

SCHEDULE

Article 2

AMENDMENT OF SCHEDULE 2 TO THE  
FIREFIGHTERS' PENSION SCHEME ORDER 1992

In Part L (payment of awards and financial provisions) after rule L2 (expenses and receipts of fire and rescue authorities) insert—

**“Payments by Scottish Ministers**

**L2A.** For the purposes of meeting the liabilities of a fire and rescue authority under this Scheme, the 1973 Scheme or previous Firemen's Pension Schemes, the Scottish Ministers may pay sums to such an authority.

**Duty to provide information**

**L2B.—(1)** A fire and rescue authority shall provide to the Scottish Ministers such information as the Scottish Ministers may, by written notice, require in connection with their functions under rule L2A.

(2) A fire and rescue authority shall respond to a request under paragraph (1) within such period as the Scottish Ministers specify in the notice, or such longer period as they may in any particular case allow.

**Guidance**

**L2C.** An authority shall have regard to guidance issued by the Scottish Ministers for the purposes of this Part.”.