# 10 tips about the

# **Public Service Superannuation Plan (PSSP)**



### Keep your personal information up-to-date!

- · Notify your employer of any changes to your name or your mailing address and phone number.
- Notify us of any changes to your spousal relationship status.



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Our social media accounts are updated with the latest PSSP news and information.

#### Your Member Statement

Contains important details, such as:

- Your projected retirement dates
- Information on benefits at retirement

Your Member Statement is mailed to your home address annually each spring.





#### Stay Informed!

To keep you informed on the PSSP's latest news and updates, we offer the following:

- An Annual Report
- Semi-annual newsletters
- **Quarterly Investment Reports**





#### You contribute to your Plan

Contributions are deducted from your pay each payday by your employer. Your employer also pays an amount equal to your contributions to the Plan.



## A survivor pension benefit is available for your loved ones in the event of your death.



- In the event of your death, your surviving spouse, eligible children and/or dependants automatically receive a survivor pension benefit.
- If you do not have a surviving spouse, eligible children, or a dependant, you may wish to designate a beneficiary.





#### www.nspssp.ca

is a great way to learn more about how your pension works and about how the PSSP's investments are performing.

# nspensions.hroffice.com

The My Retirement Plan website allows you to:

- · Obtain an estimate of your pension
- View helpful retirement planning resources
- View your Member Statement





## Purchasing prior service

You may be permitted to buy back service with a current or previous PSSP employer to increase your pension amount and/or to retire sooner.





# Planning to Retire?

One of the most important things to remember about your pension is that you must apply for it.





## Transferring from another plan?

The PSSP has reciprocal transfer agreements with pension plans of other public authorities. If you had service with one or more of these public authorities, you may be able to transfer your pensionable service from that plan to the PSSP.

For more information, visit: www.nspssp.ca

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