

RST LEAVER – PRESERVED / CETV (WITH AUGMENTATION)

Letter to **EMMA JOHANNSON**

Key Points

1. Date of leaving [DOL] (**07/09/2026**)
2. Preserved 'Underpin' pension at DOL of **£10,351.39** per annum [versus 'CARE' pension at DOL of **£9,590.36** per annum] [split pre 6/04/2006 = **£483.33** per annum and post 5/04/2006 = **£9,868.06** per annum] – *plus mention 'single-life, non-escalating' augmentation of **£900.00** per annum payable from NPD*
3. Normal Pension Date [NPD] (**28/03/2045**) or age (**65**)
4. Revaluation to NPD assumes rate of **2.5%** per annum compound ('true' annual revaluation rate will be **lower of 5.0% and CPI**)
5. Revalued pension at NPD of **£16,144.65** per annum [split pre 06/04/2006 = **£753.83** per annum and post 5/04/2006 = **£15,390.82** per annum] – *plus 'single-life, non-escalating' augmentation of **£900.00** per annum*
6. Tax-free cash sum option
7. Death before retirement lump sum death benefit (stating value of refund of contributions of **£33,614.99** payable to person(s) at the trustees' discretion)
8. Death after retirement spouse's / civil partner's pension of **£4,140.55** per annum at DOL (based on member's pension at DOL; split pre 06/04/2006 = **£193.33** per annum and post 05/04/2006 = **£3,947.22** per annum) revalued to **£6,457.86** per annum at NPD (based on member's pension at DOL, revalued to NPD; split pre 06/04/2006 = **£301.53** per annum and post 05/04/2006 = **£6,156.33** per annum)
9. Death after retirement lump sum death benefit (provided death occurs before reaching age 75 and before receiving 5 years of pension payments) equal to the lower of the balance of 5 years of pension payments or the unpaid balance of pension payments that would have been received up to the member's 75th birthday
10. If the member's spouse / civil partner at the date of the member's death is more than 10 years younger than the member, the pension will be reduced
11. Post retirement pension increases will be applied each year on the anniversary of the commencement of the member's pension
 - i. Pre 06/04/2006 pension will be increased each year by **5.0% (or RPI, if lower)**
 - ii. Post 05/04/2006 pension will be increased each year by **2.5% (or RPI, if lower)**
 - iii. Augmentation is **single life and non-escalating** (and so will not be increased)
12. Transfer option

NOTE –

For the purposes of the CPC examinations, candidates will be presented with a draft Letter. They will then be expected to:

- a) *Transcribe data required to be populated in the draft Letter accurately from their Case Study answers to the answer box*
- b) *Identify and detail basic expected information not communicated in the draft Letter to the answer box*
- c) *Identify and correct information wrongly communicated in the draft Letter to the answer box*