
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2015 No. 1677

PENSIONS

**The Occupational Pension Schemes (Schemes that
were Contracted-out) (No.2) Regulations 2015**

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**THE OCCUPATIONAL PENSION SCHEMES (SCHEMES THAT
WERE CONTRACTED-OUT) (NO.2) REGULATIONS 2015**

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Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made).

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SCHEDULE — PROVISIONS CONFERRING POWERS EXERCISED IN MAKING THESE REGULATIONS

Explanatory Note