

South Tyneside Council

Local Pension Board

Date: 4th July 2019

Items Brought Forward and Future Agenda Items (for information and read only)

Report of the Head of Legal Services

Purpose of Report

- 1. This report sets out matters brought forward from earlier periods where action is required by the Local Pension Board.
- 2. The Local Pension Board is asked
 - · to provide feedback where required
 - to note the report.

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Priority Ranking – Low = Done or ongoing monitoring, Medium = Request outstanding, High = Problem identified and action needed

No.	Item	Date Raised	Target Date/Priority	Status
1.	Code of Practice 14 (COP 14)	July 2018	October 2019 Low Priority	The Local Board received a report on COP 14 in July 2018 and a follow on report in October 2018. The follow on report to the LPB contained details of the recommendations and the proposed action from an internal audit report on this subject. It has been agreed that this will now be the subject to an annual report, with the next one due in October 2019.

2.	Business Continuity and Disaster Recovery	March 2018	October 2019 Medium Priority	The Local Pension Board has requested a report on Business Continuity and Disaster recovery. To assist the Board this was included on the Audit Programme for the year. A review of these arrangements has been completed. The outcome of the audit is contained in two other reports on the agenda. The Boards views will be requested on whether they still want the report after considering the outcome of the audit report.
3.	Review of Governance Arrangements	July 2018 and December 2018	March 2021 Medium Priority	In July 2018 a review of the governance arrangements and appointment process was requested ahead of the new appointments to the LPB in 2021. In particular this will cover the appointment of the Chair. In December 2018, a future review of the Terms of reference for the Local Pension Board was also requested, once the workload and remit had bedded in

4.	Data Quality	October 2018	December 2019	A report on Data Quality was presented to the Local Pension Board in October 2018. It was agreed that a further update report containing the Fund's data scores would be presented to the meeting in December, along with an action plan on how to improve the scores going forward.
			Low Priority	The intention is that the Local Pension Board will receive an annual report on this subject. The next annual update will be December 2019.

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The following is a list of the background papers (excluding exempt papers) relied upon in the preparation of the above report:

Background Papers	File Ref:	File Location
Previous reports and minutes	N/a	Head of Pensions Office, South Shields Town Hall