



Feedback on Consultation Paper

No. 3 2018

Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998: Fund Services Business Fees

**Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998/Alternative Investment Funds
(Jersey) Regulations 2012: AIF and AIF Services Business Fees**

**Collective Investment Funds (Jersey) Law 1988: Collective
Investment Fund Fees**

**Control of Borrowing (Jersey) Law 1947/Control of Borrowing
(Jersey) Order 1958: CoBO Fees**

**Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998/Financial Services (Investment
Business (Qualifying Segregated Managed Accounts – Exemption))
(Jersey) Order 2014: QSMA Fees**

Feedback on a consultation on proposals to change fee rates.

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Consultation Feedback

The Jersey Financial Services Commission (**JFSC**) reports on responses received regarding Consultation Paper No.3 2018.

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Glossary of Terms

AIF	Alternative Investment Fund
AIFSB	Alternative Investment Fund Services Business
CIF	Collective Investment Fund
CoBO	Control of Borrowing (Jersey) Order 1958
Commission Law	Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Consultation Paper	Consultation Paper No.3 2018 on AIF, CIF FSB, COBO and QSMA FEES
Feedback Paper	Feedback on Consultation Paper No.3 2018
FSB	Fund Services Business
JFSC	Jersey Financial Services Commission
QSMA	Qualifying Segregated Managed Account

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1 Executive Summary

1.1 Overview

1.1.1 The JFSC issued the Consultation Paper on 3 May 2018. The purpose of the Consultation Paper was to seek views on proposals to:

- 1.1.1.1 Increase FSB, AIF and CIF fee rates (including the fee cap) by 3.6%
- 1.1.1.2 Increase CoBO fee rates by 3.6% with the exception of JPF annual fees
- 1.1.1.3 Increase JPF annual fees by 100%
- 1.1.1.4 Increase QSMA fees by 7.5%
- 1.1.1.5 Alter the wording relating to late payment of fees to make clear that interest becomes payable from the due date.

1.2 Feedback received

- 1.2.1 The consultation period closed on 8 June 2018. Two responses were received directly by the JFSC and no additional responses were received by Jersey Finance.
- 1.2.2 Section 2 of this Feedback Paper presents a summary of the substantive comments received and the JFSC's response, as appropriate, to each.
- 1.2.3 The JFSC is grateful to respondents for taking the time to consider and comment on the proposals. The final Fees Notices can be found from Appendices B to F.

1.3 Next steps

- 1.3.1 For the reasons given in this Feedback Paper, the JFSC will proceed with the following increases to the fee tariffs¹:
 - 1.3.1.1 Increase FSB, AIF and CIF fee rates (including the fee cap) by 3.2%
 - 1.3.1.2 Increase CoBO fee rates by 3.2% with the exception of JPF annual fees
 - 1.3.1.3 Increase JPF annual fees by 100%
 - 1.3.1.4 Increase QSMA fees by 7.5%
- 1.3.2 The Fees Notices (Appendices B to F) have been updated and will be published on the JFSC website.
- 1.3.3 The wording regarding late payment of fees included in the Consultation Paper will be included in the final published Fees Notices.
- 1.3.4 As in prior periods, the 2018 annual fees will be collected electronically i.e. by bank transfer, and payments will only be accepted by the JFSC, after 1 July 2018 from firms who have established a myJFSC account. myJFSC is a web portal designed to facilitate, among other things, the collection of annual fees. Invitations will be sent out to Compliance Officers (who for the purposes of this fee exercise will be addressed as Fee Contacts) by email after 1 July 2018 to set up a myJFSC account if they do not already have one. Please note that for security reasons the invitations will expire after five days. Full banking details for the settlement of fees were provided in the Consultation Paper and will also be available via the myJFSC portal.
- 1.3.5 All annual fees are determined as at 1 July 2018 and payable as at 31 July 2018. A late payment penalty will be due if the fees are not paid with a value date on or before 31 July 2018. The basis for the fees is detailed within the Fee Notices at Appendices B to F.

¹ Rounded to the nearest £5.

2 Summary of responses

2.1 Structure of this section

- 2.1.1 This section summarises the substantive comments received in response to the Consultation Paper. Whilst not every comment received is individually listed, this section contains summaries of the most commonly made and pertinent comments in relation to the question posed and, as appropriate, the JFSC’s response to those comments.
- 2.1.2 One of the respondents welcomed the opportunity to provide feedback but advised that, after reviewing the proposals, it had no specific comments to raise. The other respondent (**Respondent**) provided a commentary on all proposals.
- 2.1.3 The Consultation Paper asked one question at section 3.3.1, “Do you agree with the proposed fee rate changes consulted on in this paper?” The question applied to each of the proposals summarised from 1.1.1.1 to 1.1.1.5 above, responses to the proposals are summarised below from section 2.2 to 2.4.
- 2.1.4 In addition, the Respondent provided further suggestions regarding fees and future funding that are summarised at section 2.5 below.

2.2 Increase to fee rates (including fee caps) by 3.6%

- 2.2.1 The Respondent noted that a 3.6% Jersey Retail Prices Index (**JRPI**) figure from December 2017 was employed in the Consultation Paper and suggested the JFSC may have used this figure incorrectly given that the March 2018 JRPI (3.2%) was available at the date the response was made to the Consultation Paper.
- 2.2.2 Beyond querying the rate of inflation employed, the Respondent did not object to inflationary increases in principle.

JFSC response

- 2.2.3 The Consultation Paper was released on 3 May 2018. The March 2018 JRPI figure was released on 18 May 2018. As such, the 3.6% figure in the Consultation Paper is correct as “the most recent annual rate of Jersey inflation prior to publication”, as stated at 3.1.1 of the Consultation Paper.
- 2.2.4 Given that a more recent figure is available at the date of this Feedback Paper, the JFSC has estimated the fees that will be generated employing the more recent JRPI figure (3.2%) and finds that this will come close to achieving the intended income for the 2018/19 year detailed at 3.2.2 of the Consultation Paper.
- 2.2.5 As the Response to the Consultation Paper encouraged the JFSC to employ this more recent figure, the JFSC finds that employing the 3.2% JRPI figure is broadly compatible with the Fee proposals detailed at 3.2 of the Consultation Paper.
- 2.2.6 The JFSC highlights that this approach would necessarily work in the same manner should the more recent JRPI figure have been higher than the most recently available JRPI figure at the date the Consultation Paper was published.
- 2.2.7 For this reason, the FSB, AIF and CIF and CoBO fee rates, with the exception of JPF annual fees, will be increased by 3.2%.

2.3 Increase JPF annual fees by 100%

- 2.3.1 The Respondent raised concerns that the proposed 100% increase from £500 to £1,000 for the JPF annual fee was non-inflationary.

- 2.3.2 The Respondent stated that future non-inflationary increases could have a detrimental impact on the use of the JPF regime which may work against the best economic interests of Jersey.
- 2.3.3 In light of this potential impact, the Respondent called for a commitment from the JFSC not to implement future non-inflationary increases to the JPF annual fee.
- 2.3.4 The Respondent requested clarification over what the nature of supervisory activity referred to at 3.2.8 of the Consultation paper would be.
- 2.3.5 The Respondent provided additional commentary detailed at 2.5 below featuring suggestions around alternative fee models including aspects of the JPF regime.

JFSC response

- 2.3.6 The JFSC is sensitive to the concerns raised by the Respondent that future non-inflationary increases could have a detrimental effect on the JPF regime.
- 2.3.7 The JFSC notes the request to commit to avoid future non-inflationary increases.
- 2.3.8 The JFSC cannot provide an absolute commitment to non-inflationary increases across its regulatory fees base in perpetuity, however, notes that the proposed uplift of 100% for the year from July 2018 to June 2019 for the JPF annual fee represents a significant additional cost in percentage terms. As such, the JFSC confirms that for the fee periods beginning July 2019 and July 2020 there will be no more than an inflationary increase in the JPF annual fee.
- 2.3.9 The JFSC notes the request to provide additional information regarding supervisory activity.
- 2.3.10 The JFSC appreciates the interest expressed, however, draws attention to the explanation at 3.2.8 of the Consultation Paper: “to increase the stability of our revenue base and to reflect some potential knock-on reduction in the use of Expert Funds, as well as provision of resource to carry out appropriate supervisory activity”.
- 2.3.11 Further information regarding the JFSC’s Supervisory activities is available within the JFSC’s 2018 Business Plan.
- 2.3.12 The increase of 100% to the JPF annual fee from £500 to £1,000 will be applied.

2.4 Increase QSMA fees by 7.5%

- 2.4.1 No comments were provided in relation to the QSMA fee proposal.

JFSC Response

- 2.4.2 As no comments were provided the proposed increase of 7.5% to QSMA fees will be applied.

2.5 Summary of additional comments

- 2.5.1 No comments were received regarding the wording relating to late payment of fees to make clear that interest becomes payable from the due date.
- 2.5.2 The Respondent considered the fee uplifts since the 2016/2017 fee year to be “shock” fee increases and suggested that similar increases should be avoided.
- 2.5.3 The Respondent stated that they share concerns with the JFSC about declining pools of assets and the knock-on effect on fees.
- 2.5.4 The Respondent offered assistance in performing comparative testing of comparable regulatory and product fees in competitor jurisdictions.
- 2.5.5 The Respondent expressed willingness to engage in further discussions around different bases for levying regulatory and product fees.

JFSC Response

- 2.5.6 As outlined in Consultation Papers No.10 2015, No.3 2016, No. 2 2017 and No.3 2018 the increases in Regulatory Fees from the 2016/17 through 2018/19 fee years have seen the JFSC’s staged approach to achieving a revenue base that is 15% above the fees levied in the 2015 calendar year.
- 2.5.7 Due to the composition of certain fees, notably CIF and FSB fees which rely on the pools of assets measure, this staged approach (with a clearly stated revenue target) resulted in over-inflationary increases in fee rates during the 2016/17 and 2017/18 fee years to achieve the required amount of fee income.
- 2.5.8 The JFSC agrees in principle that over-inflationary increases should be carefully considered, yet as the historic bases for charging fees remain in force such increases in fee rates may be unavoidable without a revised methodology for fee levies.
- 2.5.9 This sits in context with the increasing level of activity as demonstrated by the consistent number of regulated businesses and increasing Net Asset Value of funds as well as increasing number of products registered and authorised in Jersey.
- 2.5.10 The JFSC welcomes the renewed interest from the Respondent to exploring viable alternatives to the current charging methodology and, as stated at 3.2.7 of the Consultation Paper, the JFSC remains open to discussions on this subject. The JFSC expect that industry as a whole shall discuss and propose an agreed alternative method for fee collection.
- 2.5.11 The Respondent questioned whether fees adjusted for inflation would enable the JFSC to meet its liabilities over the medium to long-term.
- 2.5.12 The Respondent questioned whether investment in JFSC infrastructure and reserves was required in the medium to long term.
- 2.5.13 The Respondent questioned the extent to which JFSC investment in infrastructure and automation of processes will translate into future cost and human resource savings.

JFSC Response

- 2.5.14 The 2018/19 fee year sees the conclusion of the proposed increase of 15% of the JFSC’s fee income. During this three year period, significant investment has been. We also note that the 15% increase was in nominal, not real, terms.
- 2.5.15 The demand placed on the regulator continues to increase and continual investment in infrastructure as well as re-building reserves will continue to be a priority. Technological investment can help to reduce costs but is more likely to increase efficiency as an initial improvement – e.g. the speed of dealing with applications submitted electronically rather than on paper.
- 2.5.16 The Respondent questioned whether the JFSC has expectations or target income from penalties that might reduce fees.

JFSC Response

- 2.5.17 At 3.1.5 of the Consultation Paper it was stated that no penalties have been received which would reduce the fees proposed. As at the date of this Feedback Paper no penalties have been received which would reduce the fees proposed.
- 2.5.18 The JFSC does not have targets for penalties and would highlight the incompatibility of such targets with the JFSC’s Decision Making Process.

Appendix A – List of Respondents to this Consultation Paper

- › Jersey Funds Association
- › One individual Funds Services Business

Appendix B – AIF and AIFSB Fees Notice

Notice of Fees

Published in accordance with:	Article 15 of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Payable by or in relation to:	AIF and AIF Services Business
Pursuant to:	Articles 8(2)(e) of the Alternative Investment Funds (Jersey) Regulations 2012, as amended; and Articles 8(3) and 9(6) of the Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Commencement date:	The fees set out in this notice and the attached schedule are effective for the period from 1 July 2018 – 30 June 2019

1 Interpretation

1.1 In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires -

AIF	means an Alternative Investment Fund within the meaning of the Regulations
Certified Fund	means an unclassified fund in respect of which a certificate has been granted by the JFSC under Article 8B of the Collective Investment Funds (Jersey) Law 1988, as amended
FS(J)L	means the Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
JFSC	means the Jersey Financial Services Commission
Recognized Fund	means a recognized fund in respect of which a certificate has been granted by the Commission under the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (Rules) (Jersey) Order 2003
Recognized Fund functionary	means a person who holds a permit as a functionary of a Recognized Fund under the Collective Investment Funds (Jersey) Law 1988, as amended
Regulations	means the Alternative Investment Funds (Jersey) Regulations 2012, as amended

2 Application fee

2.1 For the purposes of Regulation 8(2)(e) of the Regulations (which Regulation allows the publication of fees that are to accompany applications for registration), a fee of £1,315 is

published in respect of applications for a certificate to be granted under the Regulations. The application fee is payable in respect of:

- 2.1.1 Any AIF registered in Jersey (company, limited partnership or limited liability partnership); or
- 2.1.2 Any AIF which is a Jersey trust that is a unit trust.

For the avoidance of doubt, an AIF which is a Certified Fund or a Recognized Fund is not required to pay an application fee under this Notice.

3 Application Fee – AIF services business

- 3.1 For the purposes of Article 8(3)(c) of the FS(J)L (which Article allows the publication of fees that are to accompany applications for registration), a fee of £1,315 is published in respect of applications for registration under Article 2(11) of the FS(J)L to carry on Class ZL (Manager of an AIF) AIF services business.

For the avoidance of doubt, a person is not required to pay an application fee under this Notice where the person is:

- › Registered to carry on any one or more classes of fund services business under Article 2(10) of the FS(J)L; or
- › A Recognized Fund functionary; and
- › Where the classes or functions of that person include the same classes or functions as the AIF services business.

Appendix C – CIF Fees Notice

Notice of Fees

Published in accordance with: **Article 15 of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended**

Payable by or in relation to: **Collective Investment Funds**

Pursuant to: **Articles 6(1), 7(12), 8A(2)(e) and 8B(13) of the Collective Investment Funds (Jersey) Law 1988, as amended; and Article 15(6) of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended**

Commencement date: The fees set out in this notice and the attached schedules are effective for the period from 1 July 2018 – 30 July 2019

1 Interpretation

1.1 In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires -

<p>cell, cell company, company, incorporated cell company, protected cell company</p>	<p>each has the same meaning as in the Companies (Jersey) Law 1991</p>
<p>certificate holder</p>	<p>means a company, trustee, general partner or limited liability partnership to whom a certificate has been granted under Article 8B of the Law in respect of a certified fund</p>
<p>certified fund</p>	<p>means a collective investment fund in relation to which a certificate that is in force has been granted under Article 8B of the Law</p>
<p>fund service provider</p>	<p>means a person who is or would be required to be registered under the Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998 to carry on fund services business in relation to a collective investment fund that is or would be required to be a certified fund</p>
<p>JFSC</p>	<p>means the Jersey Financial Services Commission</p>
<p>Law</p>	<p>means the Collective Investment Funds (Jersey) Law 1988, as amended</p>
<p>permit holder</p>	<p>means a person to whom a permit has been granted under Article 7 of the Law in respect of a recognized fund</p>

pool of assets	means a collective investment fund, except that where such a collective investment fund is divided into separate and distinct parts, the rights of which are restricted to an identifiable class of participants, it means each one of those parts
recognized fund	means a collective investment fund in relation to which there is a recognized fund certificate granted under the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (General Provisions) (Jersey) Order 1988 or the Collective Investment Funds (Recognized Funds) (Rules) (Jersey) Order 2003
umbrella fund	means a collective investment fund where: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. the contributions of the unit holders and the profits and income out of which payments are to be made to them are pooled; and b. the documents constituting the fund provide that such pooling is to be accomplished separately in relation to separate parts of the property of the fund

Recognized Funds

2 Application for a functionary permit (Article 6(1)(f) of the Law)

2.1 Subject to paragraph 3.6, the fee that is to accompany an application for a permit to be a functionary of a collective investment fund shall be £2,235.

3 Fees payable by a permit holder (Article 7(12) of the Law)

On the grant of a first permit

3.1 Subject to paragraphs 3.2 and 4.1, a person who was not a permit holder immediately prior to the grant of a permit, shall pay a fee determined in accordance with Schedule 1 – Recognized Funds, in respect of the issue by the JFSC of a permit under Article 7(1) of the Law. The fee is due one month after the date of the permit.

3.2 If the date of the permit in respect of which a fee is payable is other than 1 July, the fee payable under this section shall be 1/12th of the amount specified by paragraph 3.1 for each complete month between the grant of that permit and 1 July next following.

Annual fee

3.3 Subject to paragraph 4.1 of this Notice, a permit holder shall pay a fee in respect of the aggregate of the number of pools of assets in relation to which the person holds one or more permits on 1 July each year. The amount of the fee shall be determined in accordance with Schedule 1 – Recognized Funds. The fee is due on 31 July the same year.

New pool of assets

3.4 Subject to paragraph 3.6 of this Notice, a permit holder that is either a company issuing units or the trustee of a unit trust shall pay, at the time of application, a fee of £995 in respect of each new pool of assets to be added to a collective investment fund.

Transfers of certain functions to cells

3.5 An application by a permit holder that is a company (but not a cell company, incorporated cell company, protected cell company or a cell), for a permit to be varied in relation to the company

becoming a cell company, incorporated cell company, protected cell company or a cell, shall be accompanied by a fee of £2,625.

- 3.6 If a permit holder is liable to pay the fee set by paragraph 3.5, no further fee shall be payable under either paragraph 3.1 or, in the event that one or more pools of assets are added concurrently, under paragraph 3.4.

4 Cell companies

- 4.1 The total of the fees payable under paragraphs 3.1 to 3.3 by, or in respect of, the incorporated cells of an incorporated cell company and, as the case requires, that company, that apply to become or are permit holders under Article 7 of the Law shall be the same as the total amount that would be payable under those paragraphs by a protected cell company with the same number of cells that applies to become or is a permit holder under Article 7 of the Law.

Certified Funds

5 Application for certificate (Article 8A(2)(e) of the Law)

- 5.1 Subject to paragraphs 5.2 and 5.3, a person who applies for a certificate in relation to a collective investment fund shall pay a fee that is the sum of:
- 5.1.1 £2,235; and
 - 5.1.2 £2,235 in respect of each fund service provider in relation to the collective investment fund.
- 5.2 Where two or more persons apply, at the same time, for certificates in relation to a collective investment fund in respect of which no other person currently holds a certificate, each of those applicants shall pay a fee that is the sum of:
- 5.2.1 the amount payable by one applicant in relation to the collective investment fund, in accordance with paragraph 5.1; and
 - 5.2.2 £2,235 for each of the second and any additional applicant, divided by the number of applicants.
- 5.3 A person who applies for a certificate in relation to a collective investment fund:
- 5.3.1 in respect of which at least one other person already holds a certificate; or
 - 5.3.2 in a case where the certificate applied for would replace a certificate granted to another person in relation to the collective investment fund,
- shall pay a fee of £2,235.

6 Fee in respect of grant of certificate (Article 8B(13)(b) of the Law)

- 6.1 A fee shall be paid by a certificate holder in respect of the grant of a certificate.
- 6.2 The fee must be paid no later than one month after the day on which the certificate is issued.
- 6.3 Subject to paragraphs 6.4 and 6.5, the fee shall be the amount specified in Schedule 2 – Certified Funds applicable in the case of the collective investment fund to which the certificate relates, according to the total number of pools of assets in the collective investment fund on the day on which the certificate is issued.
- 6.4 If a certificate is granted on a day other than 1 July, the fee payable under paragraph 6.1 shall be 1/12th of the amount specified in paragraph 6.3 for each complete month between the grant of the certificate and 1 July next following.
- 6.5 Where:

- 6.5.1 a certificate is or certificates are granted in respect of one or more cells of an incorporated cell company and, as the case requires, in respect of that company; and
- 6.5.2 the JFSC is satisfied that the structure of the company and the cells of the company is equivalent to that of an umbrella fund,
- 6.5.3 the total of the fees determined in accordance with paragraphs 6.3 and 6.4 in respect of the cells and, as the case requires, the company, shall be the same as the total amount that would be determined in accordance with those paragraphs in the case of the grant of a certificate in relation to a protected cell company with the same number of cells.

7 Annual fee (Article 8B(13)(a) of the Law)

- 7.1 A fee shall be paid by a person who, on 1 July, is a certificate holder.
- 7.2 The fee must be paid no later than 31 July in that year.
- 7.3 The fee is whichever is the lesser of:
 - 7.3.1 the sum of the annual amounts for every collective investment fund in relation to which the person is a certificate holder on 1 July in that year; and
 - 7.3.2 £92,105.
- 7.4 Subject to paragraph 7.5, the annual amount for a collective investment fund is the amount specified in the table in Schedule 2 – Certified Funds applicable in the certificate holder's case according to the total number of pools of assets in the collective investment fund on that day.
- 7.5 Paragraph 6.5 applies for the purposes of determining the fees payable under this section in relation to a collective investment fund that is any combination of an incorporated cell company and one or more cells of that company as it applies for the purpose of section 6.

8 Fee for alteration of certificate (Article 8B(13)(b) of the Law)

- 8.1 Subject to paragraph 8.3, a certificate holder who applies for a certificate in relation to a collective investment fund to be altered so as to add one or more pools of assets to the pools of assets specified in the certificate shall pay a fee of £995 for each pool of assets so added.
- 8.2 A fee of £2,625 shall be paid by a certificate holder in relation to a collective investment fund that is a company (but not a cell company, incorporated cell company, protected cell company or a cell) who applies for the certificate in relation to the collective investment fund to be altered so as to allow the company to become a cell company, incorporated cell company, protected cell company or cell.
- 8.3 A certificate holder who applies, at the same time, for a certificate to be altered as described in both paragraphs 8.1 and 8.2 shall only be liable to pay the fee due under paragraph 8.2.
- 8.4 A fee of £330 shall be paid by a certificate holder who applies for a certificate in relation to a collective investment fund to be altered so as to reflect all or any of the following:
 - 8.4.1 a change of the name of the collective investment fund or of a pool of assets of the collective investment fund;
 - 8.4.2 a change of the name of the certificate holder on a fund certificate;
 - 8.4.3 the removal of a pool of assets from the collective investment fund; and
 - 8.4.4 the addition, alteration or removal of conditions pursuant to the application of the certificate holder.
- 8.5 A fee payable under this section must be paid at the time the application is made.

8.6 A certificate holder who pays an application fee under section 8 is not also liable to pay an application fee under section 5 or, upon the issue of the altered certificate, a fee under Section 6.

9 Fee for increase in fund service providers (Article 8B(13)(b) of the Law)

9.1 Subject to paragraph 9.2, where the number of fund service providers in relation to a collective investment fund is increased from the number of such fund service providers that were taken into account in calculating the fee under paragraph 5.1, a fee of £2,235 shall be paid by the certificate holder in respect of each fund service provider so added.

9.2 Where there is more than one certificate holder in relation to a collective investment fund, the certificate holders shall be jointly and severally liable to pay the fee that would be payable by a single certificate holder under paragraph 9.1.

9.3 The fee payable under this section must be paid at the time the number of fund service providers in relation to the collective investment fund is increased.

Recognized Funds and Certified Funds

10 Article 15(6) of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended

Late payment of fees

10.1 If the JFSC does not receive the fee due from a permit holder or certificate holder by the date in paragraph 7.2 an additional late payment fee of 5% of the unpaid principal amount will be applied on the day after that date, and on the 1st day of each calendar month after that.

Late filing fees

10.2 If a permit holder or certificate holder fails to file or deliver any document to the JFSC under the provisions of the Law or under the provisions of any Order issued in accordance with the Law on or before the date that the document becomes due, the permit holder or certificate holder shall be liable to pay a fee of £100 on the day after the document falls due and an additional £100 on the 1st day of each calendar month after that. This shall apply while the document remains unfiled or undelivered unless the permit holder or certificate holder has given the JFSC prior written notice of the reasons for the late filing or delivery of the document and the JFSC has agreed in writing that the filing may be late. Any such later agreed date shall become the due date for the purposes of the calculation and the payment of late filing fees.

Schedule 1 – Recognized Funds

Calculation of fees payable on the grant of a first permit (paragraph 3.1) and on 1 July (paragraph 3.3)

Number of pools of assets	Fee (£)
0 – 1	7,100
2 – 4	7,955
5 – 9	8,805
10 – 19	10,590
20 or more	12,355

Schedule 2 – Certified Funds

Calculation of fees payable on the grant of a certificate (paragraph 6.3) and on 1 July (paragraph 7.4)

Number of pools of assets	Fee (£)
0 – 1	a) where the certificate holder is a company issuing units or a trustee of a unit trust - £3,685 b) in any other case - £1,450
2 – 4	4,740
5 – 9	6,115
10 – 19	8,155
20 – 49	10,190
50 – 99	14,255
100 – 149	20,370
150 – 199	27,140
200 or more	36,670

Appendix D – CoBO Fees Notice

Notice of Fees

Published in accordance with:	Article 15 of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended; and
	Article 12A of the Control of Borrowing (Jersey) Order 1958
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Pursuant to:	Control of Borrowing (Jersey) Order 1958; and
	Article 15(6) of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Commencement date:	The fees set out in this notice and the attached schedule are effective for the period from 1 July 2018 – 30 June 2019

1 Interpretation

1.1 In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires

CoBO	means the Control of Borrowing (Jersey) Order 1958
DSP	means a ‘designated service provider’ required to be appointed by a JPF
Jersey UT (non-fund)	means a Jersey unit trust which is not an investment fund
JFSC	means the Jersey Financial Services Commission
JPF	means a Jersey Private Fund which has been issued with a relevant consent and which is operated in accordance with the JPF Guide
JPF Guide	means the Jersey Private Fund Guide as may be amended from time to time
JPF Return	means the annual compliance return for a JPF required to be provided to the JFSC in each relevant year by the relevant DSP (the form of which is included as part of the JPF Guide)
NDS (non-fund)	means a non-domiciled structure which is not an investment fund

2 Application fee

2.1 For the purposes of Article 12A of CoBO:

- 2.1.1 a fee of £1,105 shall be payable in respect of any JPF applying to the JFSC's authorisation team for the issue of an initial JPF CoBO consent;
- 2.1.2 a fee of £410 shall be payable in respect of any application to the JFSC's authorisation team for the issue of a CoBO consent, which is not subject to the fee specified in 2.1.1 above;
- 2.1.3 a fee of £340 shall be payable in respect of any Jersey UT (non-fund) applying to the Jersey Companies Registry for the issue of an initial CoBO consent pursuant to Articles 9(1)(a) and/or 9(1)(b) of CoBO; and
- 2.1.4 a fee of £340 shall be payable in respect of any NDS (non-fund) applying to the Jersey Companies Registry for the issue of an initial CoBO consent pursuant to Articles 1, 3, 9(1)(a), 9(1)(b), 10(1)(a), 10(1)(b), 11(1)(a) and/or 11(1)(b) of CoBO.

3 JPF annual fee

- 3.1 A fee shall be paid in respect of a JPF on 1 July in each relevant year for so long as the JPF's CoBO consent remains in force.
- 3.2 The fee must be paid no later than 31 July in each relevant year, and shall be paid directly by the governing body of the JPF or by the DSP on behalf of the JPF.
- 3.3 The fee payable on an annual basis shall be £1,000 and shall be pro-rated.

4 JPF late payment of fees

- 4.1 If the JFSC does not receive the fee due from a JPF (or the JPF's DSP on behalf of the JPF) by the date in paragraph 3.2 an additional late payment fee of 5% of the unpaid principal amount will be applied on the day after that date, and on the 1st day of each calendar month after that.

5 JPF late filing fees

- 5.1 If the DSP fails to file or deliver the JPF Return to the JFSC under the provisions of CoBO on or before the date that the JPF Return becomes due, the DSP shall be liable to pay a fee of £100 on the day after the document falls due and an additional £100 on the 1st day of each month after that in which the JPF Return remains unfiled or undelivered unless the DSP has given the JFSC prior written notice of the reason for the late filing or delivery of the JPF Return and the JFSC has agreed in writing with the relevant DSP that the filing may be late.

Appendix E – FSB Fees Notice

Notice of Fees

Published in accordance with:	Article 15 of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Payable by or in relation to:	Fund Services Business
Pursuant to:	Articles 8(3) and 9(6) of the Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended; and Article 15(6) of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Commencement date:	The fees set out in this notice and the attached schedule are effective for the period from 1 July 2018 – 30 June 2019

1 Interpretation

1.1 In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires -

JFSC	means the Jersey Financial Services Commission
Law	means the Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
pool of assets	means a collective investment fund, except that where such a collective investment fund is divided into separate and distinct parts, the rights of which are restricted to an identifiable class of participants, it means each one of those parts
registered person	means a person registered under the Law to carry on investment business
unregulated fund	Has the same meaning as in the Collective Investment Funds (Unregulated Funds) (Jersey) Order 2008, as amended

2 Application fee

2.1 The fee that is to accompany an application for registration of a person to carry on fund services business shall be £2,760.

3 Fees payable by a registered person (Article 9(6) of the Law)

3.1 Subject to paragraph 3.2, a fee determined in accordance with the Schedule attached shall be paid by a registered person in respect of the issue by the JFSC of the registration certificate in accordance with Article 9(2) of the Law. The fee is due one month after the date of the registration certificate.

- 3.2 If the date of the registration certificate is other than 1 July, the fee payable under this Article shall be 1/12th of the amount specified by paragraph 3.1 for each complete month between the date of the registration certificate and 1 July next following.

Annual fee

- 3.3 A person who, on 1 July is a registered person shall pay a fee determined in accordance with the Schedule attached to this Notice (subject to paragraph 3.4) in respect of the number of pools of assets, other than any pool of assets that is an unregulated fund, in relation to which the person is registered to carry on fund services business. The fee is due on 31 July the same year.
- 3.4 The fee payable by a registered person who on 1 July acts only for one or more unregulated funds shall be the fee applicable to zero pools of assets.

4 Fees pursuant to Article 15(6) of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended

Late payment of fees

- 4.1 If the JFSC does not receive the fee due from a registered person by the date in paragraph 3.3 an additional late payment fee of 5% of the unpaid principal amount will be applied on the day after that date, and on the 1st day of each calendar month after that.

Late filing fees

- 4.2 If a registered person fails to file or deliver any document to the JFSC under the provisions of the Law or under the provisions of any Order issued in accordance with the Law on or before the date that the document becomes due, the registered person shall be liable to pay a fee of £100 on the day after the document falls due and an additional £100 on the 1st day of each calendar month after that. This shall apply while the document remains unfiled or undelivered unless the registered person has given the JFSC prior written notice of the reasons for the late filing or delivery of the document and the JFSC has agreed in writing that the filing may be late. Any such later agreed date shall become the due date for the purposes of the calculation and the payment of late filing fees.

Schedule

Number of pools of assets	Fee (£)
0 – 1	4,605
2 – 4	6,115
5 – 9	7,490
10 – 19	9,530
20 – 49	12,230
50 – 99	16,480
100 – 149	23,790
150 – 199	32,595
200 or more	43,500

Appendix F – QSMA Fees Notice

Notice of Fees

Published in accordance with:	Article 15 of the Financial Services Commission (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
Payable by or in relation to:	Utilisation of the QSMA Order
Pursuant to:	Article 3(1) of the Financial Services (Investment Business (Qualifying Segregated Managed Accounts – Exemption)) (Jersey) Order 2014; and Article 9(6) of the Financial Services (Jersey) Law 1998, as amended
date:	The fees set out in this notice and the attached schedule are effective for the period from 1 July 2018 – 30 June 2019

1 Interpretation

1.1 In this notice, unless the context otherwise requires -

charging period	includes both an initial charging period and a subsequent charging period
initial charging period	means the period from (and including) the date on which an operator first placed reliance on Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order to (but excluding) 1 July next following
JFSC	means the Jersey Financial Services Commission
operator	means a person appointed to undertake relevant activity (as defined in the QSMA Order) in connection to a segregated managed account
QSMA Order	means the Financial Services (Investment Business (Qualifying Segregated Managed Accounts – Exemption)) (Jersey) Order 2014
relevant QSMA	means a QSMA in respect of which an operator is placing reliance upon the exemption conferred by Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order
subsequent charging period	means a charging period (other than an initial charging period) commencing on 1 July and lasting for a period of 12 months

2 Reliance on the QSMA Order in the initial charging period

2.1 When an operator first places reliance upon the exemption conferred by Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order it shall pay the fee due in respect of the initial charging period specified in paragraph 2.2 or, as the case may be, paragraph 2.3.

- 2.2 Subject to paragraph 2.3, the fee due from an operator in respect of the initial charging period shall be £3,930.
- 2.3 If the date on which reliance is first placed by an operator on Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order is other than 1 July, the fee payable by that operator in respect of the initial charging period shall be £325 (being 1/12th of the amount at 2.2) for each complete month between the date of such first reliance and 1 July next following.
- 2.4 The due date for a fee in respect of the initial charging period due from an operator pursuant to paragraphs 2.2 or 2.3 shall be the date on which reliance was first placed by the operator on Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order.

3 Reliance on the QSMA Order in subsequent charging periods

- 3.1 An operator who, on:
 - 3.1.1 1 July immediately following the expiration of the initial charging period; or
 - 3.1.2 1 July in any subsequent year;
 - 3.1.3 is placing reliance upon Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order shall pay a fee in respect of the subsequent charging period which commences on that 1 July, determined in accordance with the attached Schedule.
- 3.2 The due date for a fee in respect of a subsequent charging period due from an operator pursuant to paragraph 3.1 shall be 31 July in that subsequent charging period.

4 Relief from QSMA fees for certain operators

- 4.1 For each complete month within a charging period that an operator is registered pursuant to the Law to conduct discretionary investment management within the meaning given in Article 2(2)(b) of the Law (and has paid the JFSC the fee or fees due in respect of such registration), the fee due from or paid by the operator pursuant to this Notice in respect of that charging period shall be reduced by:
 - 4.1.1 £325, if the charging period is an initial charging period;
 - 4.1.2 1/12th, if the charging period is a subsequent charging period.
- 4.2 At the end of the relevant charging period, the JFSC will remit (or, at its discretion, credit) to an operator any sums received from the operator which, as a result of the operation of paragraph 4.1, constituted an overpayment of the fee in fact due pursuant to this Notice. No interest thereon shall accrue in favour of the operator.

5 Clarification where an operator ceases to place reliance on Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order

- 5.1 For the avoidance of doubt, no fee rebate or refund shall be due to an operator in the event that, having paid a fee in respect of a charging period, the operator subsequently ceases to place reliance on Article 3(1) of the QSMA Order within the charging period.

6 Late Payment of fees

- 6.1 If any fee due under this notice of fees is not received by the JFSC by applicable due date, an additional late payment fee of 5% of the unpaid principal amount will be applied on the day after the due date, and on the 1st day of each calendar month after that.

Schedule

Calculation of fees payable for subsequent charging periods (paragraph 3.1)

Number of relevant QSMA's on 1 July	Fee (£)
1	3,930
2 – 4	5,200
5 – 9	6,355
10 – 19	8,090
20 – 49	10,400
50 – 99	13,870
100 – 149	20,220
150 – 199	27,735
200 or more	36,980