

Pension Fund Committee

Date Thursday 3 March 2016

Time 10.00 am

Venue Committee Room 2, County Hall, Durham

Business

Part A

- 1. Apologies for Absence
- 2. Declarations of interest (if any)
- 3. The Minutes of the Meeting held on 15 December 2015 (Pages 1 6)
- 4. Graphs showing recent movements of the Stock and Share Indices (Pages 7 26)
- 5. Graphs showing recent movements of the major currencies against sterling (Pages 27 32)
- 6. Overall Value of Pension Fund Investments to 31 December 2015 (Pages 33 38)
- 7. Short Term Investments for the Period Ended 31 December 2015 (Pages 39 40)
- 8. Investment of the Pension Fund's Cash Balances (Pages 41 44)
- 9. Pension Fund Policy Documents Funding Strategy Statement and Statement of Investment Principles (Pages 45 100)
- Agreement of Accounting Policies for Application in the 2015/2016 Financial Statements of the Pension Fund (Pages 101 - 108)
- 11. Terms of Reference Annual Review (Pages 109 116)
- 12. Local Government Pension Scheme Investment Regulations (Pages 117 122)

- 13. Local Government Pension Scheme: Pooling Update (Pages 123 142)
- 14. Procurement of Professional Services (Pages 143 146)
- 15. Internal Audit Plan 2016/2017 (Pages 147 148)
- 16. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the Meeting is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration
- 17. Any resolution relating to the exclusion of the public during the discussion of items containing exempt information

Part B

Items during which it is considered the meeting will not be open to the public (consideration of exempt or confidential information)

- 18. The Minutes of the Meeting held on 15 December 2015 (Pages 149 156)
- 19. Report of the Pension Fund Adviser (Pages 157 160)
- 20. Report of BNY Mellon Investment Management (Pages 161 170)
- 21. Report of Aberdeen Asset Management (Pages 171 196)
- 22. Report of Mondrian Investment Partners (Pages 197 226)
- 23. Report of AB (Pages 227 232)
- 24. Report of CBRE Global Investment Partners (Pages 233 240)
- 25. Report of Royal London Asset Management (Pages 241 296)
- 26. Report of BlackRock (Pages 297 312)
- 27. Capital North East No.1 Limited Partnership (Pages 313 316)
- 28. Such other business as, in the opinion of the Chairman of the meeting, is of sufficient urgency to warrant consideration

Colette Longbottom

Head of Legal and Democratic Services

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County Council Members:

Councillors A Turner, W Stelling, J Alvey, C Carr, M Davinson, I Geldard, B Kellett, J Lethbridge, N Martin, J Shuttleworth and H Smith

Darlington Borough Council Members

Councillor S Harker Councillor I G Haszeldine

Scheduled Bodies Representative

(vacant)

Admitted Bodies Representative:

J Norton

Pensioner Representative

D Ford

Active Members Representative

(vacant)

Further Education Colleges Representative

(vacancy)

Advisers: County Council Officers

Corporate Director G Garlick Resources D McLure

Head of Legal and

Democratic Services C Longbottom

Strategic Finance

Manager – Corporate H Appleton

Finance

Independent Advisers

P Williams - P J Williams R Bowker - P-Solve D Banks - P-Solve

Investment Managers

BNY Mellon Investment Management Aberdeen Asset Management Mondrian Investment Partners

AB

CBRE Global Investment Partners Royal London Asset Management BlackRock

Staff Observers

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