This text was drawn up by the CSSF for information purposes only. In case of discrepancies between the French and the English text, the French text shall prevail.

"Grand-ducal Regulation of 18 December 2009 determining the conditions for the recognition of service providers from other Member States in order to carry out any duties exclusively entrusted to *réviseurs d'entreprises* (statutory auditors) by way of free provision of services"

(Mém. A 2010, N° 22)

as amended by:

- the Grand-ducal Regulation of 20 June 2017
 - amending Grand-ducal Regulation of 18 December 2009 determining the conditions for the recognition of service providers from other Member States as provided for in Article 7 of the Law of 18 December 2009 on the audit profession;
 - 2) amending Grand-ducal Regulation of 9 July 2013 determining the requirements for the professional qualification of *réviseurs d'entreprises* (statutory auditors) and *réviseurs d'entreprises agréés* (approved statutory auditors), as amended;
 - repealing Grand-ducal Regulation of 15 February 2010 organising the continuing training of réviseurs d'entreprises (statutory auditors) and réviseurs d'entreprises agréés (approved statutory auditors)

(Mém. A 2017, No 593)

Art. 1. Scope

This Grand-ducal Regulation shall apply to services provided in a temporary and occasional manner by service providers of a Member State of the European Union or of a State party to the agreement on the European Economic Area by way of the free provision of services as regards the activities referred to in "Article 1(34)(b) of the Law of 23 July 2016 concerning the audit profession"²;

Art. 2. Recognition procedure

In the case of a declaration made prior to the first provision of services to the Commission de Surveillance du Secteur Financier, hereinafter 'the CSSF', pursuant to "Article 8 of the Law of 23 July 2016 concerning the audit profession" 3, the CSSF shall effect a check of professional qualifications.

The CSSF may to this end consult the consultative committee provided for in "the second subparagraph of Article 1 of the Grand-ducal Regulation of 9 July 2013 determining the requirements for the professional qualification of *réviseurs d'entreprises* (statutory auditors) and *réviseurs d'entreprises agréés* (approved statutory auditors)"⁴.

If the check discloses a substantial difference in the professional qualifications required, the service provider must undergo an aptitude test.

Art. 3. Subjects covered by the aptitude test

The CSSF shall determine the aptitude test which the service provider has to take in one or more fields set out hereinafter:

- commercial law and company law;
- the standards relating to the activities concerned.

Art. 4. Course of the aptitude test

The organisation of the aptitude test shall be determined by the CSSF. The test shall take place if

¹ Grand-ducal Regulation of 20 June 2017

² Grand-ducal Regulation of 20 June 2017

³ Grand-ducal Regulation of 20 June 2017

⁴ Grand-ducal Regulation of 20 June 2017

necessary twice a year.

The language of the test shall be French. At the express request of the service provider and subject to the agreement of the CSSF, he may express himself at the test in German or English.

The aptitude test shall consist of a written test covering the subject(s) set out in Article 3 of this Grand-ducal Regulation. The subject will be drawn up and the test will be marked by the CSSF.

In order to pass the aptitude test, the candidate must obtain at least half of the total marks for each subject.

Art. 5. Recognition

Where the service provider satisfies the requirements set out in "Article 8 of the Law of 23 July 2016 concerning the audit profession" or has passed the aptitude test referred to in Article 4 of this Grand-ducal Regulation, the CSSF shall notify the service provider of the recognition of his professional qualifications to carry out the supply of services as requested under the system of the free provision of services.

Art. 6. Final provisions

This Grand-ducal Regulation shall enter into force on the date of its publication in the Mémorial.

Art. 7. Execution

Our Minister of Finance shall be responsible for the execution of this Grand-ducal Regulation, which will be published in the Mémorial.

⁵ Grand-ducal Regulation of 20 June 2017