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# Wiley Rein Publishes Updated Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) Handbook

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Wiley Rein's Committee on Foreign Investment in the United States (CFIUS) and National Security Practices has published an updated CFIUS Handbook (Third Edition). CFIUS is an interagency committee that reviews controlling foreign investments in U.S. businesses (including mergers, acquisitions, and takeovers) that may raise national security concerns. The updated CFIUS Handbook provides an overview of the national security review process, details key changes to the process as a result of the Foreign Investment Risk Review Modernization Act (FIRRMA), and highlights important considerations for successfully navigating a CFIUS review/investigation.

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An excerpt of the CFIUS Handbook can be read [here](#).

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