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#### **Additional Information**

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#### **Topic**

Inducements

# **Additional Legal Reference**

Article 39a

## **Subject Matter**

Payment for order flow (PFOF) prohibition and client instructions for order executions

## Question

Does the prohibition of receiving payment for order flow (PFOF) apply to situations where the client provided a specific instruction to the investment firm to execute the order on a particular execution venue?