New Police Pension Scheme 2006

Nomination or revocation of lump sum death grant

IMPORTANT: Read these notes before you complete this form

- 1. This form allows you to nominate a person to receive a lump sum death grant if you die in service. The amount of the grant is normally three times your annual pensionable pay at the time of death (or immediately before any period of absence without pay).
- 2. This form applies only to members of the New Police Pension Scheme (NPPS). If you are a member of the current Police Pension Scheme, and you die in service, the grant will be paid to your surviving spouse or civil partner (if you have one) or otherwise to your personal representative (normally your estate). If you joined the police service on or after 6 April, you are a member of NPPS unless you opted out. Contact your pensions administrator if you are not sure which scheme you are in.
- 3. You may nominate anyone you like, including an organisation. You may also nominate as many people or organisations as you like. If you nominate more than one person or organisation, say what proportion of the grant (either a percentage or a fraction) you would like each to receive. If you do not give a proportion, we will divide the grant equally between the people or organisations you have named.
- 4. The form asks you to state any nominated person's relationship to you. You do not have to give this if you do not wish to, but it will help us deal sensitively with matters if you die.
- 5. A nomination will not be effective if at the time of your death you leave a surviving spouse, civil partner or unmarried partner who is entitled to benefits under NPPS. In these circumstances, the grant will be paid to that person (refer to the NPPS Members' Guide for more information about the lump sum death grant and about survivor benefits in general).
- 6. You may wish to consider changing your nomination if your personal circumstances change. It is your responsibility to keep it up to date, including the address of anyone you have nominated.
- 7. Your pensions administrator will acknowledge the nomination by returning a copy for you to keep. If you wish to revoke your nomination you must do so in writing. You should contact your pensions administrator for a new form.
- 8. Your nomination is not binding on the police authority. If for any reason we do not pay the grant to the person you have named, we will pay it to your personal representative.

Please fill in this form in black ink and in BLOCK CAPITALS, and send it to your force's pensions administrator at the address shown below.

	About you				
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 Please return the completed form to: Please return the completed form to: The Pension Section, The Highland Council, Glenurquhart Road, Inverness IV3 5NX

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For administrator use				
We have recorded this nomination and cancelled any previous nomination	Telephone			
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	Official address			
Signature				
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