# Wondering whether the **PIE option** is right for you?

To help you understand your options, the Trustee has appointed LVE to provide paid-for advice to members who are considering Pension Increase Exchange (PIE). This is an option where you can exchange your future pension increases for a higher pension at the start of your retirement. LVE has been carefully selected by the Trustee and is a leading retirement solutions provider that has been providing trusted financial advice for over 20 years.

The team of experienced and friendly advisers at LV= can answer any questions you may have and help you make an informed decision on whether the PIE option is right for you, based on your personal circumstances (including current income, tax position, state of health and family situation).

### Who can use this service?

Main Scheme members of the Sainsbury's Pension Scheme who have not yet taken their retirement benefits and are eligible for the PIE option.

Take a look at our video for more details about how the PIE option works. Go to the pensions website and select 'The PIE option' tab at: https://jspensions.co.uk/ sainsburys/retiring

## Do I need to pay **LV=** for PIE advice?

No, the Sainsbury's Trustee will pay the cost of this advice regardless of whether or not you take the PIE option. **LV** will provide impartial advice based on the right outcome for you and your personal circumstances.





#### What happens in a PIE session with **LV=**?

You would have an initial 'fact-finding' phone call with **LVE**. This usually takes around 30 minutes, but could be longer or shorter, depending on your financial situation and how much support you need. Before your call, you would need details of your pension, the PIE offer you have had, and your financial information.

If you decide to proceed with advice, an **LV** adviser will carry out a personal review and will present their recommendations based on your unique needs and circumstances for retirement.

#### How do I set up a call?

There is a dedicated **LV** helpline and email address for Sainsbury's members who want to talk about the PIE option:

Telephone: 0800 0223 855 Email: Sainsburyspensions@lv.com

You are welcome to have any trusted party, for example, your own adviser or family members, join you on the call when speaking to **LV=**.

#### Who are **LV**=?

As a leading UK retirement solutions provider, LVE provides regulated financial advice to people looking to access their pension safely and securely. They have a team of skilled, experienced and friendly advisers who are here to help you understand your retirement options, including the PIE option. They will work with you to understand your needs and preferences and provide you with the right advice, presenting solutions for your personal circumstances. If you have a general query about your Sainsbury's pension, or wish to arrange retirement directly through the Sainsbury's Pension Scheme (without advice), then please contact the Scheme administrator, WTW, on 0800 916 8087.

■ offers a range of pension and investment products from the Liverpool Victoria Group of companies. They also offer investment products from a limited number of other companies, and annuity products from the whole of the market.

By calling  $\mathbf{LV} =$ , you are not committing to anything. It's your choice whether you take the PIE option.



