Report for: Pensions Committee and Board 21 November 2017

Item number: 13

Title: Local Authority Pension Fund Forum (LAPFF) Voting Update

Report

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Ward(s) affected: N/A

Report for Key/

Non Key Decision: Non Key decision

1. Describe the issue under consideration

1.1. The Fund is a member of the LAPFF and the Committee and Board has previously agreed that the Fund should cast its votes at investor meetings in line with LAPFF voting recommendations. This report provides an update on voting activities on behalf of the Fund.

2. Cabinet Member Introduction

2.1. Not applicable.

3. Recommendations

3.1. That the Committee note this report.

4. Reason for Decision

4.1. None.

5. Other options considered

5.1. None.

6. Background information



6.1. The voting alert received from LAPFF and outcome of votes is detailed below.

Company	Description	AGM Date	LAPFF Recommendation For/Oppose	LGIM Vote For/Oppose	AGM Vote outcome and overall Percentage of votes
Sports Direct	Re-election of the				
	Chairman	06/09/2017	Oppose	Oppose	For (80%)

7. Contribution to Strategic Outcomes

- 7.1. None.
- 8. Statutory Officers comments (Chief Finance Officer (including procurement), Assistant Director of Corporate Governance, Equalities)

Finance and Procurement

8.1. There are no further finance or procurement comments arising from this report.

Legal

8.2. The Assistant Director of Governance was consulted on the content of this report. There are no legal issues directly arising from this report.

Equalities

8.3. There are no equalities issues arising from this report.

9. Use of Appendices

9.1. None

10. Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

10.1. Not applicable.

