



SSAS TAKEOVER

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Thank you very much for your interest in SSAS Practitioner.com and for considering us to takeover and administer your scheme.

SSAS PRACTITIONER.COM

SSAS Practitioner.com Limited is a well-established company that was formed in reaction to the high charges implements by other SSAS providers.

SSAS Practitioner.com specialises in the design and management of SSASs for the benefit of members and their companies. We offer a wealth of experience in the pensions industry, particularly in SSAS provision and general pension planning.

Our service comprises management of your SSAS and general advice. We offer impartial comments on the suitability of particular investments and make you aware of other issues that are not always considered by investment advisers. We do not offer investment advice and we concentrate principally on running your scheme. We feel this approach works best for the provision of a simple, efficient and cost- effective SSAS that maximises the value of your pension fund.

We ensure that all tax relief is received, and that the scheme is kept tax-exempt and managed within HMRC regulations. As your practitioner we are liable for any data submitted to HMRC on behalf of the scheme. All investments are registered in the names of the member trustees.

You can view online information regarding your SSAS at SSAS Practitioner.com's website (www.ssaspractitioner.com), where you can also access your latest scheme valuation and lots of other relevant information.



THE TAKE-OVER PROCESS

The take-over process is very straightforward:

- We obtain a copy of the current trust deed and rules, together with a list of the scheme's investments, from your current provider.
- We prepare a deed of removal for the scheme, effectively removing the former pensioner trustee and vesting all powers in the hands of the member trustees.
- The new deed is signed by the member trustees and we issue copies to all the investment providers.
- On return of the deed, we notify the changes to the relevant banks, investment companies, HMRC, the ICO and the Pensions Regulator (where applicable).
- We ensure all of the investments in the scheme are updated so that only the member trustees are listed as holders, not the previous pensioner trustees. This will ensure maximum efficiency when buying and selling investments in the scheme, and provides you with more control over your scheme. So, although we will always need to be consulted prior to any investment transactions, in order to confirm that they are allowed by HMRC, we will not need to sign for those transactions.
- The time taken to complete the take-over and to re-register the SSAS in the names of the member trustees usually takes about four weeks from the date of our appointment to completion.



Following the anniversary date of your scheme, we provide a full annual report and scheme valuation. These contain:

- Information on proposed or effected legislative changes to pensions that may affect the scheme.
- A valuation of the assets and their distribution between the various members.
- Any documentation to be signed by the trustees.

You may wish to check with your current administrator if any exit fees will be applied when you move your SSAS to SSAS Practitioner.com. Unfortunately, some companies charge an exit fee - another example of excessive fees eating into your retirement funds. SSAS Practitioner.com charges no exit fee. We will refund your annual fee pro-rata, and will co- operate fully if you wish to move your scheme away from us, but we firmly believe that you will have no reason to do so.





FEES

Our management fees are £1,895 + VAT per annum per scheme (for up to four members), irrespective of size and contributions. There is no charge for taking over the scheme. There are no hidden charges. Compare that with other SSAS providers via our website - here.

Our annual fee includes comprehensive management of the scheme during the scheme year (as described above), together with filing the annual scheme return to HMRC and the Pensions Regulator, plus any other required event reports. The fee also includes payment of the annual Pensions Regulator and Data Protection fees (where applicable).

We request that at the year-end you provide us with copies of all bank statements and any investments made, so that we may prepare the annual pension scheme returns. We do not complete the scheme accounts but, should you require this to be done, we can advise on suitable accountants.

If you wish to transfer your SSAS to us please complete the relevant forms on the website, which can be found on our 'Downloads' page - here, and return them by email to info@ssaspractitioner.com, or if you prefer, by post to:

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For further details and information, please see our website, www.ssaspractitioner.com, or feel free to contact us directly on Freephone 0800 112 3750.



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