

Local Pension Board

Date: 21st December 2022

Items Brought Forward (for information and discussion)

Report of the Head of Pensions

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.

Contact Officer:

Items Brought Forward and Future Agenda Items Position as at December 2022

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.	The Pensions Regulator's Single Modular Code	December 2021	March 2023 Low Priority	As part of the Annual Review of Code of Practice 14 (COP14), it was noted that the Pensions Regulator is looking to introduce a new single modular code. A discussion was held on the timing of the 2022 COP14 review at the meeting in October 2022. It was agreed that this should take place in the 2022/23 financial year and an approach to this work was discussed and agreed. This work has commenced and the outcome of the review will be presented to the Local Pension Board in March 2023.

2.	Employer Engagement Strategy	December 2021	Ongoing Low Priority	It was noted that the Service Plan for 2022/23 includes the development of an Employer Engagement Strategy. Once developed the Board has asked to see this.
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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