#### FINANCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION

## SECURITIES ACT, CAP. 318A AND ITS REGULATIONS

## **CHECKLIST - APPLICATION FOR INITIAL REGISTRATION:**

## Securities Companies, Brokers, Traders

#### Instructions for using the checklist

- 1. The checklist must accompany completed applications<sup>1</sup>
- 2. The checklist applies to (i) companies seeking to be registered as a securities company and (ii) individuals employed by a securities company who are seeking to be registered as brokers and traders.
- 3. A single checklist should be used for the company and the individuals employed by the securities company applying to be registered in the relevant categories.
- 4. All documents requiring certification must be clearly certified as true copies of the original by an appropriate person. Persons who may certify documents include; a Justice of the Peace, Attorney-at-law, or a Notary Public.
- 5. All documents that are not in English must be accompanied by a certified English translation.
- 6. "N/A" should be used where a document outlined below is not applicable.

Select the appropriate option:  The application is being submitted for:		<ul> <li>□ Securities Company</li> <li>□ Broker (employed by a securities company)</li> <li>□ Trader (employed by a securities company)</li> </ul>				
State full name of the company:						
Full name of individual applicants employed by the aforementioned securities company						
i.						
ii.						
iii.						
iv.						
The following have been submitted:						
COMPANIES						
	Completed application form for the con (Form 3 – Application for Registration					
	A conflict of interest rules statement or a statement in accordance with Regulation 60(4) of the Securities Regulations, 2002					
	Evidence of requisite capital					
	Business plan					
	Copy of the executed Listing or Participation Agreement with Stock Exchanges and Depositories					

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The application form must be accompanied by such other information or documentation known to the Applicant required to support the application.

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Copy of approval issued by the Barbados Stock Exchange Inc. <sup>2</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Applicable for brokers and traders who will become members of the BSE Financial Services Commission (Barbados) Securities Division Checklist – Revised 2014

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DUE DILIGENCE REQUIREMENTS <sup>3</sup> The following have been submitted for each of the relevant persons:						
	Completed Fit and Proper Questionnaire					
	Curriculum Vita /Resume					
	Police Certificate of Character (In the absence of same, some confirmation in writing such as an affidavit, that the relevant person has no criminal record or has not been convicted of a serious crime or any offence involving dishonesty or is not subject of a current criminal hearing or proceeding must be sent)					
	Notarized/certified copy of the signature and photo pages of a valid passport					
	Proof of address: copy of utility bill// bank statement// credit card statement dated within the last 3 months					
ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION/DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED IN SUPPORT OF THE APPLICATION						
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2						
3						
4						
FEES Payment has been submitted based on the following:						
Category / categories of						
			No. of			
	Category	Prescribed fee	Persons	Total Fees		
	Securities Company	BDS \$10,000		BDS \$		
	Broker (employed individuals)	BDS \$2,500		BDS \$		
	Trader (employed individuals)	BDS \$2,500		BDS \$		
TOTAL				BDS\$		
Payment method						
☐ Cheque No.: ☐ Draft No.: ☐ Wire Transfer (provide confirmation)						

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> The following must be completed and submitted for (i) each individual applicant employed by a company; (ii) each director; senior officer and beneficial owner of a company.