

regulatory**regu·la·to·ry** **AW** [regulatory] **BrE** ['regjələtəri] ^ˈ **NAmE** ['regjələtɔːrj] ^ˈ **adjective**

usually before noun

having the power to control an area of business or industry and make sure that it is operating fairly

- **regulatory bodies/authorities/agencies**

- regulatory procedures

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a regulatory authority has the official power to control an activity and to make sure that it is done in a satisfactory way

regulatory body/authority/agency

^ˈ New drugs have been approved by the regulatory authority.

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