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## Note regarding the Extension of the Consultation Period for the Consultation Document for Proposed Amendments to the Conduct of Business Rulebook (COBR) applicable to Insurance Business and Investment Firms

Reference is made to the [Consultation Document for Proposed Amendments to Conduct of Business Rulebook \(COBR\) Applicable to Insurance Business and Investment Firms](#) published by the MFSA on 21 April 2026. In this regard, the Authority hereby advises that:

- (1) **Section 4 (A)** thereof, concerning **Amendments resulting from the transposition of Directive (EU) 2024/2811 of 23 October 2024**:

The amendments to the Rulebook highlighted in this section, will come into force on **6 June 2026** in line with the application date set out in said Directive. By means of the captioned [Consultation Document for Proposed Amendments to Conduct of Business Rulebook \(COBR\) Applicable to Insurance Business and Investment Firms](#) the industry was informed that these amendments were a direct and partial transposition of [Directive \(EU\) 2024/2811](#) and hence no consultation thereon is necessary.

- (2) **Section 4 (B)** thereof, concerning **Amendments resulting from home grown regulatory updates**:

The amendments to the Rulebook highlighted in this section had originally been issued for consultation ending 11 May 2025. **In this regard, kindly note that the MFSA is extending the consultation period to 15 June 2026.** Any comments on the Consultation Document concerning amendments resulting from homegrown regulatory updates are to be addressed to [conduct.policy@mfsa.mt](mailto:conduct.policy@mfsa.mt) by **15 June 2026**.