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### **Pensions Panel**

Tuesday, 4 March 2014 **9.30 am** Ivanovo Room - County Buildings

> John Tradewell Director of Democracy, Law and Transformation 24 February 2014

## AGENDA

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Declarations of Interest
- 3. Minutes of meeting held on 3 December 2013 (Pages 1 4)
- 4. Pension Fund Performance and Portfolio of Investments as at 31 December 2013 (Pages 5 28)

Report of the Director of Finance and Resources

5. **Approved Investment Strategy for Pension Fund Cash 2013/14** (Pages 29 - 36)

Report of the Director of Finance and Resources

6. **Dates of Future Meetings** 

20 May 2014 15 July 2014 (Managers' day) 9 September 2014 2 December 2014 3 March 2015

All meetings are scheduled to start at 9.30am at County Buildings, Stafford



#### 7. Exclusion of the Public

The Chairman to move:-

'That the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business which involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) indicated below'.

#### **PART TWO**

(All reports in this section are on pink paper)

- 8. Exempt Minutes of the Meeting held on 3 December 2013 (exemption paragraph 3) (Pages 37 42)
- 9. Property-Confirmation of the action of the Director of Finance and Resources (Exemption Paragraph 3) (Pages 43 48)

Report of the Director of Finance and Resources

10. Private Equity - Review of Position as at 31 December 2013 (exemption paragraph 3) (Pages 49 - 50)

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11. Corporate Governance and Socially Responsible Investment Report Quarter 4 2013 (exemption paragraph 3) (Pages 51 - 68)

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- 12. Strategic Benchmark Review and Monitoring (Exemption Paragraph 3)
  - a) Economic and Market Update (Pages 69 74)

Presentation by Hymans Robertson

b) Review of Position as at 31 December 2013 (Pages 75 - 78)

Report of the Director of Finance and Resources

(Report of Record Currency Management for the month ended 31 December 2013 enclosed for information)

13. Collective Investment Funds (exemption paragraph 3) (Pages 79 - 86)

Presentation by Hymans Robertson

14. Pension Fund Performance and Manager Monitoring for the quarter ended 31 December 2013 (exemption paragraph 3) (Pages 87 - 144)

(Report of Portfolio Evaluation for the quarter ended 31 December 2013 enclosed for information)

# 15. Manager Presentation (exemption paragraph 3)

To receive a presentation from Aberdeen Asset Management on one of the Fund's Global Equity portfolios

(Report of Aberdeen Asset Management for the quarter ended 31 December 2013 enclosed for information)

## 16. Manager Presentation (exemption paragraph 3) (Pages 145 - 160)

To receive a presentation by Goldman Sachs Asset Management on the Fund's Hedge Fund portfolio.

(Report of Goldman Sachs Asset Management for the quarter ended 31 December 2013 enclosed for information)

# Membership

Philip Atkins (Chairman)

Mike Lawrence
Carolan Dobson

Graeme Johnston

David Thomas
Stephen Sweeney
Derek Davis, OBE
Shelagh McKiernan

