DRAFT STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2005 No.

The Pensions (Northern Ireland) Order 2005

PART IV SCHEME FUNDING

Scheme funding

Certification of technical provisions

- **204.**—(1) When an actuarial valuation is carried out, the calculation of the technical provisions must be certified by the actuary.
- (2) The certificate must state that in the opinion of the actuary the calculation is made in accordance with regulations under Article 201.
- (3) If the actuary cannot give the certificate required by paragraph (2) he must report the matter in writing to the Regulator within a reasonable period after the end of the period within which the valuation must be received by the trustees or managers.
- (4) Article 10 of the 1995 Order (civil penalties) applies to the actuary if he fails without reasonable excuse to comply with paragraph (3).