## BCP

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## **BCP Asset Management DAC** Best Execution and Order Execution Policy

INTRODUCTION	BCP Asset Management DAC ('BCP') is not authorised to execute orders; it transmits orders for execution to appropriately authorised entities. BCP will satisfy itself that the relevant entity has arrangements in place to enable us to meet our best execution obligations to you. This Best Execution policy will apply when BCP transmits an order in respect of a Financial Instrument defined by Statutory Instrument No. 375 of 2017 (the European Communities (Markets in Financial Instruments) Regulations 2017, as amended), ('the Regulations') on behalf of a professional	or retail Client as categorised by BCP in accordance with the Regulations. If a Client provides BCP with specific instructions in relation to an order, BCP will follow those instructions. This may prevent BCP from following the steps in this Policy that are designed to obtain the best possible result for the Client. BCP will be taken to have satisfied its obligation to take all sufficient steps to obtain the best possible result in relation to the part or aspect of the order to which the specific Client instructions relate.	
HOW BEST EXECUTION IS ACHIEVED	BCP takes sufficient steps to obtain the best possible result for the client. When BCP transmits an order on behalf of a Client or undertakes portfolio management services it applies the approach below.	<ul> <li>→ all expenses incurred by the client which are directly related to the execution of the order, and</li> <li>→ Execution venue fees, clearing and settlement fees and any other fees paid to third parties involved in the</li> </ul>	
	The factors that BCP will take into account when transmitting a client order or in connection with a portfolio management service are as follows;- → Price	execution of the order. When BCP carry out client orders, it will	
		take into account the following criteria:	
		(i) the characteristics of the client; and	
	→ Costs	<ul><li>(ii) the characteristics of the client order; and</li></ul>	
	→ Speed	(iii) the characteristics of the financial	
	→ Likelihood of execution and settlement	instruments; and (iv) the execution venues to which the client order is directed (where	
	$\rightarrow$ Size of the order		
	→ Nature of the order	appropriate).	
	→ Any other consideration relevant to the execution of the order		
	When BCP transmits an order on behalf of a retail client, the best possible result shall be determined in terms of the total consideration, representing the		

price of the financial instrument and the costs relating to execution including

## **EXECUTION VENUES**

BCP's list of approved entities to which an order for a Financial Instrument can be transmitted is as follows (current as at date of the policy and subject to change).

NAME		FINANCIAL INSTRUMENT TYPE	
BNP Paribas SA		Debt instruments	
Cantor Fitzgerald Ireland Ltd		Listed shares and Debt instruments	
Goldman Sachs International Bank		Debt instruments	
Investec Bank plc		Debt instruments	
Redmayne Bentley LLP		Listed shares and Debt instruments	
Societie Generale		Debt instruments	
European Depositary Bank SA, Dublin Branch		Listed shares and Debt instruments	
In the case of collective investment schemes there is generally no range of execution venues to choose from,			will make subscription or redemption requests following this process.
CONFLICTS OF INTEREST	BCP does not receive any remuneration, discount or non-monetary benefit for routing client orders to a particular trading venue or an execution venue which would infringe the requirements on conflicts of interest or inducements set out in the Regulations 2017.		
MONITORING	A formal review of the credit rating of all counterparties is undertaken on a bi-annual basis. Board approval is required for new counterparties. A formal review of Stockbroking firms is undertaken on an annual basis.		
CLIENT ORDER EXECUTION POLICY - GENERAL	We do not execute orders on your behalf; we transmit your order to the relevant product/service provider for execution. All applications received by us will be transmitted on the day of receipt, the next business day, or where the product has a closing date for applications, no later than that closing date provided the application and other necessary documentation required to process the application is received by us in sufficient time for it to be submitted at that time. Other than where your order is in connection with the discretionary investment management service, you		will be providing us with a specific instruction to invest in a specific product. When following this specific instruction we will be taken to have satisfied our obligation to take all reasonable steps to obtain the best possible result in relation to the transaction to which your instructions relate. You will not therefore be afforded the protections under our Best Execution Policy. Orders will be prioritised in accordance with Policy A or B below. The policy applicable to each product you apply for shall be communicated to you in the product marketing material.
CLIENT ORDER EXECUTION POLICY A	signe order recor Order	Client orders to BCP must be in writing, signed by the client. Clarifications of orders may be communicated by recorded telephone call. Orders will be processed according to the date they are received. They will be	
CLIENT ORDER EXECUTION POLICY B	Client orders to BCP may be in writing, by email or by telephone. Orders will be prioritised according to the date and time they are recorded on the Firm's administration system; orders are recorded in the order they are received.		

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