

Pensions

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Mike

I found our chat with Tony thought provoking and I assure you that I will reflect on it.

Arnold Baker 9th Edition at p80 (C9.13/14) discusses employees rights to superannuation and the authority is Local Government Pension Scheme ... SI2007/1166 which came into force on 1st April 2008 and has been amended. It mentions the 'statutory resolution' which must be moved and publically notified 28 days before the meeting. You are right in that I do not know whether she is on this scheme but I have openly stated that it is a guess; having said that I do know that she is on a final salary scheme and feel entitled to ask whether the correct procedures were followed.

The attachment is an authority for the 30% cost. I have signed up for the free part of CPALC. It is not one of CPALC's better articles and there are more considered authorities for the figure.

A long time ago I analysed the relevant cheque values over a 19 month period for a different purpose. I have just relooked at them and have to admit that they do not support my contention of 5% by each party. It is difficult because of employer's NI but it looks like a total of around 18%. My apologies.

Regards

Chris