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- Cost of Living working group
- Monitoring Markets
- Investment Advisor Monitoring
- Investment Committee Meeting
  - Performance
  - o Private Credit
- Mercury PR
- IT
- o Systems
- Legislative Tracking
  - Class 2 implantation
- Coordination with DPB
  - o MOU
  - $\circ$  Regulation
- Legal Priorities
  - Policies and Procedures
  - Alt Investments
- Coordination with DOI
  - Common Fund E MOU
- HMFA
  - On-site
  - Go forward planning
- Ethics
- Coordination with Treasury Admin
  - o Fiscal
  - o HR
- Personnel Priorities
  - o Attorneys

# **Chief Investment Officer & Chief Financial Officer Report**

# September 9, 2024

### I. PFRSNJ Financial Update

- a. Net Assets as of August 31, 2024
  - i. Flash report as of month end \$33,528,835,722.65
- b. PFRSNJ performance flash underperformed the Policy Benchmark during the month of August, 2024
  - i. PFRSNJ Total Portfolio 1.29%
  - ii. PFRSNJ Policy Index <u>1.48%</u>
  - iii. Excess Return for June (0.19)%
- c. Securities Lending program continues to perform well
- d. Fund E discussions with DOI have been positive
  - i. Continueing conversations on hedge funds
  - ii. Fund E MOU discussions continue

### II. Year End Financials / Audit Update

- a. Finalizing all the PFRSNJ year-end financials that will be used for the State's Annual Reporting Requirements
- b. Working closely with KPMG and DPB to ensure all the required schedules are completed early
- c. Continuing work with DPB & DOI on the upcoming Auditor RFP
- III. Expenses for Approval



JAMES KOMPANY Chairman **GREGORY PETZOLD** *Executive Director* 

#### **MEMORANDUM**

- TO: James A. Kompany, PFRSNJ Chair
- CC: Gregory Petzold, PFRSNJ Executive Director
- FROM: Nels J. Lauritzen, Legal Affairs Deputy Director
- **DATE**: September 9, 2024
- SUBJECT: Legal Affairs Director's Report September 2024
  - General Counseling
    - General Counseling to Executive Director, Chief Legal Officer and Director of Board Operations
  - Benefit Administration/Board Counseling
    - o Review of Ordinary Disability and Accidental Disability Retirements
    - Designated new Office of Administrative Law matters for assignment
    - Case count: as of September 5<sup>th</sup> there were: 123 matters pending in the Office of Administrative Law, 17 matters in the Appellate Division, 3 matters pending in NJ Supreme Court and 1 matters in Federal Court.
  - Comptroller's Office
  - Case Tracking System
  - Subpoenas

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