1. Investment Strategy

	Objective	Commentary	RAG	Trend
1	Funding level	• 97%. Estimated to be c.6% higher over year to 30		
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2	Investment	Behind strategic benchmark over 1 and 3 years		
	Performance			1
	Qtr return	Negative quarter of -0.1% protection assets lead detractor		Û
	1 Year return	Behind funding objective at -0.3% p.a.		Û
	3 Year return	Behind funding objective at 3.2% p.a.		⇧
	Local Impact investing	 Framework to be agreed at 15 Sept Panel meeting Panel approved initial 1% of assets to local renewable infrastructure fund at July meeting 		\iff

2. Portfolios

	Objective	Commentary	RAG	Trend
1	Brunel Listed Market portfolios	 Equity portfolio underperformance driven by quality, ESG bias, underweight large tech in Q2 23 Credit portfolios benefitting from higher yields and favourable lending conditions Portfolios benchmarked vs cash+ underperform due to higher interest rates – expected to readjust over time 		Ĵ
2	Private Markets Portfolios			
	Infrastructure (Brunel)	Performance: n/a - portfolio in build-up Capital deployment: • Cycle 1: 88% • Cycle 2: 47% • Cycle 3: 14%		\iff
	Secured Income (Brunel)	 Performance: Underperformed due to underlying movements in gilt prices causing a softening of values. Direction of travel moved to negative Portfolio still well positioned for current environment with high quality tenant base and inflation linked leases. Cycle 1: 100% Cycle 2: 100% Cycle 3: 38% 		\iff
	Private Debt (Brunel)	Performance: n/a – portfolio in build-up New Commitments: Cycle 2 fully committed		

		Capital deployment: • Cycle 2: 55% • Cycle 3: 30%	宁
	UK Property (Brunel)	 100% in Brunel preferred funds Underweight office and retail sectors / overweight industrials and alternatives Outperformed benchmark SI 	û
3	Legacy portfolios		
	IFM (infra)	£100m redeemed in 2023 (to settle Oct 2023)	\iff
	JPM Hedge Funds	n/a	\iff
	Partners (Intl Property)	Majority of funds in realisation phase. c.70% of unrealised value held in fund with 2029 contractual expiry.	\Leftrightarrow
	Schroder (UK Property)	 Single closed end debt fund (£12m) due to expire in 2025 	\iff

3. Responsible investing

	Objective	Commentary	RAG	Trend	
1	Climate change tar	Climate change targets			
	43% reduction in absolute emissions by 2025	 Remains on track despite increase in carbon footprint for Dec-2022 Benefit of switch of entire passive equity allocation to Paris-aligned strategy yet to feed through 			
	30% of total assets in sustainable and Paris-aligned investments by 2025			\iff	
2	Equity fund held in Risk Management QIF	Switch to Paris-aligned equity solution completed in 2023		宁	
3	Brunel Climate Policy	 2023 Climate Policy launched Reporting priorities incl. Climate Solutions and 'green revenues' reporting on private and listed markets. Annual review of policy to commence shortly 		\iff	