Overview of Section 165 requirements

Dodd-Frank Section 165 requires the Federal Reserve to apply enhanced prudential requirements to foreign banks

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- Final rule issued February 18, 2014
- Targets foreign banks with largest US footprints, with most material impact on those with US assets > \$50 billion
- Key driver of the final rule is a desire to establish a framework facilitating both a platform to apply Fed capital, liquidity and other standards to US subs not currently regulated by the Fed (e.g. broker-dealer subs) as well as a single point of entry for US resolution
- Mandated US Restructuring.
- General scope.
- Capital and Liquidity Standards.
- Comprehensive capital assessment and review (CCAR).
- Heightened Risk Management and Governance.
- Resolution Planning.
- Timelines: 1 January 2015 Implementation plan to Fed 1 July 2016 – Establish IHC 1 July 2017 – consolidate US subsidiary assets

