

DYFED PENSION FUND COMMITTEE

DATE 21/09/2017

Breaches Report

RECOMMENDATIONS / KEY DECISIONS REQUIRED:

To note any breaches that have occurred in the Dyfed Pension Fund

REASONS:

In accordance with the Dyfed Pension Fund Breaches Policy

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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BRIEF SUMMARY OF PURPOSE OF REPORT

Introduction

Section 70 of the Pension Act 2004 sets out the legal duty to report breaches of the law. In the Code of Practice no 14, published by the Pensions Regulator in April 2015, paragraphs 241 to 275 provides guidance on reporting these breaches. The Dyfed Pension Fund Breaches Policy was approved by the Dyfed Pension Fund Panel in March 2016.

Under the policy, breaches of the law are required to reported to the Pensions Regulator where there is a reasonable cause to believe that:

- a legal duty which is relevant to the administration of the scheme has not been, or is not being, complied with
- the failure to comply is likely to be of material significance to the regulator in the exercise of any of its functions.

The up to date breaches report is attached. Since the last Panel meeting, there have been a number of instances where employee/employer contributions have not been received on time however all contribution payments are now up to date and no report has been sent to the Pensions Regulator.

DETAILED REPORT ATTACHED?

YES

IMPLICATIONS

Policy, Crime & Disorder and Equalities NONE	Legal NONE	Finance NONE	Risk Management Issues NONE	Staffing Implications NONE
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Section 100D Local Government Act, 1972 – Access to Information List of Background Papers used in the preparation of this report: THESE ARE DETAILED BELOW

Title of Document	File Ref No.	Locations that the papers are available for public inspection/WEBSITE LINK