

Legal Notice No. 7 of 2018

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PENSIONS ORDINANCE, 2012

PENSIONS (AMENDMENT) REGULATIONS, 2018

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3(2) of the Pensions Ordinance, 2012, the Governor in Council makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. (1) These Regulations may be cited as the Pensions (Amendment) Regulations, 2018.
- (2) These Regulations come into force on the date of publication and apply in respect of any pension granted on retirement on or after that date.

Leave without salary

2. Regulation 7 of the Pensions Regulations, 2012, is amended—
 - (a) by renumbering the existing text as sub-regulation (1); and
 - (b) by adding the following sub-regulation:

“(2) Sub-regulation (1) does not apply to any period during which a person was absent from duty on unpaid maternity leave, paternity leave or adoption leave and any such period of leave without salary must be taken into account as pensionable service.”.

Textual amendment

3. Regulation 10 of the Pensions Regulations, 2012, is amended by deleting the expression “regulations 6, 22 and 23” in sub-regulation (1A)(c)(ii) and substituting “regulations 6, 13 and 14” therefor.

Made by the Governor in Council this 23rd day of March 2018.

Lydia H. D. Buchanan
Clerk of Councils

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

The purpose of these Regulations is to amend the Pensions Regulation, 2012, to provide that unpaid maternity, paternity and adoption leave must be taken into account as pensionable service for purposes of determining pension benefits. The Regulations also corrects a textual error in the Regulations.