STATES OF JERSEY



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Lodged au Greffe on 14th November 2017 by the Chief Minister

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PAGE 8, REGULATION 3 -

- (1) In the title, delete the words "Regulation 11 of the".
- (2) Immediately before the words "For Regulation 11" renumber as paragraph "(1)".
- (3) After the words "'Regulation 22 of the Administration Regulations.'" add the following paragraph
 - "(2) Regulations 17(c), 18(c), 19(c), 20(1)(e) and (2)(e), and 20A(e) of the Public Employees (Contributory Retirement Scheme) (Jersey) Regulations 1967 are deleted.".

CHIEF MINISTER

REPORT

Introduction

- 1. The <u>Public Employees (Contributory Retirement Scheme) (Jersey) Regulations</u>
 <u>1967</u> (the "1967 Regulations") contain modification provisions which cater for the different uniformed services. The provisions modify the accrual rate, normal retiring age, and the ages at which a uniformed member can defer their pension.
- 2. One aspect of the Public Employees (Pensions) (Deferred Pensions, Transfer Payments and Refund of Contributions) (Miscellaneous Amendments) (Jersey) Regulations 201- (P.93/2017) (the "Draft Regulations"), lodged *au Greffe* on 10th October 2017, is to remove references to age restrictions on deferring pensions in all Regulations pertaining to the Public Employees Contributory Retirement Scheme ("PECRS").
- 3. The references modifying the ages for uniformed members in the 1967 Regulations to defer their benefits were unintentionally omitted from the Draft Regulations.
- 4. This amendment is required in order to amend the Draft Regulations to rectify that omission.

Collective responsibility under Standing Order 21(3A)

The Council of Ministers has a single policy position on this proposition, and as such, all Ministers, and the Assistant Ministers to the Chief Minister, are bound by the principle of collective responsibility to support the proposition, as outlined in the Code of Conduct and Practice for Ministers and Assistant Ministers (R.11/2015 refers).

Financial and manpower implications

There are no additional financial or manpower implications for the States arising from the adoption of this amendment to the Draft Regulations.