

Lancashire Local Pension Board

Meeting to be held on Tuesday, 15 October 2019

Electoral Division affected: (All Divisions);
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Lancashire County Pension Fund Communications Policy

(Appendix 'A' refers)

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Executive Summary

This report contains a final draft communications policy which the Lancashire County Pension Fund is required to produce under the terms of the Local Government Pension Scheme Regulations. A final version of the policy will be taken to the Pensions Fund Committee in November for approval.

Recommendation

The Board are asked to review and comment on the wording of the draft communication policy set out at Appendix 'A'.

Background and Advice

Regulation 61 of the Local Government Pension Scheme Regulations 2013 requires each Local Government Pension Scheme administering authority to produce and publish a policy statement describing how it communicates with its stakeholders.

The Lancashire County Pension Fund's previous policy statement was published in 2014 and has been reviewed to reflect the developments since then in relation to the Fund's approach to communicating with its stakeholders, and the working relationship it now holds with the Local Pensions Partnership.

The draft version of the proposed communications policy attached at Appendix 'A' differs from the previous draft policy presented to the Board at its last meeting in July. The principal change is the incorporation of the communication programme which sets out the format, frequency and method of distribution of information to the Fund's stakeholders.

Consultations

N/A

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

Risk management

No significant risks have been identified

**Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985
List of Background Papers**

Paper	Date	Contact/Tel
N/A		

Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate

N/A