

## Press release

## FINANCIAL SERVICES REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF BELGIUM (FSRAB)

The Financial Services and Markets Authority (FMSA) warns the public against the activities of the Financial Services Regulatory Authority of Belgium (FSRAB).

It has come to the attention of the FSMA that an institution unknown to her, namely the Financial Services Regulatory Authority of Belgium, passes itself off as the Belgian financial supervisor. It therefore uses a website, www.fsrab.org.

The FSRAB improperly presents itself as the Belgian financial supervisor. The institution appears to be used as a front in order to lend an impression of trustworthiness to certain investments offered to the public by persons who do not have the requisite authorization in Belgium. The FSMA doubts the trustworthiness of investments offered to the public by any company that claims to be recognized by the FSRAB.

Anyone wishing more generally to enquire as to the regularity of any transaction proposed can find further information on the "Consumers" page of the FSMA website (www.fsma.be) or by contacting the competent department (telephone: +32 2 220 59 10; email address: peri@fsma.be).

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