

Annex 2.3

Other Education, Training and Authorisation Regulatory Arrangements

CILEx Regulation (CRL) currently have a suite of rules, regulations and policies dealing with matters related to Education, Training and Authorisation. While many will be replaced by our own new or amended regulatory arrangements, some will (subject to consultation responses) be retained with adaptations.

We have not reproduced all of these documents for the purposes of this consultation but instead set out below how we intend to deal with some key aspects. As part of this consultation we welcome feedback on other areas it would be useful to consider further.

CRL Rules and Regulations	SRA Approach
Admissions and Licensing Committee Rules	In line with our proposed approach to authorisation, we will remove these rules.
Associate Prosecutor Rights of Audience and Litigation Certification Rules	We will engage with the Crown Prosecution Service during the consultation to better understand the practicalities of this specialist route to qualification.
	At this time we intend to adopt this route to authorisation and the rules with only necessary changes to reflect the changes to the wider regulatory arrangements, for example to reflect the use of authorised decision makers rather than an Admissions and Licensing Committee, and changes to disciplinary processes.
CPD Regulations	As we will no longer require authorised CILEX lawyers to complete specified CPD activities as part of our regulatory arrangements, these regulations will be removed.
	However, we will engage with CILEX on the impact on their membership CPD requirements to ensure regulatory concerns identified by CILEX are appropriately reported to us.
CILEx Authorisation Rules and CILEx Regulation Licensing Rules	Authorisation and Licensing of entities will be dealt with by our amended Authorisation of Firm Rules, and accordingly we will remove these rules.
CILEx Regulation Practitioner Authorisation Rules and Application for Fellowship Rules	As set out in consultation, we will make new rules dealing with the authorisation of CILEX lawyers, and so these rules will no longer be required.
·	However, please note that our new rules will not include all of the 'knowledge and competence', 'work-based learning', or 'knowledge, skills and experience' requirements currently set out in annexes and handbooks. Our rules will also not replicate all of the qualification requirements and 'certificate of eligibility' requirements for

	the Advocacy and Litigation Certificate. Instead, these will be set out in separate document as 'prescribed' requirements. We will not change the underlying requirements.
CILEx Handbook 2021 applies to all ACCA entities and individuals regulated by CILEx for the reserved legal activity of probate.	We will maintain the requirements in the handbook as a separate set of requirements for ACCA-probate firms and for authorised CILEX lawyers working in these firms, with only necessary changes to reflect the changes to the wider regulatory arrangements.
CILEx Examination and Professional Skills Registration Regulations and Professional Skills Assessment Regulations	These regulations are owned by CILEX and operate with regards the CILEX qualifications and assessments they run as part of their education and training provision. We will oversee the arrangements for granting qualifications and will work with CILEX on an ongoing basis to ensure that they meet our requirements.
CILEx Regulation Training Provider Approved Qualification Policy and Training Provider Approved Qualifications Handbook	We will adopt and adapt this policy to reflect the new regulatory arrangements. We will continue to monitor this policy as part of our evaluation of education and training.
CILEx Regulation Rules for recognition of lawyers qualified outside the jurisdiction of the United Kingdom (UK)	We will adopt and adapt these rules to reflect the new regulatory arrangements.
CILEx Regulation Temporary Guidance for recognition of lawyers qualified in Switzerland	We will adopt and adapt these rules to reflect the new regulatory arrangements.