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### **Pensions Electronic Reporting System**

The Superintendent of Pensions introduced a web-based electronic filing system in September 2009 for Annual Pension Reports to enhance filing procedures for pension plan administrators and service providers.

### **Enhancements effective January 27, 2014**

Effective January 27, 2014, we are introducing enhancements to the web-based application for filing annual pension reports. The objective of these enhancements is to improve the quality of the data reported to the Superintendent. To achieve this objective, administrators will be required to validate their data before submitting it to our office. Where administrators are unable to provide us with the data requested, they will be required to provide us with a reason why they are unable to supply us with this information.

The application will provide administrators with easier access to the User Guide when they need an explanation or direction. Users will not be required to open a new window to access the User Guide. They just need to click the help icon (?) at the top of any page in the application.

We have provided more detail of the enhancements in separate communication sent directly to all plan administrators. The User Guide will also provide more information and explanation of the enhancements. Please follow the link below to access the application and User Guide.

<https://fic-efile.gov.bc.ca>

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