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EMPLOYER PENSION NOTICE

EPN 09/2023

From: Pensions Division

Date: 4 April 2023

To: All Employers

Re: PUBLIC CONSULTATION ON PHASE TWO OF THE 2015 REMEDY (McCLOUD)

Purpose: The purpose of this EPN is to announce the launch of a public consultation on Phase Two of the 2015 Remedy (McCloud). The consultation will run for 9 weeks from 3 April 2023 and close at 12 noon on 2 June 2023.

Timing: Immediate

Action: Employers should:

- read and note the content of the Employee Pension Notice at **Annex A** as well as the consultation and associated documents published on the CSP(NI) website at:
<https://www.finance-ni.gov.uk/consultations/nics-retrospective-remedy>
- note that Civil Service Pensions (CSP) will arrange for staff, covered by the ITAssist and ITAssist Confidential Service Desk, to receive the Notice at **Annex A** and that the Notice will be added to the Employee Services portal and the CSP website at:
www.finance-ni.gov.uk/civilservicepensions-ni
- ensure that employees not covered by HRConnect, ITAssist or ITAssist Confidential Service Desk receive a copy of the Notice.

Civil Service Pensions point of contact

Please e-mail PLCconsultations@finance-ni.gov.uk with any questions about the content of this EPN or contact me on telephone number (028) 71310706 (Ext. 86306).

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'P Philip', with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Peter Philip
Civil Service Pensions Policy, Legislation and Communications



EMPLOYEE PENSION NOTICE

To: All Staff

Date: 4 April 2023

Launch of Public Consultation on Phase Two of the 2015 Remedy (McCloud)

Further to previous communication on this matter, this notice officially announces the launch of a Department of Finance Consultation on Phase Two of the 2015 Remedy (McCloud). The consultation launched on Monday 3 April and will close at noon on 2 June 2023.

The Consultation document is published on the Civil Service Pensions website alongside the associated Equality Screening and Rural Needs Impact Assessment. Please take the time to read about the proposals and submit any comments or views you may have before **the consultation closes at noon on 2 June 2023**. You can access the relevant information and a response template on the website at:

www.finance-ni.gov.uk/consultations/nics-retrospective-remedy

Further information on this topic can be found on our dedicated webpage:

www.finance-ni.gov.uk/articles/mccloud-judgment-and-2015-remedy

In addition to Frequently Asked Questions about the consultation, the webpage has a wealth of information including background to the 2015 Remedy (McCloud), animated videos, and an 'Am I Affected' tool. More content, including calculators, are under development so we encourage you to keep checking this webpage for further updates and newsletters.

All comments and views are welcome. Our preferred method of response is online via the green response button on the consultation webpage or in the consultation paper. Alternatively, email PLCconsultations@finance-ni.gov.uk or write to:

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