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APRA's NEW DATA COLLECTION SOLUTION UPDATE 8

Since our last update, APRA has reached a number of significant milestones that will support the implementation of the new Data Collection Solution.

Selection of vendor for the new Data Collection Solution

On 1 April 2019, APRA issued a [press release](#) notifying its selection of the vendor. Vizor Software will provide the new system and it will be delivered by Dimension Data. This decision has been made following a robust procurement process and we are confident that the solution will meet the needs of both industry and APRA. We are on track for delivery and APRA is planning to transition to the new Data Collection Solution in March 2020, with all reporting entities to use the new system from the go-live date.

Release of the initial Implementation Plan

In July 2018, APRA released a [Response to Industry](#) document to provide an overview of the strategic direction for the new Data Collection Solution. As part of this, APRA committed to providing entities with a high level implementation plan in early 2019.

An initial Implementation Plan was distributed by APRA today to industry to provide high level guidance on the implementation approach for the new Data Collection Solution. The document was developed in consultation with the established reference and working groups – Strategic Industry Reference Group (SIRG) and Technical Working Group (TWG). These advisory groups represented industries' preferences and perspectives, ensuring each was considered during the development of the Implementation Plan. We thank the SIRG and TWG members for their invaluable input during this process. The Implementation Plan can be accessed via the [APRA is replacing D2A](#) webpage.

APRA plans to release the next version of the Implementation Plan in July 2019. Further information about the project as well as the SIRG and TWG are available on the [on the website](#).

We will provide ongoing updates as we approach key implementation milestones for the new Data Collection Solution. For further information please visit the [APRA is replacing D2A](#) webpage, or email us at newdatacollectionsolution@apra.gov.au.

Yours sincerely,

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