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HOME AFFAIRS UNIFORMED SERVICES SUPERANNUATION ACT (CHAPTER 126B)

HOME AFFAIRS UNIFORMED SERVICES (INVEST PLAN) (AMENDMENT NO. 2) REGULATIONS 2021

In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Home Affairs Uniformed Services Superannuation Act, the Minister for Home Affairs makes the following Regulations:

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations are the Home Affairs Uniformed Services (INVEST Plan) (Amendment No. 2) Regulations 2021 and come into operation on 1 July 2021.

Amendment of regulation 2

2. Regulation 2(1) of the Home Affairs Uniformed Services (INVEST Plan) Regulations (Rg 2) (called in these Regulations the principal Regulations) is amended by deleting the words “55th anniversary” in the definition of “INVEST contribution cessation date” and substituting the words “56th anniversary”.

Amendment of regulation 10

3. Regulation 10 of the principal Regulations is amended —

- (a) by deleting the words “paragraphs (2), (3), (4) and (5)” in paragraph (1) and substituting the words “these Regulations”;
- (b) by deleting the words “at the age of 55 years” in paragraph (1) and substituting the words “on the 56th anniversary of his birth”;

(c) by deleting paragraphs (2) and (3) and substituting the following paragraphs:

“(2) A member may apply to the relevant authority to retire before the anniversary of his birth mentioned in paragraph (1), by specifying in his application the earlier date on which he wishes to retire, subject to the following restrictions:

- (a) if the member is a junior officer, the earlier date must be on or after the 50th anniversary of his birth;
- (b) if the member is a senior officer, the earlier date must be on or after the 55th anniversary of his birth.

(3) Subject to paragraph (3A), the relevant authority has the discretion whether to permit an application to retire on an earlier date under paragraph (2).

(3A) The relevant authority must permit the following applications under paragraph (2):

- (a) an application by a junior officer who is a member immediately before 1 October 2013 to retire on a date mentioned in paragraph (2)(a);
- (b) an application by a junior officer (not being a junior officer mentioned in sub-paragraph (a)) who is a member immediately before 1 July 2021 to retire on a date on or after the 55th anniversary of his birth;
- (c) an application by a senior officer who is a member immediately before 1 July 2021 to retire on a date on or after the 55th anniversary of his birth.”;