

Report to Local Pension Board

19 April 2016

Agenda Item: 8

REPORT OF CORPORATE DIRECTOR, RESOURCES

PENSION BOARD TRAINING

Purpose of the Report

1. To advise Board members of training opportunities to enable them to carry out their role.

Information and Advice

- 2. The attached paper on training has been prepared by the Board's advisor, John Raisin Financial Services Ltd, to assist Board members perform their role.
- 3. The paper refers to the core knowledge and skills identified by CIPFA (Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy), the Pension Regulator's on-line Public Service Toolkit, and other local and national training opportunities.
- 4. The paper suggests topics to be covered at the training sessions which will precede meetings of the Board.

Other Options Considered

5. Not applicable.

Reason/s for Recommendation/s

6. To assist the Board to comply with the requirements to have knowledge and understanding of pensions law and regulations.

Statutory and Policy Implications

7. This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of crime and disorder, finance, human resources, human rights, the NHS Constitution (public health services), the public sector equality duty, safeguarding of children and adults at risk, service users, sustainability and the environment and ways of working and where such implications are material they are described below. Appropriate consultation has been undertaken and advice sought on these issues as required.

RECOMMENDATION/S

That the Board

- 1) consider the paper from the Board's Advisor
- 2) agree the training proposals contained in the paper

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Constitutional Comments (KK 31/03/16)

8. The proposals in this report are within the remit of the Nottinghamshire Local Pension Board.

Financial Comments (SRC 31/03/16)

9. There are no direct financial implications arising from this report. Any costs associated with the operation of the Pension Board would be a legitimate charge to the Fund in accordance with governing regulations.

Background Papers and Published Documents

Except for previously published documents, which will be available elsewhere, the documents listed here will be available for inspection in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972.

None

Electoral Division(s) and Member(s) Affected

All