



meeting **PENSIONS COMMITTEE**

date **15th OCTOBER 2004**

agenda item number

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF RESOURCES

LOCAL GOVERNMENT PENSION SCHEME AMENDMENT REGULATIONS 2004

REVISION TO THE INTERNAL DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCEDURE

1. Purpose

- 1.1 To recommend the adoption of the proposed new arrangements to administer the Internal Dispute Resolution Procedure further to changes to the Local Government Pension Scheme Regulations.

2. Information and Advice

- 2.1 The Pensions Administration Sub-Committee considered the attached report at its meeting on 21st May 2004. They agreed to support the proposed arrangements.

3. Statutory and Policy Implications

- 3.1 This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of finance, equal opportunities, personnel and crime and disorder. Where such implications are material they have been described in the text of the report.

4. Recommendation

- 4.1 That the Pensions Committee endorses the adoption of the proposed new arrangements to administer the Internal Dispute Resolution Procedure.

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Director of Resources

Personnel Implications

None.

Equal Opportunities Implications

There are no equal opportunities implications arising from the recommendation in the report.

Crime and Disorder Implications

None.

Background papers available for inspection

None