

Voting Report, Q4 2015

# **British Coal Staff Superannuation Scheme**

**Hermes EOS** 

Over the last quarter we made voting recommendations at 141 meetings (1,040 resolutions). At 56 of those meetings we recommended opposing one or more resolutions. We recommended abstaining at one meeting and we supported management on all resolutions at the remaining 84 meetings.

#### Global

We made voting recommendations at 141 meetings (1,040 resolutions) over the last quarter.



■ Total meetings in favour **59.6%** 

Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 39.7%

Meetings abstain 0.7%

#### Australia and New Zealand

We made voting recommendations at **six** meetings (53 resolutions) over the last quarter.



■ Total meetings in favour **66.7%** 

Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 33.3%

## **Developed Asia**

We made voting recommendations at 11 meetings (61 resolutions) over the last quarter.



■ Total meetings in favour **45.5%** 

Meetings against (or against AND abstain) **54.5%** 

# **Emerging and Frontier Markets**

We made voting recommendations at 79 meetings (573 resolutions) over the last quarter.



■ Total meetings in favour **60.8%** 

Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 39.2%

# Europe

We made voting recommendations at 13 meetings (84 resolutions) over the last quarter.



■ Total meetings in favour **53.8%** 

Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 38.5%

Meetings abstain 7.7%

### North America

We made voting recommendations at 28 meetings (201 resolutions) over the last quarter.



■ Total meetings in favour **57.1%** 

Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 42.9%

# United Kingdom

We made voting recommendations at four meetings (68 resolutions) over the last quarter.

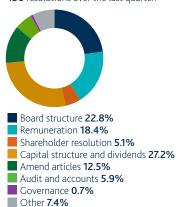


■ Total meetings in favour 100.0%

The issues on which we recommended voted against management or abstaining on resolutions are shown below.

### Global

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 136 resolutions over the last quarter.



### Australia and New Zealand

We recommended voting against or abstaining on two resolutions over the last quarter.



### Developed Asia

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 18 resolutions over the last quarter.

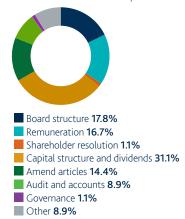


Amend articles 16.7%

■ Board structure **50.0%** Remuneration 5.6% Capital structure and dividends 27.8%

## **Emerging and Frontier Markets**

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 90 resolutions over the last quarter.



## Europe

We recommended voting against or abstaining on  $\begin{tabular}{ll} \textbf{nine} & \textbf{resolutions} & \textbf{over the last quarter}. \end{tabular}$ 



Capital structure and dividends 11.1% Other 22.2%

### North America

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 17 resolutions over the last quarter.



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