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Dear Sir/Madam

**THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME (SCOTLAND) AMENDMENT (No.2) REGULATIONS 2005 (SSI 2005/315)**

1. I am writing about the above mentioned amendment regulations. A copy of these amendment regulations is enclosed and if you require additional copies these can be purchased from the Stationery Office. These regulations come into force on 30<sup>th</sup> June 2005.
2. These regulations amend the principal Regulations, The Local Government Pension Scheme (Scotland) Regulations 1998 (S.I. 1998/366) in relation to matters concerning former staff of Scottish Homes and the Scottish Special Housing Association.
3. The regulations amend the principal Regulations to the effect that on and after 30 June 2005, the administering authority for the affected persons will be the City of Edinburgh Council and for the purposes of functions, duties and activities under the Regulations to be exercised by the former employing authority, the former employing authority will be the Scottish Ministers.
4. The regulations also place an obligation on the Scottish Ministers to make payment to the administering authority, should the actuary for the fund determine that such payments are necessary to maintain the solvency of the fund.
5. Any enquiries regarding this circular and the amending SSI should be made to David Lauder by telephone on 01896 893227 or by e-mail to [david.lauder@scotland.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:david.lauder@scotland.gsi.gov.uk) .

Yours faithfully

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