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The Editor TODAY

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Dear Editor,

I refer to your article "No go for CPF reversal bid" in TODAY (8 May 07).

The second paragraph stated "In doing so, the Court of Appeal upheld the High Court's earlier ruling that state pension was an entitlement and not an absolute right for civil servants, and that the 1973 option was legally binding".

The above sentence summarises the ruling inaccurately. The earlier ruling was that state pension was **not** an entitlement.

We would appreciate it if you could run a correction in your newspapers as soon as possible to reflect the true situation.

Thank you.

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