

**AFME Members' Briefing** 

Anti-Money Laundering - Is a new regulatory framework needed?

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Introductory remarks
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## Panel discussion

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**Q&A from members** 



- EC's proposals published in September
  - Response to high profile failures of controls
- Aims of the proposals
  - > Harmonise the national AML regimes across the EU
  - ➤ Integrate AML supervision more effectively with prudential supervision
- Key proposals
  - > EBA to become a 'data hub' (central repository for all SARs)
  - Strengthened enforcement/supervisory powers
  - > Producing guidance and standards



- AFME advocacy
  - Developed a detailed position paper
  - > Discussions with the EC and EBA
  - EC roundtable on 23 November
- Next steps
  - Council agreement on EC proposals likely in H1 2019
  - ➤ New EU action plan expected in December
    - Enhance the ECB's consideration of ML risk
  - ➤ ESA guidelines on cooperation and information exchange between AML supervisors

## **afme**/Other AML developments

- 4/5AMLD
  - > AFME assisting members with implementation
- FATF risk based approach (RBA) guidance for the securities sector
  - ➤ AFME helped to draft the guidance published in October for securities market participants and supervisors
- Joint Money Laundering Steering Group (JMLSG) guidelines
  - > AFME leading review of Chapter 20 (Brokerage services to funds)
- FCA's thematic review of ML risk in the capital markets
  - UK's 2017 National Risk Assessment deemed capital markets high risk
  - ➤ AFME members of the Joint Money Laundering Intelligence Taskforce (JMLIT)
- FCA Publication of financial crime data



Q&A





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