

## Insurance sector resources for insurers and brokers

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### Topic by topic

[Corporate Governance](#) – Corporate governance is a key area of reform – international bodies; EU and domestic governments and regulators all have proposals. These changes will impact brokers who have been affected by the new SIF functions for holding companies. This is also a key issue for insurers who have the additional requirements under Solvency II to cope with. Click here to access our materials on the new corporate governance requirements.

[Client money/assets](#) – FSA has flagged its belief that there is widespread non-compliance with the current client money/assets rules. Insurance brokers are on notice and facing much tougher audit requirements. In the wake of the Lehman Brothers collapse, widespread reform of the client money regime is expected with a complete review of the rules for insurance brokers under CASS 5. For more information on FSA's client money/assets expectations, click [here](#) to read our report: 'Insurance brokers and client money: Time to put things in order'.

[ARROW](#) – FSA's new "get tough" approach to ARROW visits has meant that insurers and brokers' business strategy and the judgments of their senior management are increasingly under scrutiny. Is your firm ready for a challenging Arrow? Click the heading in this paragraph for further information about our Arrow preparation programme. Click [here](#) for the Powerpoints from our recent seminar on ARROW visits for the insurance market.

[PPI](#) – PPI continues to be on the FSA's agenda and it has recently taken enforcement action against a significant number of firms in relation to the sale of PPI. The Competition Commission has announced its intention to maintain the ban on PPI sales at the credit point of sale. Click the heading in this paragraph for our market leading analysis on this thorny issue.

[Retail Distribution Review](#) – RDR will transform the sale of retail investment products including investments within a life assurance wrapper. It also raises issues for general insurance sales. Click [here](#) to read our analysis of the impact of RDR.

[Consumer finance](#) – click [here](#) for information on how the Consumer Credit Directive will affect insurers and [here](#) for an insurance brokers briefing on the Consumer Credit Directive

[Anti-Corruption Zone](#) - Now the Bribery Act 2010 is on the statute book, UK anti-corruption legislation has been reinforced and widened in scope. Ensure you are not caught by clicking the heading in this paragraph. Click [here](#) for our article on the Bribery Act. Click [here](#) for our recent Law-Now on FSA's review of anti bribery and corruption in commercial insurance broking.

### Other resources for insurers and brokers

Seminars – We run a regular programme of seminars to keep our clients up-to-date with the relevant changes in the insurance industry and surrounding legislation. Click [here](#) for our upcoming seminars and events. A recent seminar focused on [Regulatory reform – gauging the impact on the insurance sector](#). Click [here](#) for details and slides from our previous seminars.

### Sources, publications and news

if you would like to look at the topic in more detail, follow the sequence of developments or read the underlying publications, click [here](#) to access our daily monitoring reports on this subject - starting with the most recent; each report contains a summary and a hyperlink to the publication concerned.

We keep our clients abreast of the latest changes in the industry through our Law Now alerts and other tools – click [here](#) for more details.

Our team contributes regularly to the national and industry press. Click [here](#) to see our latest articles.

### FSA enforcement

Click [here](#) for an up-to-date list of the FSA enforcement notices concerning insurers.