Understanding the Pension Sharing Order (PSO) process

Your employer isn't normally involved in the divorce or dissolution process. The implementation of a member's divorce or dissolution is taken care of by the Fund.



We send them a form to complete to let us know

of their decision. There may be additional costs which your ex-spouse or former civil partner will need to pay if they keep benefits in the Fund. We will notify them what this charge is. We also send them the forms they'll need to complete if they decide to transfer their benefits out of the Fund.

The Fund ·····> If your ex-spouse or former civil partner decides to keep their pension benefits in the Fund, we'll send them a separate letter welcoming them to the Fund.

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The Fund> If they decide to transfer their benefits elsewhere, they'll need to complete the transfer forms we had previously sent them, and to return them to us. This is when the transfer process will start.



