

AGENDA

Meeting: Investment Sub-Committee

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Date: Thursday 25 February 2021

Time: 10.00 am

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Cllr Pauline Church (Vice-Chairman) Cllr Robert Jandy Cllr Tony Deane (Chairman) Cllr Gordon King

Substitutes:

Cllr Derek Brown OBE Cllr Bob Jones MBE

Cllr Matthew Dean Cllr Fleur de Rhé-Philipe MBE

Cllr Sarah Gibson Cllr Ian Thorn
Cllr Gavin Grant Cllr Brian Ford

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Part 1

Items to be considered when the meeting is open to the public

1 Membership

To note any changes to the membership of the Sub-Committee.

2 Apologies

To receive any apologies for absence or substitutions for the meeting.

3 **Minutes** (Pages 7 - 10)

To approve and sign as a true and correct record the Part I (public) minutes of the previous meeting held on 2 December 2020.

4 Declarations of Interest

To receive any declarations of disclosable interests or dispensations granted by the Standards Committee.

5 Chairman's Announcements

To receive any announcements through the Chairman.

6 Public Participation and Councillor Questions

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Statements

Members of the public who wish to submit a statement in relation to an item on this agenda should submit this is electronically to the officer named on this agenda no later than 5pm on **Tuesday 23 February 2021**.

Statements should:

- State whom the statement is from (including if representing another person or organisation)
- Clearly state the key points
- If read aloud, be readable in approximately 3 minutes

Up to three speakers are allowed for each item on the agenda.

Questions

Those wishing to ask questions are required to give notice of any such questions electronically to the officer named on the front of this agenda no later than 5pm on Thursday 18 February 2021 in order to be guaranteed of a written response. In order to receive a verbal response questions must be submitted no later than 5pm on Monday 22 February 2021.

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7 Investment Strategy Statement Review (Pages 11 - 50)

To receive a report that explains the process in place to update the Investment Strategy Statement for consideration and approval.

8 Responsible Investment Quarterly Update (Pages 51 - 94)

To receive a report updating members on responsible investment issues.

9 Date of Next Meeting

The next ordinary meeting of the Investment Sub-Committee will be held on 10 June 2021.

10 Urgent Items

Any other items of business which, in the opinion of the Chairman, should be considered as a matter of urgency. Urgent items of a confidential nature may be considered under Part II of this agenda.

11 Exclusion of the Public

To consider passing the following resolution:

To agree that in accordance with Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 to exclude the public from the meeting for the business specified in Item Numbers 12 – 16 because it is likely that if members of the public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information as defined in paragraphs 3 of Part I of Schedule 12A to the Act and the public interest in withholding the information outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information to the public.

Part 2

Items during consideration of which it is recommended that the public should be excluded because of the likelihood that exempt information would be disclosed.

12 Presentation from Partners Group

To consider a presentation from Partners Group.

13 **Presentation from Brunel**

To consider a presentation from Brunel.

14 Investment Quarterly Progress Report (Pages 95 - 116)

To receive a report in relation to the Fund's investment performance to 31 December 2020.

15 **Sustainable Equities** (Pages 117 - 130)

To receive a report providing members with information regarding Brunel's Sustainable Equities portfolio.

16 **Minutes** (Pages 131 - 138)

To approve and sign as a true and correct record the Part II (private) minutes of the previous meeting held on 2 December 2020.