**CONSULTATION RESPONSE FORM**

**CONSULTATION on implementing the 2015 remedy for the Local Government Pension Scheme**

***1. Name/Organisation***

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***2. Postal Address***

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***3. Permissions* - I am responding as…** (please complete either sections (a), (b) and (d) or sections (c) and (d):

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| **(a)** | Do you agree to your response being made available to the public (in Scottish Government library and/or on the Scottish Government web site)?***Please state yes or no:***  |  | **(c)** | The name and address of your organisation ***will be*** made available to the public (in the Scottish Government library and/or on the Scottish Government web site). |
| **(b)** | Where confidentiality is not requested, we will make your responses available to the public on the following basis |  |  | Are you content for your ***response*** to be made available? |
|  | ***Please state yes to one of the following:***  |  |  | ***Please state yes or no: ……………***  |
|  | Yes, make my response, name and address all available | **..........** |  |  |  |  |
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|  | Yes, make my response available, but not my name and address | **……...** |  |  |  |  |
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| **(d)** | We will share your response internally with other Scottish Government policy teams who may be addressing the issues you discuss. They may wish to contact you again in the future, but we require your permission to do so. Are you content for Scottish Government to contact you again in relation to this consultation exercise?***Please state yes or no: ……………………………………….*** |

***4. About you***

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| I am responding …[ ]  as a scheme member[ ]  on behalf of an Employer Organisation[ ]  on behalf of a Trade Union/Staff Association[ ]  other (please specify) |

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| What is your gender? I am a woman [ ] I am a man [ ] Other [ ]  |

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| What is your working pattern?I work part-time [ ] I work full- time [ ] Not applicable [ ]  |

**CONSULTATION COMMENTS**

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Please use this space to provide any comments on the amendments.

**Question 1** - Do you agree with the proposed rules about aggregation and underpin protection?

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| Comments: |

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**Question 2** - Do you agree with our proposed approach regarding Club transfers?

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**Question 3** - Do you agree with our proposal to extend underpin protection to the period after flexible retirement, if it is in the underpin period?

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**Question 4** - Do you agree with our proposal for multiple final underpin dates if a member takes ‘partial’ flexible retirement?

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**Question 5** - Do you agree with our proposed method for calculating a CEV for a member with underpin protection?

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**Question 6** – Do you agree with our proposal to remove pension debits from the calculation of the provisional assumed benefits and underpin amount?

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 **Question 7** – Do you have any comments on the approach being adopted for these members?

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**Question 8** – Are there any areas where specific scheme regulations regarding excess teacher service would be necessary or beneficial?

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 **Question 9** – Do you have any comments on the approach to compensation?

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 **Question 10** – Do you have any comments on the approach to interest?

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| Comments: |

 **Question 11** – Do you agree with the approach we have proposed for injury allowance payments?

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 **Question 12** – Do you have any comments on our equality impact assessment?

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 **Question 13** – Are you aware of additional data sets that would help us assess the impacts of the LGPS 2015 remedy on the LGPS membership?

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 **Question 14 –** Do you have any comments on the draft regulations?

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 **Question 15** – Do you have any other comments you would like to make on 2015 remedy in the LGPS?

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| Comments: |

Please e-mail your response to SPPAPolicy@gov.scot or send via mail to:

Local Government Pension Scheme (2015 Remedy)

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**The closing date for receipt of comments is 31 July 2023**