# MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

## COMMITTEE OF THE BOARD OF INVESMENTS\*

## LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION

### 300 N. LAKE AVENUE, SUITE 810, PASADENA, CA 91101

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 11, 2017

PRESENT: Shawn Kehoe, Chair

David Green, Vice Chair

Herman Santos Keith Knox

Diane Sandoval, Alternate

ABSENT: Joseph Kelly

MEMBERS AT LARGE: Michael Schneider

Valerie Villarreal

STAFF, ADVISORS, PARTICIPANTS:

Vache Mahseredjian, Interim Chief Investment Officer

Scott Zdrazil, Senior Investment Officer

Dale Johnson, Investment Officer

The Meeting was called to order by Vice Chair Green at Approximately 8:15 a.m.

#### I. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

A. Approval of the Minutes of the Corporate Governance Committee of the Board of Investments of October 12, 2016.

Ms. Sandoval made a motion, seconded by Mr. Santos, to approve the Minutes of the October 12, 2016, Special Meeting of the Corporate Governance Committee. The motion carried by unanimous vote.

#### II. ACTION ITEMS

A. None.

## III. REPORTS

A. Corporate Governance 2017 Priorities – Scott Zdrazil, Senior Investment Officer, presented a summary of data addressing corporate governance practices, possible approaches for LACERA to further develop its corporate governance program, and options for immediate next steps for LACERA's corporate governance program. Chair

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Kehoe recommended that Staff develop an approach to revise the Fund's proxy policy and calendar priorities on further program development, including program procedures.

B. Legislative and Regulatory Issues Update – Scott Zdrazil, Senior Investment Officer, briefly described prospective regulatory and legislative issues regarding corporate governance that may arise on the federal level during 2017. Chair Kehoe recommended that the Committee further review regulatory and legislative issues at a later date.

# IV. PUBLIC COMMENT

There were no requests from the public to speak.

# V. GOOD OF THE ORDER

(For Information purposes only)

There was nothing to report during the Good of the Order.

### VI. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Committee, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 9:05 a.m.

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