terms of section 13 of the Act?					
4.4.3	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that juristic representatives have the necessary operational ability to render financial services to clients?					

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4.5	Does the FSP have procedures in place (including documentation) to enable representatives to provide clients with confirmation, as certified by the provider, of their status as representative as provided for in section 13(1)(b)(i) of the Act?					
4.6	Debarment of representatives <i>Section 14 of Act</i>					
4.6.1	Does the FSP have procedures in place to debar a representative, if necessary?					
5.	Insurance cover <i>Sections 5(e) and 13 of General Code of Conduct and Board Notice 123 of 2009</i>					
5.1	Does the FSP have professional indemnity cover? If yes, the Statistical Information Sheet (Section 3) must be completed.					
5.2	Does the FSP have fidelity insurance cover? If yes, the Statistical Information Sheet (Section 3) must be completed.					
5.3	Does the FSP have guarantees in place? If yes, the Statistical Information Sheet (Section 3) must be completed.					
5.4	Does the FSP disclose to clients whether the FSP holds guarantees or professional indemnity or fidelity insurance cover?					
5.5	If the FSP holds guarantees, professional indemnity cover or fidelity insurance cover, attach a copy of the insurance schedule in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
5.6	During the reporting period did the FSP have any claims against their professional indemnity cover, fidelity insurance cover or guarantees by any client based or resident in South Africa?					
6	Compliance function <i>Section 17 of the Act, Chapter IV of Regulations and Board Notice 127 of 2010</i>					
6.1	Is the compliance function established as part of the risk management framework of the business of the FSP in compliance with section 17(3) of the Act and regulation 5 of the					

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	Regulations?					
6.2	Did you indicate any aspect in this report as a "Developmental Area" (Column 4) that was also indicated as a developmental area in the previous compliance report?					
6.2.1	<i>If the answer to question 6.2 is YES –</i> In a separate annexure, provide details thereof, the reason for continued non-compliance and corrective actions to be taken. Indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
6.3	Are you (compliance officer) domiciled in the home jurisdiction of the FSP?					
6.3.1	<i>If the answer to question 6.3 is NO –</i> In a separate annexure confirm which country you (compliance officer) are domiciled in and provide full details of how monitoring was conducted during the reporting period.					
7.	Maintenance of records <i>Section 18 of Act</i> <i>Section 22 of FICA</i>					
7.1	Does the FSP have appropriate procedures and systems in place to record the information contemplated in section 18 of the Act?					
8.	General Code of Conduct					
8.1	General provisions <i>Section 3 of General Code of Conduct and Board Notice 58 of 2010</i>					
8.1.1	Has the FSP adopted, maintained and implemented a conflict of interest management policy? If the answer is YES a copy of the policy must be attached and indicate the annexure number under column 5.					
8.1.2	Are the employees, representatives and, where appropriate, associates aware of the conflict of interest management policy?					
8.1.3	Has appropriate training and educational material been provided to the employees, representatives and where appropriate, associates?					

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8.1.4	Has the conflict of interest management policy been published in appropriate media and is the policy easily accessible for public inspection at all reasonable times?					
8.1.5	If applicable, did the FSP and any representative disclose to clients in writing any conflict of interest in respect of the client?					
8.2	Disclosure requirements <i>Sections 4, 5 and 7 of General Code of Conduct</i>					
8.2.1	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that the disclosure documentation complies with sections 4 and 5 of the General Code of Conduct?					
8.2.2	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that the disclosure documentation complies with section 7 of the General Code of Conduct?					
8.2.3	Does the FSP disclose the following information to the client in writing:					
8.2.3.1	The name, class or type of financial product concerned;					
8.2.3.2	The nature, extent and frequency of any incentive, remuneration, consideration, commission, fee or brokerage which will or may become payable to the provider, directly or indirectly, by any product supplier or any other person as a result of the financial service concerned;					
8.2.3.3	Any material risk and where applicable investment risk associated with the product concerned;					
8.2.3.4	Extent of monetary obligations assumed by the client, the frequency thereof and consequences of non-compliance concerned.					
8.3	Furnishing of advice and record of advice <i>Sections 8 and 9 of General Code of Conduct</i>					
8.3.1	Is the FSP licensed to furnish advice in South Africa?					
8.3.2	Did the FSP furnish advice in South Africa as a regular feature of its business during the reporting period?					

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8.3.3	<i>If the answer to question 8.3.2 is YES – questions 8.3.3.1 to 8.3.3.3</i>					
8.3.3.1	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that an analysis of the client's financial situation and objectives is performed before advice is furnished?					
8.3.3.2	<i>If the answer to Question 8.3.3.1 is NO - In a separate annexure, provide details on how and when (specific time frame) such procedures will be put in place. Indicate the annexure number in column 5.</i>					
8.3.3.3	Does the FSP keep a record of advice and provide it to clients in accordance with section 9 of the General Code of Conduct? Provide details of non-compliance in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
8.4	Custody of financial products and funds <i>Section 10 of General Code of Conduct</i>					
8.4.1	Does the FSP receive or hold funds on behalf of clients in accounts other than separate bank accounts in the name of the clients, or receive or hold financial products other than financial products held in safe custody by a custodian appointed by the client?					
8.4.2	<i>If the answer to question 8.4.1 is YES – questions 8.4.2.1 to 8.4.2.4 must be answered</i>					
8.4.2.1	Has the FSP notified the Registrar of the details of the auditor or accounting officer in terms of section 19 of the Act read with the Exemption of certain Authorised Financial Services Providers from Requirements pertaining to Audited Financial Statements and Financial Soundness, 1 of 2003 and Exemption of certain Authorised Financial Services Providers from Requirements pertaining to Audited Financial Statements (2), 2004?					
8.4.2.2	Has the FSP changed auditors during the reporting period?					
8.4.2.3	<i>If the answer to Question 8.4.2.2 is YES - Did the FSP submit a profile change request to the Registrar in respect of the change of auditors?</i>					
8.4.2.4	Does the FSP issue written confirmation of receipts to clients when funds and/or					

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	premiums are received from clients without the mediation of a bank?					
8.4.3	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that the client's financial products can be readily/clearly distinguished from private assets of the FSP?					
8.5	Risk management					
8.5.1	Does the FSP have and effectively employ appropriate risk management resources, procedures, systems and controls?					
8.6	Advertising <i>Section 14 of General Code of Conduct</i>					
8.6.1	Does the FSP advertise its financial services in South Africa?					
8.6.2	If the answer to Question 8.6.1 is YES - questions 8.6.2.1 and 8.6.2.2 must be answered					
8.6.2.1	Does the FSP have procedures in place to ensure that advertisements and advertising communications and material comply with section 14 of the General Code of Conduct?					
8.6.2.2	Was reference to the fact that a licence is held contained in all advertisements that were placed during the reporting period?					
8.7	Complaints and regulatory action <i>Sections 16 to 19 of General Code of Conduct</i>					
8.7.1	Does the FSP have a complaints policy and resolution system in place?					
8.7.2	Provide the following details on complaints referred to the FAIS Ombud during the reporting period: number of complaints referred to the FAIS Ombud, type of complaint (what the complaint was about) as well as outcome of the complaint. Indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
8.7.3	During the reporting period was disciplinary or regulatory action taken against the FSP by any regulatory authority, exchange, professional body or government body or agency (within or outside South Africa)?					

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8.7.4	During the reporting period was the FSP or any of its subsidiaries prohibited by other regulatory bodies from operating in the financial services industry?					
8.7.4.1	If the answer to Question 8.7.4 was YES – In a separate annexure, provide full details thereof; Indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
9	Money laundering control procedures					
9.1	Is the FSP subject to anti-money laundering requirements in the FSP's home jurisdiction?					
10	Financial soundness					
10.1	Is the FSP required to comply with solvency requirements in the FSP's home jurisdiction?					
10.1.1	If the answer to Question 10.1 is YES – Did the FSP comply with these requirements at all times during the reporting period?					
10.2	Did the FSP comply with the solvency requirements as required in terms of paragraph 9 of the Determination of Fit and Proper Requirements at all times during the reporting period?					
10.3	Does the FSP prepare monthly accounting records in terms of section 19 of the Act?					
11	Monitoring					
11.1	Please indicate the type of monitoring that was conducted by the compliance function:					
11.1.1	Financial products in respect of which the FSP renders financial services.					
11.1.2	Representatives under supervision.					
11.1.3	Juristic representatives					
11.1.4	Disclosure documents to check whether it complies with sections 4 and 5 of the General					

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	Code of Conduct.					
11.1.5	Disclosure documents to check whether it complies with section 7 of the General Code of Conduct.					
11.1.6	Furnishing of advice and record of advice.					
11.1.7	Receipt of funds and/or collection of premiums.					
11.1.8	Waiver of rights.					
11.1.9	Money laundering control procedures.					
11.1.10	Policies and procedures.					
11.1.11	Other. Please provide details on type of monitoring in a separate annexure and indicate the annexure number in column 5.					
11.2	In a separate annexure, provide an explanation as to how you did the monitoring. Please also include the extent of monitoring. Indicate the annexure number in column 5.					

Question number	Question	Answer
1	What is the main purpose of the study?	To investigate the effect of a new teaching method on student performance.
2	What are the independent and dependent variables?	The independent variable is the teaching method, and the dependent variable is student performance.
3	What is the research hypothesis?	The hypothesis is that the new teaching method will result in higher student performance compared to the traditional method.
4	What is the significance of the study?	The study is significant because it aims to improve teaching practices and student outcomes.
5	What are the limitations of the study?	The study is limited by its sample size and the duration of the experiment.
6	What are the conclusions of the study?	The study concludes that the new teaching method has a positive effect on student performance.
7	What are the implications of the study?	The implications are that the new teaching method should be adopted in schools to improve student performance.
8	What are the future research directions?	Future research should explore the long-term effects of the new teaching method and its applicability in different contexts.
9	What are the key findings of the study?	The key findings are that the new teaching method significantly improved student performance in the areas of critical thinking and problem-solving.
10	What are the strengths of the study?	The strengths of the study include its rigorous methodology and the use of a control group.
11	What are the weaknesses of the study?	The weaknesses of the study include its limited sample size and the potential for bias in the data collection process.
12	What are the contributions of the study?	The study contributes to the field of education by providing evidence for the effectiveness of the new teaching method.
13	What are the practical applications of the study?	The practical applications of the study are that it provides a framework for developing and implementing new teaching methods.
14	What are the theoretical implications of the study?	The theoretical implications of the study are that it challenges existing theories of learning and teaching.
15	What are the policy implications of the study?	The policy implications of the study are that it provides evidence for the need to reform education systems.

Comments

Annexure
Number

SECTION 3 – STATISTICAL INFORMATION SHEET

3.1 REPRESENTATIVES AT REPORTING DATE		
TYPE OF INFORMATION REQUIRED	RELEVANT QUESTION NUMBER	NUMERIC AMOUNT
Number of representatives	4.1	

3.2 TYPE OF INSURANCE COVER	RELEVANT QUESTION NUMBER	CURRENCY	EXTENT OF COVER (NUMERIC AMOUNT)
Professional Indemnity Cover as contemplated in section 5(e) and 13 of the General Code of Conduct	5.1		
Fidelity Insurance Cover as contemplated in sections 5(e) and 13 of the General Code of Conduct	5.2		
Guarantees as contemplated in section 13 of the General Code of Conduct	5.3		

COMPLIANCE REPORT COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY FSP

Name of FSP _____

FSP number _____

Name of key individual _____

ID number of key individual _____

Date appointed as key individual _____

Signature _____

Date _____

COMPLIANCE REPORT COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY COMPLIANCE OFFICER(S)

Name(s) of compliance officer(s) of FSP _____

ID number(s) of the compliance officer(s) _____

Name(s) of the compliance practice(s) (if applicable) _____

Reference number(s) of compliance officer(s)/practice(s) _____

Signature(s) of the compliance officer(s) _____

Date _____

Telephone number _____

Fax number _____

E-mail address _____

Please note that all unsigned reports will be regarded as "Not Submitted".

DECLARATION COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY COMPLIANCE OFFICER(S) SUBMITTING REPORT

Name of compliance officer: _____

Compliance Report in terms of section 17(4) of the Financial Advisory and Intermediary Act, 2002 (Act No 37 of 2002) by Compliance Officers/Financial Services Providers for reporting period _____ (insert period) to _____ (insert period).

In accordance with section 17(4) of the Act, I/we _____ (being the approved compliance officer(s)) hereby report as follows as regards compliance by _____ (insert full names of FSP and FSP number) and any representative and key individual of the FSP with the Act, for the reporting period.

Having completed the attached annual compliance report for the FSP, I/we hereby confirm that, to the best of my/our knowledge and ability all the information contained in the attached annual compliance report is both true and correct in all respects/aspects.

I/we are aware that the information contained in the attached annual compliance report may be subject to verification by the Registrar of Financial Services Providers, and should I/we knowingly submit false, incorrect or misleading information to the Registrar, this may impact on my/our compliance with the Determination of Fit and Proper Requirements with regard to personal character qualities of honesty and integrity as determined by section 8(1) of the Act.

Signed on _____ (day) _____ (month) _____ (year).

Signature(s): _____