

## Best Execution Report 2024 – Tavistock Partners (UK) Limited

Where we place investment applications or orders on our clients' behalf to third parties (for example, to buy or sell investment holdings), we make every effort to ensure the best possible result for our clients, based on the following factors:

- Price
- Cost
- Speed
- Likelihood of execution and settlement
- Size
- Nature of the order
- Any other considerations relevant to the execution of the order

For retail clients, the price and cost of executing the order will normally be the most important aspect in obtaining the best possible result. We will therefore assume that this is the most important outcome for the transaction unless we are informed otherwise. This is referred to as our best execution policy and should be read in conjunction with the client agreement.

We will make recommendations as to where the orders are placed considering all client preferences but will not accept specific instructions from clients regarding which third parties to use, as we do not operate on an execution only basis.

It is our policy that commission and charging structures will not influence either the selection of third parties to which we place client orders. We will therefore not discriminate between the third parties used to arrange the execution of orders. Please request a copy of our Conflict of Interest Policy for further details.

We do not execute orders or deals directly with execution venues, such as a regulated stock market. Instead, we transmit or place the order via a third-party platform (an online investment administration service), directly with a fund manager or with a stockbroker, to execute the order. The third parties have their own responsibilities in relation to best execution and client order handling.

### Part 1: Top Five Entities used for the Transmission or Placing of Investment Orders.

We are obliged to disclose on an annual basis the top five firms that we use to execute client orders. This information relates to the period 1st April 2022 to 31st March 2023:

<b>Platform / Investment Manager</b>	<b>LEI Number</b>	<b>Percentage Transmitted to Venue as a Proportion of Total Monetary Value of Trades</b>
Aviva	549300YEYDFL99EJ7G81	59.84%
Royal London	G8FFYZ5TIO54GXBZ14	5.82%
Canada Life	JD3QAJDNG52JLXV1L22	4.51%
Prudential	549300I8LYOK91HBX439	4.11%
Aegon	213800J36W1T73RAUM25	4.09%

<b>Platform / Investment Manager</b>	<b>LEI Number</b>	<b>Percentage Transmitted to Venue as a Proportion of Total Number of Trades</b>
Aviva	549300YEYDFL99EJ7G81	56.54%
Royal London	G8FFYZ5TIO54GXBZ14	7.37%
Aegon	213800J36W1T73RAUM25	3.62%
Liverpool Victoria	213800RSZOU8QUI2OH34	2.61%
Prudential	549300I8LYOK91HBX439	2.35%

## **Part 2: Monitoring and Review**

We will regularly assess the third parties available to us to identify those that will enable us, on a consistent basis, to obtain the best possible result when arranging the execution of client orders, with the above list being updated annually.

We will also regularly monitor the effectiveness of our best execution policy to identify and, where appropriate, correct any deficiencies. In particular, this will cover the third parties to which we transmit client orders in terms of their quality of execution. This review will be carried out regularly (on at least an annual basis) or whenever a material change occurs that affects our ability to continue to obtain the best possible result for our clients.

Due diligence is conducted with all trading partners by both parties to confirm acceptance of the relevant roles, before entering into a contract.

All relevant staff are made aware of this policy to highlight and emphasise the importance of best execution.

Should you require any additional information please write to:

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