SOUTH YORKSHIRE PENSIONS AUTHORITY

11 June 2015: Annual Meeting

Report of the Clerk

QUESTIONS IN MEETINGS OF THE DISTRICT COUNCILS

1. Purpose of the Report

To consider the appointment of representatives of the Authority to answer questions raised in meetings of the District Councils and to feedback District Council pensions issues at each meeting of the Pensions Authority.

2. Recommendations

Members are recommended to consider the Section 41 appointments.

3. <u>Information</u>

- 3.1 Section 41 of the Local Government Act 1985, requires arrangements be made for questions to be raised at District Council meetings and for the Authority to nominate Members to answer them.
- 3.2 In addition the Authority has agreed that the Section 41 Members should be responsible for reporting back District Council pensions issues into each Pensions Authority.
- 3.3 The current appointments and substitutes are as shown below:

Council	Spokesperson	Substitute
Barnsley MBC	Councillor R Wraith	Councillor M Stowe
Doncaster MBC	Councillor K Rodgers	Councillor E Butler
Rotherham MBC	Vacancy	Councillor S Ellis
Sheffield CC	Councillor B Lodge	Vacancy

4. Implications

There are no legal, financial or diversity implications.

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Background papers: None.