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# SCHEDULE 1 SCOTTISH PARLIAMENTARY PENSION SCHEME

### PART J

## SURVIVING PARTNERS AND CHILDREN

## **CHAPTER 2**

### PARTNER'S PENSION ETC.

# Enhancement of initial partner's pension

- 59 (1) This rule applies where amount A is less than amount B for any part of the 3 month period following the death of a participating member or a scheme pensioner.
  - (2) Amount A is the total of—
    - (a) the amount of partner's pension to be paid to the surviving partner for the 3 month period (or the relevant part of it), and
    - (b) the amount of children's pension to be paid to the surviving partner for the 3 month period (or the relevant part of it) on condition that the partner applies it for the benefit of an eligible child.
  - (3) Amount B is—
    - (a) where the deceased was a participating member, the amount of the salary payments which would have been paid for the 3 month period (or the relevant part of it) if the deceased had lived and had continued to be paid the same salary, or
    - (b) where the deceased was a scheme pensioner, the amount of scheme pension which would have been payable for the 3 month period (or the relevant part of it) if the deceased had lived.
  - (4) Where this rule applies, the partner's pension is to be increased by the difference between amount A and amount B.
  - (5) An individual who dies while being both—
    - (a) a participating member, and
    - (b) a scheme pensioner whose pension payments are suspended under rule 41, is to be treated for the purposes of this rule as a participating member.

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