

# Brent Pension Fund Sub-Committee

## **Tuesday, 23 February 2010 at 6.30 pm** Committee Room 4, Brent Town Hall, Forty Lane, Wembley, HA9 9HD

### Membership:

Members Councillors:

Crane (Chair) HB Patel (Vice-Chair) Mrs Bacchus D Brown Detre Hashmi CJ Patel **first alternates** Councillors:

Van Kalwala Baker Beswick Wharton HM Patel Dunn Pagnamenta Second alternates Councillors:

John Mistry Butt Castle Colwill Bessong Green

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## Agenda

Introductions, if appropriate.

Apologies for absence and clarification of alternate members

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#### **1** Declarations of personal and prejudicial interests

Members are invited to declare at this stage of the meeting, any relevant financial or other interest in the items on this agenda.

#### 2 Minutes of the previous meeting held on 24 November 2009 1 - 4

3 Matters Arising

#### 4 Deputations (if any)

#### 5 Report from AllianceBernstein Ltd.

Anthony Bor and Doug Stewart (our new client Director replacing George Blunden) will attend for this item.

The report from AllianceBernstein has been produced separately and sent to members only. A spare set is available for inspection on request. For further information please contact the Democratic Services Officer.

#### 6 Report from Mellon Global Investors

Jonathan Lubran, Tom Salopek and Martin Campbell will attend for this item.

#### 7 Audit Commission - Outline of 2009/10 audit of the Pension Fund 5 - 20

This report sets out an outline of work to be undertaken by the Audit Commission as part of the 2009/10 audit of the Pension Fund. A representative from the Audit Commission Paul Viljoen will attend the meeting.

#### 8 Monitoring report on fund activity for the quarter ended 31 21 - 40 December 2009

This report provides a summary of fund activity during the quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 2009. It examines the actions taken, the economic and market background and investment performance and provides comments

on events in the quarter.

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#### 9 Henderson Global Investors - Proposals to change UK Gilt 41 - 44 Benchmark

This report examines the UK government gilt benchmark used by Henderson Global Investors (HGI).

#### **10** European Witholding Tax - Appointment of KPMG

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This report details work commissioned to reclaim additional European withholding tax from various states.

#### 11 Any other urgent business

#### 12 Date of next meeting

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