

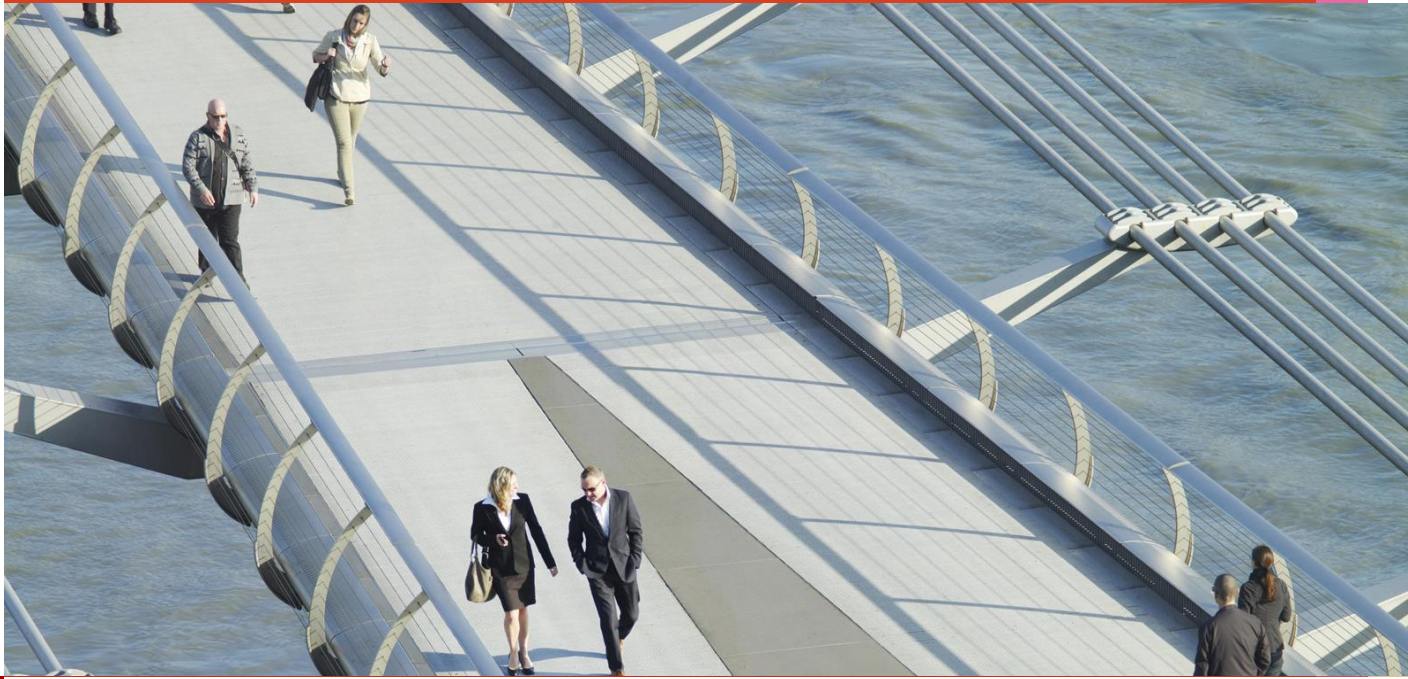
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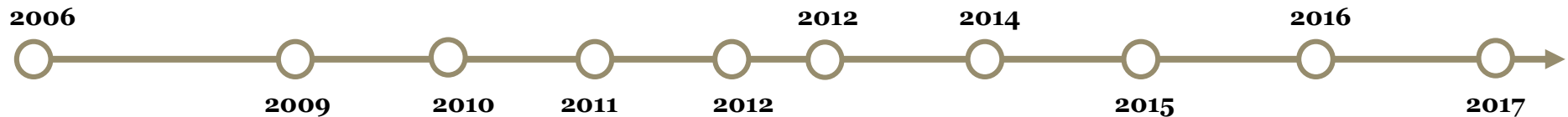
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A decade of change



Annual Allowance reduces from
£255k to **£10k** for higher earners

Auto-enrolment introduced for employers

Introduction of the **Money
Purchase Annual allowance**

**Freedom
and choice**



Lifetime Allowance introduced on A-day
initially rises and then falls to **£1.0m**

 **Lifetime ISA
launched**



**£500 Pensions
Advice Allowance**

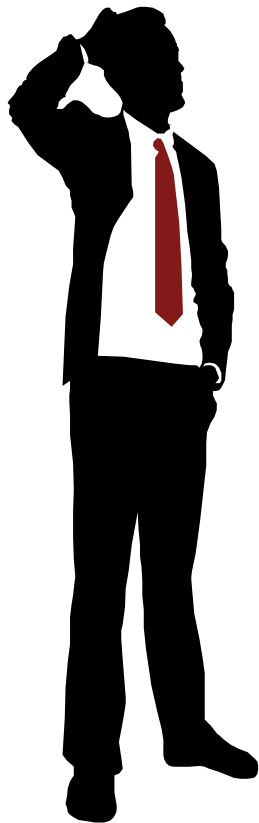
Automatic Enrolment Challenges



- Over 8 million employees
- Over 1/2 million employers
- TPR spot checks:
 - Manchester
 - Sheffield
 - Birmingham
 - Glasgow
- Penalties and prosecutions
(www.tpr.gov.uk/fines)

Automatic Enrolment

Default funds



Freedom and choice



LTA and AA

From 6 April 2016 the Lifetime Allowance fell to £1 million and the Annual Allowance was reduced for people with income over £150,000.

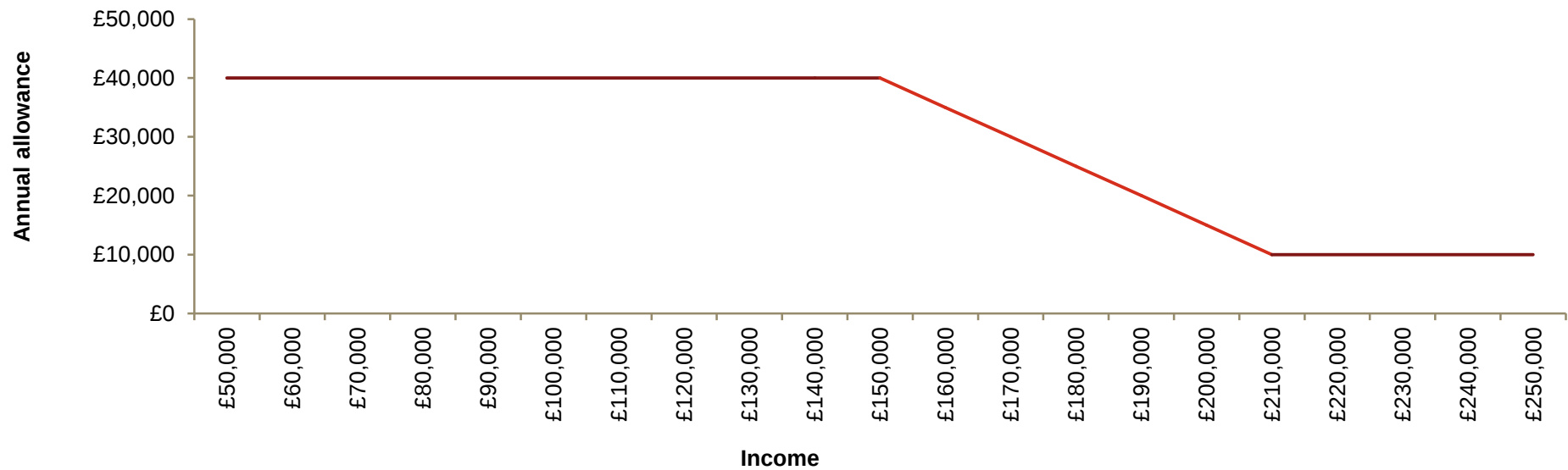
**AA reduction for
higher earners**

**Reduction is
tapered**

**Income not
earnings**

Applies in tax year

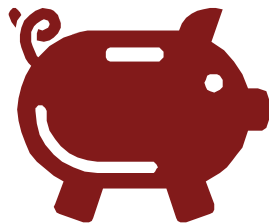
How the annual allowance depends on income



Lifetime ISA

Eligibility

- Available for individuals aged under 40 (and over 18).
- Each year until age 50, individuals will then be able to pay up to £4,000 into the LISA.
- Overall ISA allowance is now £20,000.
- LISA cannot be used for auto enrolment purposes.



Bonus and withdrawal

- For each £4 paid in, savers will receive a £1 government match.
- Savers can draw on the fund tax-free before age 60 to purchase a first property costing no more than £450,000.
- Unused funds can be withdrawn tax-free after age 60 for any purpose.
- 25% penalty on early withdrawal

2017/18 and beyond...

Money Purchase Annual Allowance reduced from **£10k** to **£4k** from April 2017

Auto-enrolment increase to minimum contributions



State Pension Age
65, 66, 67, 68, 69?, 70?,75?



Pensions dashboard available from 2019

Questions?

