



Investment Committee Agenda Item 8a

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Item Name: Federal Investment Policy Representative Update

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Executive Summary

The California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) Federal Investments Policy Representative, K&L Gates, is providing a written and oral federal legislative update covering recent developments on issues of interest to CalPERS and related activities.

Strategic Plan

This agenda item supports Goal C of the 2012-17 Strategic Plan, because the Investments Representative is a key component in CalPERS ability to engage in national policy development to enhance the long-term sustainability and effectiveness of our programs.

Background

K&L Gates provides consultation and representation to CalPERS on any federal proposal potentially impacting CalPERS investments and corporate governance programs. This includes assisting in the development and implementation of strategies to accomplish CalPERS priorities. This written report covers the latest developments in Washington, D.C. on issues of interest to CalPERS.

Budget and Fiscal Impacts

Not Applicable.

Benefits and Risks

Not Applicable.

Attachments

Attachment 1 – K&L Gates February 2016 Report

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