

Judicial Pension Board

Key issues discussed at the meeting held on 18th April 2018.

Administration

The Board reviewed the following papers:

- Stewardship report from the MoJ Head of Pensions
- Punter Southall quarterly administration report for the period ending March 2018

The Board were informed of revisions to the Judicial Pension Board (JPB) constitution (to reflect Member changes) and the Internal Dispute Resolution Procedure. On the subject of complaints, the Board requested more management information to be incorporated into future Punter Southall Administration Limited (PSAL) reports to identify underlying causes. The Board heard that the timeframe for issuing Judicial Pension Scheme (JPS) benefit statements had been pushed back however, subject to information to be provided by the Ministry of Justice (MOJ) to PSAL, the August 2018 deadline would be met. The Board were also advised PSAL were on track to complete automation work by the end of the Summer.

Fee Paid Judicial Pension Scheme (FPJPS)

The Board discussed outstanding fee paid data queries and an update was provided that over 1000 judges were on the pensions payroll. The Board heard that MOJ had established a steering group to provide focus to this work area and a working group to identify resource requirements.

General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR)

The Board reviewed JPS progress on implementation of GDPR including engagement of a project manager and planned actions for completion by the 25 May 2018 deadline. It was confirmed the Lord Chancellor is the data controller and the JPB is a data processor.

Date of next meeting: 23rd October 2018.