WORKED ANSWER RST SCHEME ACTIVE => RETIREMENT (LATE)

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 Date of birth:
 08/02/1956

 Date joined scheme:
 06/04/2005

 Date of retirement:
 10/09/2025

Age at date of retirement: 69 years & 7 months

Normal pension age: 65

Normal pension date: 08/02/2021
Type of retirement: Late retirement

Spouse's date of birth: N/A

Transferred-in pension (*pre-2006*): £3,827.92 pa (*payable from NPD*)

Pre-2006 CARE pension @ 5 April 2025: £1,001.99 pa Post-2006 CARE pension @ 5 April 2025: £13,602.68 pa

Pro-rata CPI: 1.9%

Pensionable earnings: £55,601.67 [(£54,950+£55,680+£56,175) / 3]
Pensionable service (6 April 2025 to DOR): 0yrs & 5mths (06/04/2025 - 10/09/2025)

Contractual salary: £57,000.00

Underpin (total pens. service to DOR): 20yrs & 5mths (06/04/2005 - 10/09/2025) Underpin (pre-2006 pens. service): 1yr & 0mths (06/04/2005 - 05/04/2006) Underpin (post-2006 pens. service to DOR): 19yrs & 5mths (06/04/2006 - 10/09/2025)

Remaining 'LS&DBA': £1,013,100.00
Remaining 'LSA': £208,275.00

Commutation factor: 16.30 (age 69yrs & 7mths)

 $[16.58 - (0.48 \times 7/12 = 0.28) = 16.30]$

Late retirement factor (*transfer in*): 1.184 (age 69yrs & 7mths)

 $[1.157 + {(1.204 - 1.157) \times 7/12 = 0.027} = 1.184]$

CARE Pension (excluding transferred-in benefit)

Pension @ 5/4/25 (pre-2006) = **1,001.99 pa**Pro-rata CPI increase: £1,001.99 x 1.9% = £19.04 pa

Member (pre-2006): £1,001.99 + £19.04 = £1,021.03 pa

Pension @ 5/4/25 (post-2006): = £13,602.68 pa Pro-rata CPI increase: £13,602.68 x 1.9% = £258.45 pa YTD pension: £55,601.67 x $^5/_{12}$ x 1/75 = £308.90 pa

Member (post-2006): £13,602.68 + £258.45 + £308.90 = **£14,170.03 pa**

Total CARE pension: £1,021.03 + £14,170.03 = **£15,191.06 pa**

Final Salary Underpin (excluding transferred-in benefit)

Pension (pre-2006): $£57,000.00 \times 1^{0}/_{12} \times 1/90 = £633.33 pa$

Pension (post-2006): £57,000.00 x $19^{5}/_{12}$ x 1/90 = £12,297.22 pa

Total Underpin pension: £633.33 + £12,297.22 = **£12,930.55 pa**

Total CARE pension of £15,191.06 pa exceeds total Underpin pension of £12,930.55 pa!

Option 1 – Full Pension (CARE)

Full Pension

Member (pre-2006): = **£1,021.03 pa**Member (post-2006): = **£14,170.03 pa**

Member (pre-2006 TVin): £3,827.92 x 1.184 = £4,532.26 pa

Member (total): £1,021.03 + £14,170.03 + £4,532.26 = £19,723.32 pa

Spouse (pre-2006): £1,021.03 x 40% = **£408.41 pa**Spouse (post-2006): £14,170.03 x 40% = **£5,668.01 pa**

Spouse (pre-2006 TVin): £4,532.26 x 40% = £1,812.90 pa

Spouse (total): £408.41 + £5,668.01 + £1,812.90 = £7,889.32 pa

OR

Option 2 - Cash Sum & Residual Pension

Cash Sum

Member: $£19,723.32 \times 20 / [3 + (20 / 16.30)] = £93,320.79$

'LS&DBA' Check: £93,320.79 vs £1,013,100.00 = **OK**

'LSA' Check: £93,320.79 vs £208,275.00 = **OK**

Residual Pension

Member (total): £19,723.32 - (£93,320.79 / 16.30 = £5,725.20) = £13,998.12 pa

Member (post-2006): £14,170.03 - £5,725.20 = **£8,444.83 pa**Member (pre-2006) = **£1,021.03 pa**

Member (pre-2006 TVin): = **£4,532.26 pa**

Spouse (pre-2006): Unchanged = **£408.41 pa**Spouse (post-2006): Unchanged = **£5,668.01 pa**

Spouse (pre-2006 TVin): Unchanged = £1,812.90 pa

Spouse (total): Unchanged = <u>**£7,889.32 pa**</u>

Summary Answer

Option 1 – Pension Only

A full pension of £19,723.32 per annum, of which £1,021.03 increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006), £14,170.03 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006) and £4,532.26 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006 transferred-in pension).

A spouse's pension of £7,889.32 per annum, of which £408.41 increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006), £5,668.01 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006) and £1,812.90 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006 transferred-in pension).

OR

Option 2 – Cash Sum & Residual Pension

A tax-free cash sum of £93,320.79 plus a residual pension of £13,998.12 per annum, of which £1,021.03 increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006), £8,444.83 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006) and £4,532.26 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006 transferred-in pension). The tax-free cash sum of £93,320.79 is within both the member's available 'LS&DBA' of £1,013,100.00 and 'LSA' of £208,275.00.

A spouse's pension of £7,889.32 per annum, of which £408.41 increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006), £5,668.01 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006) and £1,812.90 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006 transferred-in pension).