

QCA Tax Expert Group conference call

To be held on: Monday 23 March 2019, 9.00am – 10.30am



AGENDA

1) Issues for discussion

- a) Budget 2020
- b) Impact of COVID-19
- c) Engagement priorities/guest speakers for 2020 meetings.

2) For information only

- a) The results of the QCA/Peel Hunt annual mid and small-cap investor survey have been released. The key findings include:
 - i. 75% of companies & investors are concerned over the de-equitisation of UK stock markets.
 - ii. 60% of companies say burdensome listing requirements and excessive scrutiny is the main driver of the shrinking UK public markets.
 - iii. 79% of investors think MiFID II has had a negative impact on small & mid cap liquidity. This perception has significantly increased since 2017.

3) Any Other Business

Next Meeting: Wednesday 3 June 2020, 9.00am – 10.30am (Venue: Crowe UK LLP, St Brides House, 10 Salisbury Square, London, EC4Y 8EH) **(TBC)**