

## Milestones in the Brexit Negotiations

After triggering Article 50 on 29 March 2017, thereby formally commencing the UK's exit from the European Union, UK Prime Minister Theresa May called a snap General Election. Contrary to her intention to secure a strong and stable mandate to negotiate Brexit, the Conservative Party failed to secure a parliamentary majority on 8 June and subsequently struck a £1bn supply and confidence deal with the Northern Irish Democratic Unionist Party (DUP) to secure a working majority. With UK-EU negotiations underway since 19 June, the UK Cabinet's internal debate over the kind of Brexit to pursue is rife.

Amidst a period of unprecedented political volatility, Instinctif Partners' Public Policy team continues to work with our partners across Europe to chart the – now 20 – months ahead in which the Brexit negotiations will take place. We do hope that it will serve as a guide as you consider your organisation's next steps.

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