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The Arbitration Act 2025 (the 2025 Act) introduces limited reforms to the Arbitration Act 1996 (the 1996 Act), with the aim of enhancing the efficiency and user experience of arbitrating disputes in London.

Clifford Chance has prepared a blog post discussing the reforms.

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Clifford Chance Sell Side Horizon Scanner Q3 2025

Clifford Chance has prepared a sell-side regulatory horizon scanner providing a high-level overview of key ongoing and expected EU and UK regulatory developments relevant to banks and investment firms.

The tracker identifies and summarises key legislative and non-legislative developments that are likely to have an impact on banks and investment firms providing services in the EU and UK. Developments are grouped firstly according to whether they are EU or UK developments and, within those categories, into the following four topics:

- · markets related developments;
- ESG developments;
- · prudential developments; and
- · cross-sector developments.

The horizon scanner also sets out projected timelines for the finalisation and implementation of the relevant developments, covering approximately the next 18 months to 2 years. Further background information and commentary on many of these developments, as well as an overview of the EU legislative process, is available on the Financial Markets Toolkit.

This horizon scanner has been prepared as of July 2025. It does not constitute legal advice and is not intended to provide an exhaustive list of all provisions or requirements applicable to such firms during this period.

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Clifford Chance Buy-Side Regulatory Horizon Scanner Q3 2025

Clifford Chance has prepared a buy-side regulatory horizon scanner providing a high-level overview of key ongoing and expected EU and UK regulatory developments relevant to investment managers.

The tracker identifies and summarises key legislative and non-legislative developments that are likely to have an impact on investment managers providing services in the EU and UK. Developments are grouped firstly according to whether they are EU or UK developments and, within those categories, into the following three topics:

- asset management developments;
- ESG developments; and
- · cross-sectoral developments.

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The Loan Syndication and Trading Association (LSTA) has published the final form of a revised statement of principles regarding confidential information.

The revisions include new best practice guidance for material non-public information (MNPI) and new language on MNPI controls for loan market participants transacting in aggregated or securitised instruments.

Please note the documents are only available to LSTA members.

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