City of London Corporation Committee Report

Committee(s):	Dated:
Police Pensions Board	15 October 2025
Subject:	Public report:
Police Pension Scheme Breaches of Law Policy	For Decision
This proposal:	
 provides statutory duties 	
 provides business enabling functions 	
Does this proposal require extra revenue and/or capital spending?	No
If so, how much?	£N/A
What is the source of Funding?	N/A
Has this Funding Source been agreed with the Chamberlain's Department?	N/A
Report of:	The Chamberlain
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Summary

In April 2018, Members of the Police Pensions Board approved the Reporting Breaches of Law Policy connected to Public Service Pension Schemes.

This policy applies to both the Local Government and Police Pension Schemes and has been approved by the Local Government Pension Scheme Committee .

Recommendation

Members are asked to approve the Reporting Breaches of the Law policy.

Main Report

Background

- The Policy applies to both the Local Government Pension Scheme and the Police Pensions Scheme and was approved by the Local Government Pensions Board and the Police Pensions Board in April 2018 (prior to the formation of the Pensions Committee). The Policy should be reviewed every three years, it was last reviewed by Officers in 2022.
- 2. The Policy which can be found at Appendix A, sets out the protocol and procedure for recording and reporting breaches of the law connected to the Public Service Pension Schemes for whom it is Scheme Manager. It describes who has a legal requirement to report breaches, to whom and how they should report and provides processes to follow to assess and consider suspected breaches to ensure that they are reported appropriately. It takes account of tPR's guidance and information issued in the Code of Practice 14 (now replaced by tPR's General Code of Practice) and their Public

Service Toolkit. Where updates to the policy have been made due to the new General Code of Practice, these have been highlighted in yellow.

Conclusion

3. The 'Reporting Breaches of Law' policy sets out the protocol and procedure for recording and reporting breaches of the law connected to the Public Service Pension Schemes for whom it is Scheme Manager. The policy should be reviewed every three years to ensure that it is kept up to date and will next be reviewed in 2028.

Appendices

Appendix A – Reporting Breaches of Law Policy

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