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The Guaranteed Minimum Pension Increase Order		Section 109(3) & (3A) of Pensions Act 1993 - Increase to Post 88 GMP	The Pensions Increase (Review) Order		Section 59(1) of the Social Security and Pensions Act 1975 – Increase of Official Pensions Effective from 6 April 1979
Effective from:	Statutory Instrument		Effective from:	Statutory Instrument	
6 April 2019	?	2.4% (potential)	8 April 2019		2.4% (potential)
6 April 2018	2018.279	3%	9 April 2018	2018.333	3%
6 April 2017	2017.220	1%	10 April 2017	2017.417	1%
6 April 2016	N/A	0%	11 April 2016	N/A	Capped at 0% (actual prices -0.1%)
6 April 2015	2015.470	1.2%	6 April 2015	2015.671	1.2%
6 April 2014	2014.515	2.7%	7 April 2014	2014.668	2.7%
6 April 2013	2013.573	2.2%	8 April 2013	2013.604	2.2%
6 April 2012	2012.693	3%	9 April 2012	2012.782	5.2%
6 April 2011	2011.801	3%	11 April 2011 ¹	2011.827	3.1%
6 April 2010	N/A	0%	12 April 2010	N/A	Capped at 0% (actual prices -2.0%)
6 April 2009	2009.477	3%	6 April 2009	2009.692	5.0%
6 April 2008	2008.581	3%	7 April 2008	2008.711	3.9%
6 April 2007	2007.686	3%	9 April 2007	2007.801	3.6%
6 April 2006	2006.673	2.7%	10 April 2006	2006.741	2.7%
6 April 2005	2005.521	3%	11 April 2005	2005.858	3.1%
6 April 2004	2004.537	2.8%	12 April 2004	2004.758	2.8%
6 April 2003	2003.524	1.7%	7 April 2003	2003.681	1.7%
6 April 2002	2002.649	1.7%	8 April 2002	2002.699	1.7%
6 April 2001	2001.160	3%	9 April 2001	2001.664	3.3%
6 April 2000	2000.425	1.1%	10 April 2000	2000.672	1.1%
6 April 1999	1999.192	3%	12 April 1999	1999.522	3.2%
6 April 1998	1998.406	3%	6 April 1998	1998.503	3.6%
6 April 1997	1997.457	2.1%	7 April 1997	1997.634	2.1%
6 April 1996	1996.485	3%	8 April 1996	1996.800	3.9%
6 April 1995	1995.515	2.2%	10 April 1995	1995.708	2.2%
6 April 1994	1994.500	1.8%	11 April 1994	1994.776	1.8%
6 April 1993	1993.279	3%	12 April 1993	1993.779	3.6%
6 April 1992	1991.2888	3%	6 April 1992	1992.198	4.1%
6 April 1991	1991.427	3%	8 April 1991	1991.684	10.9%
6 April 1990	1990.255	3%	9 April 1990	1990.483	7.6%
6 April 1989			10 April 1989	1989.477	5.9%

¹ From 6 April 2011 increases are related to the rise in the Consumer Price Index (CPI). Previous to that increases were related to the rise in the retail price index (RPI)

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6 April 1988	Not applicable	11 April 1988	1988.217	4.2%
6 April 1987		6 April 1987	1987.130	2.1%
6 April 1986		28 July 1986	1986.1116	1.1%
6 April 1985		25 Nov 1985	1985.1575	7%
6 April 1984		26 Nov 1984	1984.1307	5.1%
6 April 1983		21 Nov 1983	1983.1264	3.7%
6 April 1982		22 Nov 1982	1982.1178	11%
6 April 1981		23 Nov 1981	1981.1217	9.06%
6 April 1980		24 Nov 1980	1980.1302	16.5%
6 April 1979		Pensions Increase Act 1971		
		12 Nov 1979	1979.1047	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 16% (pension begins on or before 1 July 1978), or 17.5% (pension begins on or after 2 July 1978)
		1 Dec 1978	1978.1211	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 5.5% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 January 1978), or 9.6% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 July 1977), or 7.4% (pensions begins on or before 1 July 1977)
		1 Dec 1977	1977.1387	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11.4% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 January 1977), or 19.5% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 July 1976), or 17.7% (pensions begins on or before 1 July 1976)
		1 Dec 1976	1976.1356	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 8.8% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 January 1976), or 19.2% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 July 1975), or

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				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 13.8% (pensions begins on or before 1 July 1975)
		1 Dec 1975	1975.1384	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 19.9% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 January 1975), or • 29.3% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 July 1974), or • 26.1% (pensions begins on or before 1 July 1974)
		1 Dec 1974	1974.1373	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 12.3% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 January 1974), or • 18.1% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 July 1973), or • 16.5% (pensions begins on or before 1 July 1973)
		1 Dec 1973 ²	1973.1370	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6.1% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 January 1973), or • 10.4% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 July 1972), or • 9.3% (pensions begins on or before 1 July 1972) • Plus pay supplement increase where applicable
		1 Dec 1972	1972.1298	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 3.5% (pension begins in 3 months following 1 April 1972), or • 5.6% (pension begins in 6 months following 1 October 1971), or

² In addition to the normal pensions increase on 1 December 1973 there was a supplemental pensions increase amount for those who had been subject to the Government's pay constraint (Pensions Increase Act 1974)

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				<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 11% (pensions begins in 6 months following 1 April 1971)• 9.9% (pensions begins on or before 1 April 1971)
			Pensions (Increase) Acts 1920 to 1969 as prescribed in section 1 of the Pensions Increase Act 1971	
		Cumulative increase A pension beginning on or before 1st April 1969 but not earlier than that year may be increased by 199.5462 per cent. of the basic rate		