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LGA Annual Update Bulletin

Dear Employer

The 2016 annual update bulletin has now been released (Bulletin 143).

The key areas for employers are:-

- The LGPS contribution bands and employee contribution rates applicable for 2016/2017 in England and Wales; you will note that there is no change to the table that applied last year. This is due to CPI being 0% (September 2015);
- The earnings bands applicable for 2016/2017 for the purposes of the automatic enrolment provisions under the Pensions Act 2008;
- The National Insurance contribution thresholds that apply from 6 April 2016;
- The maximum "weeks pay" that applies from 6 April 2016 for calculating a statutory redundancy payment.

All other aspects of the Bulletin are directly related to pensions.

You can access the bulletin by clicking [here](#) and choosing bulletin 143.

Kind regards,

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