

If the 3% benefit had been a separate component in MSBS, there would have been an offsetting reduction in the employer benefit. The 3% benefit was incorporated to assist communication of the total superannuation benefit.

What happens if there are subsequent rounds of the 3% benefit?

There are no plans at this stage to extend award based superannuation. You will be kept informed of progress should there be any change.

How will I know what my 3% benefit is worth?

Each year members of the DFRDB Scheme and the MSBS will receive a report which will show the amount of the 3% benefit and the interest it has earned.

This leaflet has been prepared by the Military Superannuation and Benefits Scheme (MSBS) Implementation Team to provide you with information on the 3% benefit. The leaflet is not a substitute for the legislation, or matters requiring specific interpretation of the legislation.

Further information may be obtained from the MSBS Implementation Team on 008 020 555 or by writing to:

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The graphic features the word 'THE' in a serif font at the top. Below it is a large, stylized '3' with a percentage sign to its right. Underneath this is the word 'BENEFIT' in a bold, serif font. At the bottom of the graphic is the MSBS logo, which consists of the letters 'MSBS' in a bold, sans-serif font with horizontal lines through them, and the full name 'MILITARY SUPERANNUATION AND BENEFITS SCHEME' in a smaller font below.

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