Powys Pension Fund Breaches		Jan-24							
each No YEAR	Breach Type	Nature of Breach	Breach Description	Action	Material Significance (Y/N)	P & I Committee Notified	Pension Board Notified	TPR Notified	RAG Status
1 2018/19	Administration		Disclosure Regulations state that any deferred leaver should be notified of their deferred benefit options within two months of the fund receiving complete leaver information from the employer. Due to the backlog of casework in the fund these deadlines have not been met for a number of historic deferred members. <b>Cause:</b> The backlog has occured through the introduction of the new LGPS and the increased complexity around administration (aggregations, final salary links etc). An increase in the numbers of deferred pensioners who have left employmment through reorganisations in recent months has also had an impact. <b>Effect:</b> although a breach, it is not considered material, as the information is not critical when making future decisions. Where a deferred member reaches retirement age their calculation will be completed at that point. This is a national issue for most funds across the LGPS.	New letter produced and issued to leavers upon notification of leaving, stating their entitlements upon leaving membership of the LGPS (i.e. under 2 years = refund, over 2 years = Deferred)	Ν	Ν	Y	Ν	
		Automatic payment of refund after 5 years for post	Members have been contacted requesting bank details in order to pay refunds, however, no reply	The National Technical Group has recommended to the SAB that the regulations in respect of refunds is amended					
2 2018/19	Administration		has been received from the scheme members. Regulations require submission of contibutions from employers within statutory timescales. A	and reflects the position prior to April 2014.	Ν	Y	Y	N	
3 2023/24	Administration	Late receipt of Contributions from Employers	thorough review of the process has identified two employers who have failed to meet this staturory requirement on more than one occasion.	Employers written to and process followed as per the published Amdinistration Strategy Statement	N	Y	Y	N	