Item Name: Federal Investment Policy Representative Update

Program: Legislation

Item Type: Information Consent

Executive Summary
The California Public Employees’ Retirement System (CalPERS) Federal Investments Policy Representative, K&L Gates, is providing a written 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 relevant 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 October 2017 Report
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