



South Tyneside Council

Local Pension Board

Date: 20th October 2023

Items Brought Forward (for information and read only)

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.

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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.	Employer Engagement Strategy	December 2021	December 2023 Low Priority	<p>It was noted that the Service Plan for 2022/23 included the development of an Employer Engagement Strategy. The Board has asked to see this.</p> <p>Work on the Employer Engagement Strategy is well progressed, and it is expected that this will come to the Board meeting in December.</p>
2.	Barriers to being a Committee / Board member to be considered	December 2022	March 2024 Low Priority	<p>A discussion was held on membership of the Board and Committee during an agenda item on equality, diversity and inclusion. This included a conversation around barriers to being a Committee / Board member.</p> <p>This feedback has been taken on board and an engagement workshop will take place with Committee / Board members at the off-site training event in February 2024.</p>

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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