英美證券交易法簡介

英國

傳統之英國證券管理體系,是依據公司法上有關公開說明書之規定、防止詐欺條例(Prevention of Fraud (Investment Act), 1958)中有關證券商特許以及單位信託之規定,以及資本發行管理等規定組成,其特色爲對證券交易所及其會員採完全放任之政策。由於證券交易所的改制,以及一連串金融醜聞而導致對投資人保護的關切,促成1986年金融服務業法(Financial Services Act of 1986)之制度,使整個證券管理體系發生革命性的改變。

其相關法規如下:

Stock Transfer Act 1963

Stock Exchange Act 1976

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美國

各國政府爲保障社會投資大衆的利益,對發行公司與作爲發行證券媒介的包銷人或承銷人,都採取嚴格而適當的管理措施。1933年證券法(Securities Act of 1933)以新證券之公開發行爲其管理對象;而1934年公佈的證券交易法(Securities & Exchange Act of 1934)則以全國性證券交易所及其有關份子爲其管理對象。此外,爲禁止虛僞推銷證券,1909年郵政防僞法(Post fraud law)規定,凡透過郵政以虛僞宣傳文字推銷商品業務或證券,需接受聯邦法律制裁,輕者拒絕傳遞郵件,重者移送法院處罰。1911年起各州遂分別制定青天法(Blue Sky law),目的在禁止銷售對投資者毫無保障的證券。

其相關法律如下:

Securities Act of 1933

Securities Exchange Act 1934

Securities Act Amendments of 1964

Securities Investor Protection Act of 1970

Securities Act Amendments of 1975

Securities Investor Protection Act Amendments of 1978

Futures Trading Act of 1978

Futures Trading Act of 1982

Insider Trading Sanctions Act of 1984

Futures Trading Act of 1986

Insider Trading and Securities Fraud Enforcement Act of 1988

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