
STATUTORY RULES OF NORTHERN IRELAND

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LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**The Local Government Pension Scheme
(Amendment) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2019**

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**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME
(AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS (NORTHERN IRELAND) 2019**

1. Citation, commencement, interpretation and retrospection

PART 1

Survivor Benefits Amendments

2. Amendment of the Benefits Regulations
3. In regulation 1(2) (citation, commencement and interpretation)—
4. In regulation 14A (election to pay additional contributions: survivor benefits)—...
5. In regulation 24(1) (survivor benefits: active members) omit “nominated”.
6. Omit regulation 25 (meaning of nominated cohabiting partner).
7. In regulation 33(1) (survivor benefits: deferred members) omit “nominated”.
8. In regulation 36(1) (survivor benefits: pensioner members) omit “nominated”.
9. Amendment of the Administration Regulations
10. In regulation 42(2) (exclusion of rights to return of contributions)...
11. In regulation 45B(1) (survivor benefits: guaranteed minimum pension) omit “nominated”....
12. In regulation 54(2)(a) (right to apply for an appointed person...
13. In regulation 72(5)(b) (transfer of sums from the fund to...
14. In regulation 76(5)(a) (contracting-out requirements affecting transfers out) for “nominated...
15. In regulation 81(2)(b) (community scheme transferees) omit “nominated”.

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16. In Schedule 1 (interpretation)— (a) after the definition of “cancelling...
17. Amendment of the 2009 Transitional Regulations
18. In regulation 1(3) (citation, commencement, interpretation and retrospection)—
19. In regulation 3(4) (membership accrued before 1st April 2009: active...
20. In Schedule 5 (transitional and transitory provisions and savings) in...
21. Amendment of the Principal Regulations
22. In regulation 21(2) (exclusion of rights to return of contributions)...
23. In regulation 41(1) (survivor benefits: partners of active members) omit...
24. Omit regulation 42 (meaning of “nominated co-habiting partner”).
25. In regulation 47(1) (survivor benefits: partners of deferred members) omit...
26. In regulation 52(1) (survivor benefits: partners of pensioner members) omit...
27. In regulation 58(8) (guaranteed minimum pensions) omit “nominated”.
28. In regulation 84(2)(a) (right to apply for an appointed person...
29. In regulation 109(4)(a) (contracting-out requirements affecting transfers out) omit “nominated”....
30. In regulation 114(2)(b) (EU scheme transfers) omit “nominated”.
31. In Schedule 1 (interpretation)— (a) before the definition of “the...
32. Amendment of the 2014 Transitional Regulations
33. In regulation 17(7)(c) (survivor benefits) omit “nominated”.
34. In paragraph 4(3) of Schedule 5 (transitional and transitory provisions...

PART 2

Minor amendments

35. Amendment of the 1981 Regulations
36. For regulation 13(4)(e) (admission of other persons to participation in...
37. Amendment of the 1992 Regulations
38. In regulation B5(10)(e) (power to admit employees of other bodies),...
39. Amendment of the 2000 Regulations
40. In regulation B6 (agreements to enable employees of non-LGPS employers...
41. In regulation D11 (entitlement to deferred retirement benefits)—
42. In regulation D13 (reduction of pensions payable early by virtue...
43. After regulation N9(1) (payment of benefits), insert—
44. Amendment of the 2002 Regulations
45. In regulation 4 (employees of non-Scheme employers: community admission bodies)—...
46. Omit paragraph (7) of regulation 41 (death grants).
47. After regulation 140(1) (payment of benefits) insert—
48. Omit paragraph (5) of regulation 141 (death grants).
49. Amendment of the Benefits Regulations

50. Omit paragraph (5) of regulation 23 (death grants: active members)....
51. Omit paragraph (4) of regulation 32 (death grants: deferred members)....
52. Omit paragraph (4) of regulation 35 (death grants: pensioner members)....
53. Amendment of the Administration Regulations
54. In regulation 4(2)(f) (employees of community admission bodies), after “school”...
55. Omit paragraph (10) of regulation 22 (use of accumulated value...
56. Omit paragraph (3) of regulation 92 (death grants: pension credit...
57. Amendment of the Principal Regulations
58. After regulation 10(1) (pension credit members and survivor members) insert—...
59. In regulation 13 (contributions during absence from work) after paragraph...
60. After regulation 16 (contributions during absence for illness or injury)...
61. In regulation 17 (employing authority contributions during absence) —
62. For regulation 18(7) (additional pension contributions), substitute—
63. In regulation 19 (additional voluntary contributions)— (a) in paragraph (13)...
64. In regulation 22(2) (meaning of “pensionable pay”)—
65. In regulation 23 (assumed pensionable pay)— (a) in paragraph (4),...
66. In regulation 31 (retirement benefits)— (a) after paragraph (3) insert —...
67. For regulation 34(5)(a) (election for lump sum instead of pension)...
68. Omit paragraph (4) of regulation 40 (death grants: active members)....
69. In regulation 46 (death grants: deferred members and pension credit...
70. Omit paragraph (5) of regulation 51 (death grants: pensioner members)....
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73. In regulation 70 (special circumstances where revised actuarial valuations and...
74. In regulation 80(3) (first instance decisions - general) at the...
75. After regulation 90(3) (exchange of information) insert—
76. For regulation 92(2) (payments due in respect of deceased persons)...
77. For regulation 96 (joint liability in respect of annual allowance...
78. In regulation 108 (rights to payments out of the fund)—...
79. In regulation 112 (inward transfers of pension rights), at the...
80. In regulation 113 (effect of acceptance of transfer value) for...
81. In Schedule 1 (interpretation)— (a) after the definition of “children's...
82. In Schedule 2 (admission agreements with admission bodies)—
83. In paragraph 3(2) of Part 3 (expense and allowances payable...
84. Amendment of the 2014 Transitional Regulations
85. In regulation 3 (membership before 1st April 2015) after paragraph...
86. For regulation 5(5) (membership of the scheme) substitute—
87. In regulation 9 (transfers)— (a) in paragraph (1)—

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- 88. In regulation 9A (aggregation adjustments etc.) for paragraph (6) substitute—...
- 89. In regulation 13(2) (contributions) after “is entitled to a refund...
- 90. In regulation 14 (additional contributions)— (a) omit paragraph (1) (b);
- 91. For regulation 15(1) (annual allowance) substitute—
- 92. In Schedule 3 (the 85 year rule: transitional provisions and...
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Explanatory Note

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