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Dear Sir/Madam

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME (SCOTLAND) AMENDMENT (No. 1) REGULATIONS 2006 - TRANSPORT PARTNERSHIPS

Our letter dated 7th October 2005 advised consultees of proposed amendments to the Local Government Pension Scheme (Scotland) Regulations 1998 which would be necessary as a result of the Transport (Scotland) Act 2005. We asked interested parties to comment by 25th November 2005 on these proposals, and I am now writing to advise that no adverse comments were received during the consultation process.

As previously advised, please find enclosed a draft set of regulations for consideration. I should be grateful if any comments could be sent to Jean Steel, Policy Officer, at the above address, by **Tuesday 10th January 2006**. It is our intention to have these regulations coming into force on 1st April 2006.

If you wish to discuss this proposal in more detail please do not hesitate to contact me on 01896 893227 or send any queries by e-mail to david.lauder@scotland.gsi.gov.uk.

Yours faithfully



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