## WORKED ANSWER RST SCHEME ACTIVE => RETIREMENT (LATE)

### **JEREMY CHAPPELL**

Date of birth: 01/11/1954
Date joined scheme: 06/04/2001
Date of retirement: 02/09/2024

Age at date of retirement: 69 years & 10 months

Normal pension age: 65

Normal pension date: 01/11/2019
Type of retirement: Late retirement

Spouse's date of birth: 07/06/1955 (spouse < 10 years younger)

Pre-2006 CARE pension @ 5 April 2024: £3,182.36 pa Post-2006 CARE pension @ 5 April 2024: £12,347.79 pa

Pro-rata CPI: 2.1%

Pensionable earnings: £63,030.00 [(£62,430+£62,900+£63,760) / 3]
Pensionable service (6 April 2024 to DOR): 0yrs & 4mths (06/04/2024 - 02/09/2024)

Contractual salary (full-time equivalent): £64,250.00

Underpin (total pens. service to DOR): 23yrs & 4mths (06/04/2001 - 02/09/2024)
Underpin (pre-2006 pens. service #1 [**3.0dys**]): 3yrs & 0mths (06/04/2001 - 05/04/2004)
Underpin (pre-2006 pens. service #2 [**4.0dys**]): 2yrs & 0mths (06/04/2004 - 05/04/2006)
Underpin (post-2006 pens. service #3 [**4.0dys**]): 18yrs & 4mths (06/04/2006 - 02/09/2024)

Remaining 'LS&DBA': £1,041,622.49
Remaining 'LSA': £236,797.49

Commutation factor: 16.18 (age 69yrs & 10mths)

 $[16.58 - (0.48 \times 10/12 = 0.40) = 16.18]$ 

### **CARE Pension**

Member (pre-2006): £3,182.36 + £66.83 = £3,249.19 pa

Pension @ 5/4/24 (post-2006): = £12,347.79 pa Pro-rata CPI increase: £12,347.79 x 2.1% = £259.30 pa YTD pension: £63,030.00 x  $^4/_{12}$  x 1/75 x 4/5 = £224.11 pa

Member (post-2006): £12,347.79 + £259.30 + £224.11 = **£12,831.20 pa** 

Total CARE pension: £3,249.19 + £12,831.20 = **£16,080.39 pa** 

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Spouse (pre-2006): £3,249.19 x 40% = £1,299.68 pa Spouse (post-2006): £12,831.20 x 40% = £5,132.48 pa

Spouse (total): £1,299.68 + £5,132.48 = £6,432.16 pa

## **Final Salary Underpin**

Pension (pre-2006 #1):  $f64,250.00 \times 3^{0}/_{12} \times 1/90 \times 3/5 = f1,285.00 pa$ 

Pension (pre-2006 #2):  $£64,250.00 \times 2^{0}/_{12} \times 1/90 \times 4/5 = £1,142.22 pa$ 

Pension (post-2006 #3):  $£64,250.00 \times 18^4/_{12} \times 1/90 \times 4/5 = £10,470.37 pa$ 

Total Underpin pension: £1,285.00 + £1,142.22 + £10,470.37 = £12,897.59 pa

## Total CARE pension of £16,080.39 pa exceeds total Underpin pension of £12,897.59 pa!

# Option 1 – Full Pension (CARE)

## **Full Pension**

Member (pre-2006): = £3,249.19 pa Member (post-2006): = £12,831.20 pa

Member (total): = **£16,080.39 pa** 

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Spouse (pre-2006): = £1,299.68 pa Spouse (post-2006): = £5,132.48 pa

Spouse (total): = <u>£6,432.16 pa</u>

OR

# Option 2 – Cash Sum & Residual Pension

## Cash Sum

Member:  $£16,080.39 \times 20 / [3 + (20 / 16.18)] = £75,920.84$ 

**'LS&DBA' Check:** £75,920.84 vs £1,041,622.49 = **OK** 

**'LSA' Check:** £75,920.84 vs £236,797.49 = **OK** 

**Residual Pension** 

Member (total): £16,080.39 - (£75,920.84 / 16.18 = £4,692.26) = £11,388.13 pa

Member (post-2006): £12,831.20 – £4,692.26 = £8,138.94 pa Member (pre-2006): = £3,249.19 pa

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Spouse (pre-2006): Unchanged = **£1,299.68 pa**Spouse (post-2006): Unchanged = **£5,132.48 pa** 

Spouse (total): Unchanged = <u>£6,432.16 pa</u>

### **Summary Answer**

Option 1 – Pension Only

A full pension of £16,080.39 per annum, of which £3,249.19 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006) and £12,831.20 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006).

A spouse's pension of £6,432.16 per annum, of which £1,299.68 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006) and £5,132.68 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006).

OR

Option 2 - Cash Sum & Residual Pension

A tax-free cash sum of £75,920.84 plus a residual pension of £11,388.13 per annum, of which £3,249.19 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006) and £8,138.94 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006). The tax-free cash sum of £75,920.84 is within both the member's available 'LS&DBA' of £1,041,622.49 and 'LSA' of £236,797.49.

A spouse's pension of £6,432.16 per annum, of which £1,299.68 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 5.0% (pre-2006) and £5,132.68 per annum increases at the lower of RPI and 2.5% (post-2006).