

Accounting and Financial Reporting

E-learning: Navigating the accounting for the abolition of the MPF-LSP offsetting mechanism and related subsidy scheme

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS:

In June 2022, the Government of the HKSAR gazetted the Employment and Retirement Schemes Legislation (Offsetting Arrangement) (Amendment) Ordinance 2022 to abolish the Mandatory Provident Fund (MPF)-Long Service Payment (LSP) and Severance Payment (SP) offsetting mechanism (the Abolition). The Abolition took effect on 1 May 2025 with subsidy scheme for the post-transition portion of LSP/SP payable by employers (LSP Subsidy).

Long service payment is one of the commonly seen post-employment benefit arrangements, and the application of projected unit credit method under HKAS 19 *Employee Benefits* for such post-employment benefits is complicated. This e-learning will provide an overview of the abolition of the MPF-LSP offsetting mechanism in Hong Kong, explain how the Abolition and the LSP Subsidy should be accounted for, and walk through practical examples with accounting entries. It will also cover practical considerations and common application issues on this topic.

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Navigating the accounting for the abolition of the MPF-LSP offsetting mechanism and related subsidy scheme (ESEMETLS251126L01)	26 November 2025 (Archives webinar)	Cantonese with English handout and terminology	1.5 CPD hours (subject to the actual attendance)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$280 (HKICPA member or student / International Affiliate (IA)) • \$500 (non-member)

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