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## **FINAL NOTICE**

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**To:** **Fabulous Flooring (South Yorkshire) Ltd (Previously Madey Limited)**

**Address:** **1 Deerlands Avenue  
Sheffield  
S5 7WN**

**FRN:** **754668**

**Dated:** **4 May 2018**

### **ACTION**

1. For the reasons set out in this Final Notice, the Authority hereby takes the following action against FFL.
2. The Authority issued to FFL the Decision Notice which notified FFL that for the reasons given below and pursuant to section 55J of the Act, the Authority had decided to cancel FFL's Part 4A permission.
3. FFL has not referred the matter to the Tribunal within 28 days of the date on which the Decision Notice was given to it.
4. Accordingly, the Authority has today cancelled FFL's Part 4A permission.

## **DEFINITIONS**

5. The definitions below are used in this Final Notice:

“the Act” means the Financial Services and Markets Act 2000;

“the Authority” means the Financial Conduct Authority;

“the Decision Notice” means the Decision Notice issued by the Authority to FFL dated 8 March 2018;

“FFL” means Fabulous Flooring (South Yorkshire) Ltd;

“FFL’s Part 4A permission” means the permission granted by the Authority to FFL pursuant to Part 4A of the Act;

“the Principles” means the Authority’s Principles for Businesses;

“the Returns” means CCR003 (Lenders) and CCR007 (key data) returns for the period ended 31 March 2017, which FFL was due to submit to the Authority by 17 May 2017;

“the suitability Threshold Condition” means the threshold condition set out in paragraph 2E of Schedule 6 to the Act;

“the Threshold Conditions” means the threshold conditions set out in Schedule 6 to the Act;

“the Tribunal” means the Upper Tribunal (Tax and Chancery Chamber); and

“the Warning Notice” means the Warning Notice issued by the Authority to FFL dated 6 February 2018.

## **REASONS FOR THE ACTION**

6. On the basis of the facts and matters and conclusions described in the Warning Notice, and in the Decision Notice, it appears to the Authority that FFL is failing to satisfy the suitability Threshold Condition, in that the Authority is not satisfied that FFL is a fit and proper person having regard to all the circumstances, including whether FFL managed its business in such a way as to ensure that its affairs were conducted in a sound and prudent manner.
7. FFL has failed comply with the regulatory requirement to submit the Returns and pay the Overdue Balance. FFL has not been open and co-operative in all its dealings with the Authority, in that FFL has failed to respond to the Authority’s repeated requests for it to submit the Returns and pay the Overdue Balance, and has thereby failed to comply with Principle 11 of the Principles and to satisfy the Authority that it is ready, willing and organised to comply with the requirements and standards of the regulatory system.
8. These failures, which are significant in the context of FFL’s suitability, lead the Authority to conclude that FFL has failed to manage its business in such a way as to ensure that its affairs are conducted in a sound and prudent manner, that it is not a fit and proper person, and that it is therefore failing to satisfy the Threshold Conditions in relation to the regulated activities for which it was granted a Part 4A permission.

## **DECISION MAKER**

9. The decision which gave rise to the obligation to give this Final Notice was made by the Regulatory Decisions Committee.

## **IMPORTANT**

10. This Final Notice is given to FFL in accordance with section 390(1) of the Act.

### **Publicity**

11. The Authority must publish such information about the matter to which this Final Notice relates as the Authority considers appropriate. The information may be published in such manner as the Authority considers appropriate. However, the Authority may not publish information if such publication would, in the opinion of the Authority, be unfair to FFL or prejudicial to the interest of consumers.
12. The Authority intends to publish such information about the matter to which this Final Notice relates as it considers appropriate.

### **Authority contact**

13. For more information concerning this matter generally, please contact Funmi Ojo at the Authority (direct line: 020 7066 1354).

**Anna Couzens**  
**Enforcement and Market Oversight Division**