### **On-boarding Process**

Having determined the schemes to join you can expect to follow this common process

Technical Solution Direct Connection to

Infrastructure Develop own capability or Aggregator approach

Indirect Participation Identify who to use as your sponsor Design connection to sponsor Definition & Planning Access given to documents to allow Participant to prepare business case & plans

RTGS

Discoverv

Determine

which

schemes

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to join

## Restrictions) – 3 - 12 months duration

Become an authorised PSP Two routes available:

Standard – 6 months duration
Mobilisation Route (authorised with

Design, Build, Test & Settlement Gain access to detail documents

BANK OF ENGLAND

Settlement Account - used to settle

all interbank payment schemes

RCA – one account per prefunded

scheme (currently Bacs and FPS)

to allow Participant to design create & prove their solution Co-ordinate settlement arrangements with the Bank of England or alternative arrangement **Pre- Go Live** Prepare to Go Live

Go Live Go Live & close project

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# ON-BOARDING TO UK Interbank Payment Schemes

#### Sponsor Bank (Bacs, C&CCC & Faster Payments only) Direct Non-Settling Participant

**Or** Arrange for another Direct Participant to settle for your transactions you have submitted to the Scheme

#### Indirect Participant

**Settlement Arrangement** 

FCA CONTACT

Application

Approval

Assess and

complete

sign legal

contracts

assurance &

Use another Direct Participant to submit transactions and settle on your behalf

#### **Commercial Arrangement (LINK only)**

To allow PSPs to have access to another parties RTGS account

## Discovery

The Discovery phase is where initial contact is made with the scheme and is all about helping you to decide which schemes you are interested in joining



### Key contact details

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## Sources

Direct Enquiry

Referral from existing Participant

**Existing Indirect** Participant looking to 'upgrade'

Bank of England

Regulatory Request

**Payment Systems** Regulator

> **Referral from** VocaLink

**Referral from** Aggregator

Operator Share initial Information

Establish

Payment

System

Contact with

Documents Introduction

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& Overview Meeting





Sign Non-disclosure Agreement

Transition to **On-boarding**