
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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PENSIONS

**The Armed Forces Early Departure
Payments Scheme Regulations 2014**

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**THE ARMED FORCES EARLY DEPARTURE
PAYMENTS SCHEME REGULATIONS 2014**

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