

ARMED FORCES PENSION SCHEME - UPRATING OF 2016/2017 TRI SERVICE REGULARS BENEFITS

- 1 I am directed to inform you that the existing rates of Service Retired Pay and Pensions, Service Invaliding Retired Pay and Pensions, Service attributable Retired Pay and Pensions, certain Gratuities and Resettlement Grants have been revised.
- 2 The revised rates, which are contained in the attached Annexes, apply to all personnel who are members of the Armed Forces Pension Scheme and whose last day of service is on or after the 31st Mar 2016.
- 3 The tables are compiled in a tri-Service format based on NATO grade codings. The key to their equivalent ranks is shown here.
- 4 These revised tables will be available within the Personnel-Military-Pensions Website.

Service Retired Pay - Officers	Annex A
Lump Sum - Officers	Annex B
Pensions - Other Ranks	Annex C
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Attributable Family Long Term Compensation and Lump	Annex E
Resettlement Grants - Officers, and Other Ranks	Annex F
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Representative Rates of Pay - Officers and other Ranks	Rep Rates
Representative Rates of Pay - Chaplains	Chaplain Reps

	<u>ROYAL NAVY</u>	<u>ARMY</u>	<u>ROYAL AIR FORCE</u>
OF 2	Lt (RN), Capt (RM)	Captain	Flight Lieutenant
OF 2			Flight Lieutenant (Specialist Aircrew)
OF2 Commissioned from the ranks (OCFR)	Applies if has 5 years commissioned service at LE rates of pay	Applies if has 5 years commissioned service at LE rates of pay	Applies if has 5 years commissioned service at LE rates of pay
OF 3	Lt Cdr (RN), Major (RM)	Major	Squadron Leader
OF 4	Commander (RN), Lt Col (RM),	Lt Colonel	Wing Commander
OF 5	Captain (RN) (less than 6 yrs in rank), Col (RM)	Colonel, Deputy Chaplain General	Group Captain
OF 6	Commodore (RN)★, Capt (RN) (6 yrs or more in rank (preserved)); Brigadier (RM) and Col (RM) (OF6) (promoted prior to 1 July 00)★★	Brigadier	Air Commodore
	Chaplain	Chaplain Class 2, 3, 4	Below Chaplain Class 1
	Chaplain Class 1 (Principal Chaplain)	Chaplain Class 1	Chaplain Class 1

Chap 2 = LtCol, 3=Maj,4=Capt
Chap 1 = Col, Grp Capt

- ★ Relates to the introduction of substantive 1 Star rank in RN/RM as outlined in DCI Gen 136/97
- ★★ Relates to rank realignment for RM, effective from 1 Jul 00 as outlined in DCI Gen 39/99. As of 1 April 2000, the QARNNS became part of the Royal Navy. Rank titles have changed to fit with the Royal Navy structure.

OTHER RANKS

	<u>ROYAL NAVY</u>	<u>ARMY</u>	<u>ROYAL AIR FORCE</u>
OR 3	Able Rating, Marine and below	Below Corporal	Aircraft-man/Aircraft-woman
OR 4	Leading Rating (RN), Corporal (RM)	Corporal	Corporal
OR 6	Petty Officer (RN), Sergeant(RM)	Sergeant	Sergeant
OR 7	Chief Petty Officer (RN)★ Colour Sergeant (RM)	Staff Sergeant	Flight Sergeant
OR 8	Warrant Officer 2 (RM)	Warrant Officer 2	
OR 9	Warrant Officer (RN), Warrant Officer (RM)	Warrant Officer Class 1	Warrant Officer

- ★ Relates to the implementation of the WOII rate for Royal Navy artificers and technicians. Substantive WO2 rate introduced in place of non-substantive rate of Charge Chief Petty Officer (CCPO). If served as CCPO for 2 years on 1 April 2004, pension will be paid as that for WO2. DCI RN 146 2003 refers.