# Saskatchewan Teachers' Superannuation Commission

Annual Report Superannuation Plan for 2019-20



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# **Letter of Transmittal**

The Honourable Gordon Wyant, Q.C. Minister in Charge Teachers' Superannuation Commission

Sir:

The Teachers' Superannuation Commission has the honour to submit the Annual Report outlining activities under *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act* for the year ended June 30, 2020.

Respectfully submitted,

Dr. Derwyn Crozier-Smith

Chairperson

# 2019 - 2020 Annual Report

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Ninetieth Annual Report with respect to The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act for the Year Ended June 30, 2020 (This page intentionally left blank)

### Message from the Chairperson

On behalf of the Teachers' Superannuation Commission, I am pleased to present the 2019-20 Annual Report of the Saskatchewan Teachers' Superannuation Commission.

2019-20 was an unprecedented period for investment markets due to the impact of the 2019 coronavirus pandemic (COVID-19) causing an abrupt worldwide economic slowdown. The first quarter of 2020 was notable for being the fastest bear market in history which was offset by the fastest market recovery in history during the second quarter of 2020. The Teachers' Superannuation Fund (TSF) was not immune to the unpredictability of the markets caused by the events of 2019-20.

The TSF fair market value at June 30, 2020 was \$245.2 million. The total Fund returned 2.4% for 2019-20 missing its benchmark of 3.7%. Over the longer term of four years, the Fund returned 8.3%, surpassing the benchmark of 3.0%. The TSF's performance over the longer term received positive contributions from US equities, bonds and real estate, however the International Private Equity Funds and the sale of the TSF's ownership stake in Greystone Capital Management are the primary drivers of the outperformance over the longer term.

The Commission's de-risking investment strategy implemented in July 2012 had the objective to preserve capital, mitigate fluctuating investment returns caused by market volatility and reduce risk while the TSF winds down to its legislative end date of June 30, 2030. The strategy acknowledges the reduced asset base and the lower impact higher risk assets will have on overall TSF market values after 2018. As a result, return seeking assets were reintroduced to the Fund with the first re-risking stage of the strategy implemented on July 1, 2019. The re-risking phase has the Plan's short-term investment target decreasing to 50% from 65% with offsetting increases to universe bonds (20% to 30%) and real estate (5% to 10%). The Fund's exposure to risker assets will gradually increase until 2025 with the next step of the re-risking phase commencing July 1, 2021.

Following its inaugural pension confirmation initiative conducted in 2017-18, the Commission implemented a policy where it will write Teachers' Superannuation Plan pension recipients every three years with a request to confirm in writing that each recipient is receiving their pension entitlement. The next pension confirmation undertaking will occur during 2020-21 with the initial pension confirmation request letter to be mailed to all pension recipients in July 2020.

The Commission acknowledges with sincere appreciation, the administrative team whose efforts resulted in another successful year of service to the membership. The Commission also expresses its appreciation to the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation, the Superannuated Teachers of Saskatchewan, the school divisions and regional colleges and the administrative staff within the Ministry of Education for their respective contributions to the success of the Commission.

Dr. Derwyn Crozier-Smith

Chairperson, Teachers' Superannuation Commission

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#### **Profile**

The Teachers' Superannuation Commission (TSC, the Commission) is established under *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act*.

The Minister of Finance is the trustee of the Teachers' Superannuation Fund (TSF) while the TSC is charged with administration of *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act, The Teachers' Dental Plan Act,* and *The Teachers' Life Insurance (Government Contributory) Act.* 

The Province of Saskatchewan sponsors the TSF, with contributions also coming from plan members who are represented by the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation (STF).

The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act is a negotiable matter under The Education Act, 1995.

The Teachers' Superannuation Plan was closed in July 1980, and a new plan was created, now known as the Saskatchewan Teachers' Retirement Plan, for which administration has been transferred to the STF.

As at June 30, 2020, the TSF has net assets available for benefits of \$0.262 billion, actuarial pension obligations of \$5.221 billion, and a deficit of \$4.959 billion.

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# **Teachers' Superannuation Commission**

#### Mission

The Commission's mission is to provide pensions and benefits for plan members through prudent stewardship of assets and liabilities and effective plan administration in accordance with current legislation.

#### Mandate

To attain this outcome, our organizational mandate is to administer the various Acts to ensure the provision of retirement and negotiated benefits to teachers. The various Acts (and regulations thereto) are:

- The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act
- The Teachers' Life Insurance (Government Contributory) Act
- The Teachers' Dental Plan Act

The TSC is not subject to the Saskatchewan Pension Benefits Act, 1992 except in relation to investments.

#### **Objectives**

Our specific objectives associated with this organizational mandate are:

- Communicate information and guidance to plan members
- Collect pension contributions from all participating teachers
- Accept additional contributions for the Voluntary Contributions Fund
- Calculate and distribute retirement benefits to teachers, spouses and dependents of deceased teachers
- Assess, review and provide disability benefits to eligible teachers

- Monitor the performance of the pension fund investments
- Negotiate and administer reciprocal transfer agreements with other jurisdictions
- Maintain appropriate financial records of the affairs of the Plans
- Manage accurate and timely dental claims administration in conjunction with the insurance carrier
- Administer the insurance claims associated with death and dismemberment in conjunction with the insurance carrier

#### Governance

The Commission maintains its governance manual which is posted on its website. This manual is the key document directing the Commission's governance activity during the year. The manual facilitates the planning and tracking of progress in areas such as ongoing board education, strategic planning, board-self assessment, and monitoring of administration operations and management. The manual also addresses various overarching matters such as: conflict of interest, dispute resolution, risk management, investment policy and monitoring, roles and responsibilities, and code of conduct.

#### **Accountability**

The TSC issues this annual report including audited financial statements supported by an actuarial opinion.

#### **Commission Members**

The TSC is responsible to the Minister in Charge for the administration of *The Teachers Superannuation* and Disability Benefits Act, who at present is also the Minister of Education (the Minister).

The TSC consists of seven members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council:

- Three members are nominated by the STF executive committee
- Three members are nominated by the Minister
- A Chairperson is nominated by the other six members

Appointments are typically for a term of five years and are eligible for reappointment.

Kathy Deck was nominated by the Ministry of Education as a government representative to the Commission due to Doug Schell's resignation on December 5, 2012. Ms. Deck's five-year term is effective October 9, 2019.

Murray Wall's five-year term expired on September 9, 2019. The STF nominated Mr. Wall to be reappointed to the Commission. Mr. Wall was reappointed to the Commission as a representative of the STF effective October 9, 2019.

Commission members as at June 30, 2020 with background credentials are:

<b>Derwyn Crozier-Smith,</b> B.Ed., B. A., M.Ed., Ph.D.  Chairperson  STF General Secretary (Retired), Former STF Executive Assistant			
Clint Repski, B.Admin, CPA-CA Acting Deputy Minister Ministry of Immigration and Career Training  Murray Wall, B.Ed., B.Sc., M.Ed. Senior Administrative Staff (Retired) Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation			
Dustin Antonini, CPA-CGA Director of Public Investments Saskatchewan Healthcare Employees' Pension Plan	Laurel Irving Piot, B.Ed., P.G.D., M.Ed. Senior Administrative Staff (Retired) Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation		
Kathy Deck, CPA-CGA  Acting Executive Director, Corporate Services  Ministry of Education	<b>Rob Lehne, B.Ed.</b> Senior Administrative Staff Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation		

	Meeting attendance	Expiration of term
Derwyn Crozier-Smith	5 of 5	May 18, 2021
Clint Repski	5 of 5	November 1, 2023
Laurel Irving Piot	5 of 5	April 27, 2022
Dustin Antonini	5 of 5	September 23, 2020
Rob Lehne	4 of 5	March 15, 2023
Murray Wall *	2 of 3	October 9, 2024
Kathy Deck**	3 of 3	October 9, 2024

<sup>\*</sup>Observer for two meetings, reappointment effective October 9, 2019

<sup>\*\*</sup>Observer for one 2019 meeting, appointment effective October 9, 2019

#### **Commission Member Role and Responsibilities**

It is the collective responsibility of the members of the Commission to:

- Fulfill the mission statement
- Administer the Plans in compliance with governing legislation
- Determine any question as to the application of The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act
- Review all applications for disability benefits
- Establish investment policy and monitor investment performance
- Promote awareness and understanding of the Plans
- Monitor management and administration of the Plans
- Report annually to the Minister responsible for the Commission

### Commission Strategic Plan: Key Functions, Objectives and Actions

To fulfill its statutory obligations and to address challenges and opportunities, the Commission reviewed and revised its Strategic Plan for 2019-20 in June 2019. The Strategic Plan contemplates a number of risks identified in the Risk Assessment and Management Plan.

The Strategic Plan outlines four key functions:

- 1. Governance
- 2. Administration
- 3. Member Services
- 4. Affiliate Services

Each Key Function involves a number of Strategic Objectives that the Commission and its Executive Director review and revise on an annual basis in accordance with the TSC's governance manual. These Strategic Objectives indicate where the TSC is headed, at least in the foreseeable future.

For each Strategic Objective, the Strategic Plan highlights various Strategic Actions that the Commission will do to carry out the TSC's purpose of providing appropriate pension, long-term disability, dental and group life insurance benefits to relevant Saskatchewan members.

The application of the Strategic Plan is designed to highlight and communicate the nature of the services provided by the TSC and is intended to maintain the focus on activities that best address relevant risks and ensure statutory obligations are being met. The Strategic Plan is structured to be concise, practical, and manageable, relying on reference documents that contain greater detail (i.e., risks, communication, information systems) and facilitates healthy governance in identifying measurable objectives through which measurement against plan and reporting can occur.

### **Commission Strategic Plan: Key Functions, Objectives and Actions**

#### . Governance

The Commission's governance processes:

- Ensure the Commission carries out its purposes as set out in relevant legislation for the: Teachers' Superannuation Plan, Disability Benefits Plan, Dental Plan, and Group Life Insurance Plan
- Exhibit leadership in fulfillment of fiduciary duty
- Establish TSC policies
- Provide an operational and governance framework; communicate and report on it

Strategic Objective	Strategic Action
Monitor, evaluate and report on the effectiveness of the TSC's governance structures ensuring compliance with relevant legislation and policies.	<ul> <li>The Commission follows an annual planning calendar that is part of its Strategic Plan.</li> <li>As part of its annual planning, the Commission reviewed, revised and approved its Strategic Plan for 2019-20 in June 2019.</li> <li>The Commission reviewed, revised and approved amendments and additions to its Governance Manual at its March 2020 meeting.</li> <li>Commission members completed self-assessments and submitted signed conflict of interest declarations.</li> <li>At its December 2019 meeting, the Commission collectively reviewed the results of the Canadian Association of Supervisory Authorities (CAPSA)         Governance questionnaire to assist in identifying if any gaps exist in its governance processes.</li> <li>The Commission adopted a self-assessment/reflection questionnaire to be used as a tool to assist members in measuring their contribution and effectiveness as a member of the Commission.</li> <li>In March 2020, the Commission reviewed its Investment Policy and Objective Statement (IP&amp;OS) to ensure the clarity of its policies and mirrors industry best practices. The IP&amp;OS was amended effective July 1, 2020 to combine the allocation for small and large cap Canadian Equities.</li> </ul>

- Encourage and foster a shared understanding of the TSC's governance structure and organizational processes within government, teacher membership and associated agencies.
- The Commission maintains regular communication with the Ministries of Education and Finance with respect to the funding requirements from the General Revenue Fund for the superannuation, disability and benefit plans.
- The Commission has a Dispute Resolution Process, which outlines procedures to follow in the event a dispute with the Commission arises. Members can access this process on the TSC's website.
- The Commission tables an annual report that outlines its activities and the governance for the Teachers' Superannuation Plan, Teachers' Disability Benefits Plan and Teachers' Dental Plan. The annual report is widely distributed and is accessible on the TSC website for all interested parties.
- The Commission tables a separate annual report on the activities of the Teachers' Group Life Insurance Plan.
- The Commission produces two annual newsletters. One newsletter is for active/inactive members while the other is directed at superannuated members and spousal benefit recipients.
- Encourage innovation in the identification and analysis of ways to add value and manage risks.
- At its June 2019 meeting, the Commission reviewed and revised its Risk Assessment and Management Plan for 2019-20 to identify key risks and how to manage those risks.
- The Commission and Management completed Fraud and Error questionnaires and submitted the results to the Provincial Auditor of Saskatchewan for its review.
- The Commission monitored the TSF investment performance to measure the pace of the decline of the Fund's assets against the objectives of its de-risking investment strategy.
- The Commission received a report detailing how its
   Administration responded to the Saskatchewan
   government's state of emergency to move employees
   offsite and operate remotely due to the 2019
   coronavirus pandemic.

#### 2. Administration

The Teachers' Superannuation Commission's Administration:

- Provides support for the provision of pension allowances, disability, dental and group life insurance benefits to teachers in accordance with legislation
- · Maintains and safeguards the TSC's assets directly and indirectly through agents and advisors
- Supports the Commission and government agencies as requested
- Implements Commission policies and directives
- Adds value and manages risks associated with the TSC's business portfolio
- Enriches and develops the TSC's human resources

### Strategic Action **Strategic Objective** Ensure effective operation of the TSC's At all meetings, the Commission receives an updated governance structure in accordance with plan activity chart that allows the Commission to legislation and policies. effectively monitor the ongoing activities of the Commission and TSC Administration to ensure action items are completed. Establish and implement effective ways to carry As part of its annual planning, the Commission refined its Strategic Plan after approving a Risk out the TSC's Key Functions and Strategic Objectives. Assessment and Management Plan at its June 2019 meeting. In September 2019, the Commission evaluated the performance of its agents and advisors to whom it has delegated certain responsibilities. The Executive Director contacted each agent and advisor and provided a copy of their performance evaluation. The Commission met with its investment consultant, Aon at its September 2019 and March 2020 meetings to review the performance of the investment returns and investment managers as it compares to established benchmarks within the IP&OS. The Commission received quarterly investment performance reports from plan fund managers, TD Greystone Asset Management and State Street Global Advisors. Management participated in the Annual Investors Update Conference Call with State Street Global Advisors Private Equity Investment team. Management reports back to the Commission with an update surrounding the investment status,

performance and outlook for both international

private equity portfolios.

- TSC administrative staff attended various education and professional development sessions during 2019-20.
- All TSC employees have established procedures for their positions that are regularly assessed and reviewed.
- Along with its information technology service provider, the Commission maintains an information technology plan for disaster recovery that integrates with a business continuity plan for its information systems and operations.
- In October 2019, the Commission reviewed, revised and approved its Communication Plan. The Communication Plan is aligned with the overall Strategic Plan and TSC Governance Manual.
- The Commission maintains and reviews an effective Risk Assessment and Management Plan.
- Provide effective oversight of the administrative operations of the TSC.
- The Commission receives regular updates on the progress towards fulfilling the recommendations made by the Provincial Auditor of Saskatchewan.
- The Commission annually evaluates the performance of the Executive Director utilizing the management performance tool, *Planning for Success*.
- The Commission receives quarterly financial reports on the financial operations of the TSC as well as all pension and benefit plans under administration.
- The Commission receives an administrative update report from Management on the administrative and financial operations of the TSC at every meeting.

#### 3. Member Services

The TSC acknowledges the importance of service to teachers. For member services, the TSC will:

- Assist/Enable teachers to understand the options available to them respecting their pension, disability benefits, dental and group life insurance coverage
- Support teachers through timely, responsive and appropriate communication
- Render services with personalized care and attention, with integrity, fairness and efficiency

Strategic Objective	Strategic Action
Identify and assess performance measurement	The TSC Staff provides care and attention to the
against relevant service standards.	quality of service provided to teachers for all plans
	under administration.
	Management regularly reviews its policies and
	procedures to ensure it is meeting its statutory
	requirements and obligations under the Provincial
	Collective Bargaining Agreement for the teacher
	pension and benefit plans.
	The TSC staff collaborates with the insurance
	carrier to implement the most efficient processes
	to administer the benefit plans.
	Administration meets annually with the insurance
	carrier to review service standards and claim
	turnaround times for the benefit plans.
<ul> <li>Ensure continuity and consistency of service</li> </ul>	The TSC has procedures and processes in place for
received.	cross-training to maintain high quality service and
	ensure adequate segregation of duties to mitigate
	risk to superannuation and benefit plan monies.
	The TSC staff is available to members to provide
	information and options for retirement planning
	and as well as be of assistance to members for
	questions surrounding spousal benefits plus the
	group life insurance and dental plans.
	The TSC website provides members with pertinent
	information and forms with respect to the teacher
	superannuation and benefit plans.
	The Commission maintains a Business Continuity
	Plan that is integrated with its information systems
	In March 2020, policies and procedures were
	established and implemented to ensure continuity
	of service was available for superannuates and
	teachers when Commission employees worked
	offsite due to the coronavirus pandemic.

#### 4. Affiliate Services

The TSC interacts with a number of affiliate parties when delivering services to teachers. For affiliate services the TSC will:

- Support teachers through cooperative, progressive relationships with teacher related organizations (i.e.
   School Divisions, Saskatchewan Association of School Business Officials (SASBO), League of Education
   Administrators, Directors and Superintendents (LEADS), etc.)
- Work with the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation (STF) and Superannuated Teachers of Saskatchewan (STS) where possible and invited to do so in support of Saskatchewan teachers

Strategic Objective	Strategic Action
Seek collaboration and initiate activities that increase service to membership or add value and minimize risk to teachers or the people of Saskatchewan.	<ul> <li>When requested by the STF, the TSC Administrative staff attends STF sponsored retirement planning seminars and provides pension projections for seminar participants.</li> <li>The TSC staff communicates regularly with school divisions to continue the efficiency of remitting teacher contributions for the superannuation and group life insurance plans.</li> <li>Maintain an open dialogue with the STF and STS to best serve the needs of current and superannuated teachers.</li> <li>The Commission supports the STS by deducting STS benefit plan premiums from superannuates' pension payments.</li> </ul>

#### Administration

The TSC employs an Executive Director and staff required for administration of the various legislation and commission policies and is independent from management.

The administrative team consisting of 12.0 full time equivalent employees is responsible for all the administrative functions that result in meeting the objectives outlined earlier and includes the strategic and operating unit work plans, financial and business decisions, evaluation of results against these plans, and reporting of activity to Commission members. Refer to the governance manual for further elaboration of management's roles and responsibilities.

The administrative team also highlights certain policy decision items to the Commission members, including relevant recommendations, and responds to requests for information or onward execution as requested by Commission members.

Administration works very closely and cooperatively with the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation and the Superannuated Teachers of Saskatchewan to ensure seamless delivery of consistent, high-quality services to teachers across the province. This is particularly true in relation to the retirement planning sessions facilitated by the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation. Collaboration on these retirement oriented activities ensures the teachers of Saskatchewan have the opportunity to be informed through group and one-on-one counseling sessions.

Management formally communicates to Commission members on the operational activities at the regularly scheduled meetings, in addition to ad-hoc communications on various matters. The Commission conducts performance evaluation of management against established objectives.

The \$1.3 million operating budget of the Commission is paid out of monies appropriated by the Legislature.

#### Consultants

The TSC, as part of fulfilling its fiduciary duty in relation to the assets of the funds and as part of good governance, may acquire specialist competencies. This may include the engagement of technical, professional or other advisor, specialist or consultant services. Given the specialist knowledge required in investment management, defined benefit plan valuations and calculations, and pension administration software, the TSC does engage a number of outside consultants and advisors.

Actuarial consulting firms assist with the development of the investment policy guidelines, propose assumptions and perform the calculations of benefits for marriage breakdown, and actuarial present value for the purpose of reciprocal transfer agreements. Actuarial services are also required in preparing a valuation of the Plan and for cash flow projections. The current actuary for the plan is Aon.

Investment managers provide the necessary expertise in managing the pension assets in compliance with the asset mix guidelines to ensure risk-adjusted returns are maximized and achieve performance at or above the established performance benchmarks. Quarterly performance reports and presentations are provided to Commission members. TD Greystone Asset Management is responsible for managing the assets with the exception of private equity managed by State Street Global Advisors.

State Street Trust Company, the superannuation plan custodian, provides compliance reporting on a quarterly basis and all results are reported to Commission members.

Aon also assists the Commission as an investment advisor by monitoring performance of the investment managers. Reports and presentations are provided to Commission members biannually.

When required, legal consultation is provided by either the Ministry of Justice or private legal counsel. Legal advice provided to the Commission ensures all legal obligations are fulfilled.

Specialized information technology services are purchased to ensure the critical pension administration system, retirement management and payroll systems, disability systems and backbone network systems are securely maintained.

#### Valuation

The Commission has historically reviewed the valuation assumptions biennially and does so in consultation with the plan actuary. In June 2017, the Commission changed its policy to perform actuarial valuations every three years. The most current actuarial valuation was prepared as at June 30, 2018.

The 2018 valuation discount rate assumption was updated to reflect the Saskatchewan provincial bond yield curve as at June 30, 2018 to match the timing and amount of future expected benefit payments as well as the expected rate of return on assets of 4.00%. This single discount rate for valuation purposes was 3.0% per annum and was determined as a blend between the funded and unfunded portions of the Plan. In 2020, the discount rate assumption was updated using the same methodology to determine the discount rate used in the June 30, 2018 valuation then averaged over 10 years. This 10-year average rate was used for the extrapolation at June 30, 2020.

The financial statements at June 30, 2020 are based on an extrapolation of the June 30, 2018 valuation results. The total deficit as at June 30, 2020 is \$4.96 billion.

The legal obligation to pay pensions to the teachers of Saskatchewan in accordance with the provisions of *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits*Act rests with the Government of Saskatchewan.

#### **Investments**

The segregated funds of the Teachers' Superannuation Fund assets and all of the Voluntary Contributions Fund (together known as the Teachers' Superannuation Plan or the "Plan") are held in trust by State Street Trust Company, custodian of the investments on behalf of the Plan. Custodial fees of \$33,723 (2019 - \$34,916) and \$3,404 (2019 - \$8,157) for brokerage fees were paid to State Street Trust Company for 2020. TD Greystone Asset Management is responsible for investing the funds. Investment fees paid to TD Greystone Asset Management for 2020 were \$259,321 (2019 - \$272,892). Investment management fees for private equity paid to State Street Global Advisors for 2020 were \$Nil (2019 -\$Nil). CIBC Mellon is the custodian for the pooled fund investments on behalf of TD Greystone Asset Management.

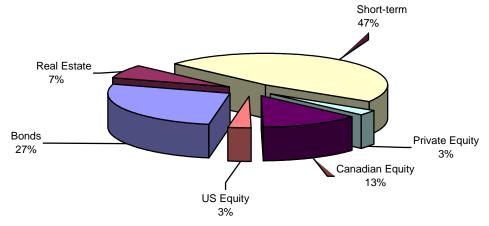
The TSC with the assistance of the investment manager, investment consultant, and actuarial consultant develop investment policies, strategies and objectives for each fund of the Plan. The Investment Policy & Objectives Statement (IP&OS) details the asset mix guidelines, and a benchmark portfolio against which the performance of the investment managers is measured. Individual asset class performance is also measured against their relevant, respective indices. The current IP&OS is posted on the TSC website.

In meeting with its investment consultant, the Commission reviews its IP&OS annually. A key aspect of risk is managed through adequate portfolio diversification. Working in conjunction with the asset manager, investment consultants and actuary, the desired risk-adjusted return is established.

#### IP&OS asset mix guidelines for the TSF as at June 30, 2020

_	Minimum %	Maximum %
Canadian Equities, Large Cap	2.5	7.5
Canadian Equities, Small Cap	0	0
Total Canadian Equities	2.5	7.5
U.S. Equities, Large Cap (Unhedged)	1.0	5.0
International Equities, Public and Private (Unhedged)	0	10.0
Total Foreign Equities	1.0	15.0
Total Equities	3.5	22.5
Nominal Bonds	20.0	40.0
Short Term	40.0	60.0
Total Fixed Income	60.0	90.0
Real Estate	5.0	20.0

TSF portfolio asset mix at June 30, 2020



TSF Rates of Return – Periods to June 30, 2020						
	1 Year		4 Years		10 Years	
Asset class	Return	Bench mark	Return	Bench mark	Return	Bench mark
	%	%	%	%	%	%
Canadian Equity	-12.6	-2.2	2.4	5.6	4.5	6.3
U.S. Equity	16.6	11.8	17.8	13.7	19.0	16.9
Private Equity	14.0	-1.3	13.1	6.5	16.2	8.4
Bonds	8.8	7.9	4.6	3.9	4.6	3.9
Real Estate	3.3	3.7	7.8	6.9	9.1	8.6
Total Fund	2.4	3.7	8.3	3.0	7.6	5.1

To reflect the declining asset base, the Commission adopted a de-risking investment strategy effective July 1, 2012. The TSF's asset mix experienced a gradual reduction in return seeking, risky assets until June 30, 2018. In 2016-17, the Commission revisited its investment strategy by conducting a Glidepath Optimization Review. The results of the review confirmed the asset mix glidepath from the 2012 de-risking study remain efficient for the Fund. Effective July 1, 2019, the allocation to return seeking assets began to be increased gradually until 2025. The re-risking phase acknowledges the reduced asset base and the lower impact higher risk assets will have on overall TSF market values after 2018.

#### **Pension Administration Systems**

The pension administration software is crucial for the tracking of service, contributions, refunds, purchases, crediting of interest to teacher accounts and pension estimates.

During the year, all system software was evaluated to ensure the underlying operating systems are actively supported by the various software providers, and to ensure the information technology (IT) systems remain functional in the current IT environment. Risk related to data and system conversion are appropriately planned and managed to ensure data and system integrity. The Commission maintains a business continuity and disaster recovery plans for its administrative operations and IT systems.

The Commission contracts with two outside information technology providers, ESTI Consulting Services and James Evans Associates (JEA) Limited. These two service providers possess the specific competencies needed to manage the IT risks effectively.

#### **Risk Management**

As part of governance processes, the Commission adopted a Risk Assessment and Management Plan whereby key risks are identified, along with identification of how risks will be managed and who is responsible. The outcome of this approach is to provide cost-effective management of risk and to create opportunities to add value. The following are potential risks that could adversely affect the operation of the Plan:

- Risk of loss associated with non-compliance with laws, rules, regulations, prescribed practices or ethical standards within jurisdiction of operation
- Risks arising from inability to implement appropriate business plans, strategies, decisionmaking, resource allocation and inability to adapt to changes in the business environment
- Risk of direct or indirect loss resulting from the inadequate or failed internal processes, people, system or from external events
- Risk associated with direct or indirect loss resulting from market events and investment related profiles
- Risk of not having adequate procedures and processes in place to continue operations in the event of a disaster or inability to access building

The Commission reviews and updates its Risk Assessment and Management Plan on an annual basis.

#### Communication

Timely and transparent communications are an essential element of good pension governance. The Commission strives to achieve effective communication with its teacher and superannuated members.

Federal and Provincial legislation in the area of privacy along with the implementation of the Privacy Framework within the Province will not only serve to protect the interests of teachers but mitigate the related risks and concerns. This privacy legislation is impacting communication not only in relation to what type of information is communicated from the pension plan, but also in assessing what the Commission collects directly from members.

In addition to this annual report, newsletters and the annual statements to members, the TSC website and email have become increasingly important as the preferred tools of communication and information exchange. The website provides considerable information:

- Downloadable forms for Dental, Group Life
   Insurance, Disability, Reciprocal Transfers, and personal information change forms
- Information, including Frequently Asked Questions on Dental, Pension, Disability and Group Life Insurance
- Various legislative Acts and Regulations administered by the Commission
- Policies and responsibilities adhered to by the Commission
- Recent annual reports, superannuate and annual statement newsletters
- Contact information
- Dispute Resolution Process
- Governance Manual
- Communication Plan
- Strategic Plan
- Investment Policy & Objective Statement

More on-line at www.stsc.gov.sk.ca

### **Teachers' Superannuation Plan**

The Teachers' Superannuation Plan was inaugurated on July 1, 1930 and became a closed plan in 1980. The Teachers' Annuity Plan was established for new teachers who had not previously taught in Saskatchewan and certain teachers who chose to transfer from the old formula plan. Through provincial negotiations, the Annuity Plan later became the Saskatchewan Teachers' Retirement Plan (STRP) administered by the Saskatchewan Teachers' Federation.

#### **Highlights**

As at June 30	2020	2019
Active Members	72	108
Inactive Members	4,728	4,811
Pensioners/Survivors	10,778	10,953
Disability Recipients	8	14
July 1 Retirements	6	16
Total Members	15,592	15,902

From July 1, 2019 to June 30, 2020 a total of 45 (2019 - 62) new allowances were granted.

On January 1, 2020, a cost of living allowance increase of 1.5% (2019-1.8%) was applied to superannuation allowances.

Investment earnings of 16.90% (2019 – 13.47%) were credited to teachers in the Teachers' Superannuation Fund. These earnings include only 25% of the current period change in fair values of investments and 25% of each of the previous 3 years' change in fair values (including both realized and unrealized gains and losses) in accordance with the policy established for administrative purposes by the Commission.

The Teachers' Superannuation Commission administers a Voluntary Contributions Fund, which allows active teachers to make additional tax-deductible contributions that are invested separately from the mandatory superannuation contributions.

Investment earnings of 5.05% were applied to the Voluntary Contributions Fund at June 30, 2020 (2019 – 5.29%). There are 33 members (2019 – 45) with contributions in the Voluntary Contributions Fund.

#### **Teachers' Disability Benefits Plan**

Disability benefits are available when a teacher is physically or mentally incapacitated and unable to teach. All payments are a charge on and payable from the General Revenue Fund of the Province of Saskatchewan, pursuant to Section 38(2) of *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act*.

#### **Eligibility**

Teachers who participate in The Teachers'
Superannuation Plan are eligible for benefits from this Plan. The Plan provides benefits based on a formula incorporating years of service and average earnings. To be eligible, a teacher must have 10 years of eligibility service of which three years are in the five years immediately preceding the disability date, be under the age of 65 and the disability continues beyond 60 days. The disability payment commences when the sick leave benefits from a school board cease.

Medical evidence is required from two physicians verifying the disability. Ongoing eligibility for benefits is confirmed by periodic medical reviews.

Teachers who are partially disabled and teaching on a part-time basis are entitled to benefits in proportion to the non-teaching time.

A teacher's disability benefit ceases on the earliest of:

- (a) The commencement of a superannuation allowance;
- (b) The attainment of age 65 by the teacher; and
- (c) The death of the teacher.

At June 30, 2020, 8 teachers (2018 – 14) were in receipt of disability benefits from the Plan. Teachers are also encouraged to apply for disability benefits from the Canada Pension Plan. If benefits are not payable from the Canada Pension Plan, the amount payable by the Teachers' Disability Benefits Plan are increased accordingly.

#### **Highlights**

As at June 30	2020	2019
New Applications	1	3
Medical reviews	4	6
Return to teaching	1	1
Commenced Superannuation		
Allowance	5	5
Deceased	0	1

At its meetings, the Commission receives new disability applications, grants benefits to the teachers who meet the eligibility requirements and sets dates for follow-up medical reviews. Administration reviews subsequent medical reports for teachers already approved for benefits and submits a report to the Commission for approval of continued benefits. During the year, the Plan paid disability benefits of \$0.2 million (2019 – \$0.4 million).

On January 1, 2020, a cost of living allowance increase of 1.5% (2019 - 1.8%) was applied to disability benefits.

#### **Valuation**

The most recent valuation was performed at June 30, 2018 and extrapolated to June 30, 2020. The total Plan deficit as at June 30, 2020 is \$0.3 million.

# **Teachers' Group Life Insurance Plan**

The Teachers' Superannuation Commission administers the Teachers' Group Life Insurance Plan for active, disabled and superannuated teachers. An annual report for activities of the group life insurance plan will be tabled under separate cover for 2019-20.

# **Teachers' Dental Plan**

The Teachers' Superannuation Commission administers the Teachers' Dental Plan for active and disabled teachers. An annual report for activities of the dental plan will be tabled under separate cover for the year ending December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020.

# **Teachers' Superannuation Commission Management Report, 2020**

The management of the Teachers' Superannuation Commission is responsible for the integrity of the accompanying financial statements and all other information in this Annual Report. In Canada, it is the responsibility of management to prepare financial statements in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles.

The integrity of the financial records from which these financial statements are prepared is largely dependent on the systems of internal accounting controls. The purpose of such systems is to provide reasonable assurance that transactions are executed in accordance with proper authorization, transactions are appropriately recorded in order to permit preparation of financial statements and assets are properly accounted for and safeguarded against loss from unauthorized use. Underlying this concept of reasonable assurance is the fact that limitations exist in any system of internal accounting controls based on the premise that the cost of such controls should not exceed the benefits derived there from.

The pension obligations and actuarial value of net assets available for benefit are determined by an actuarial valuation and extrapolation. Actuarial valuation and extrapolation reports require best judgment in order that the financial statements reflect fairly the financial position of the Plan. The actuary's opinion for the Teachers' Superannuation Plan for the June 30, 2018 valuation and the extrapolation of the valuation results to June 30, 2020 appear on page 25.

Sharlene Liklei

Senior Manager, Financial Operations

Sharlene Arklie, FCPA, FCGA

The financial statements have been audited by the Provincial Auditor of Saskatchewan. The report to the Members of the Legislative Assembly, stating the scope of the examination and opinion on the financial statements, appears on page 26.

The financial statements have been examined and approved by the Commission.

Doug Volk, BA (Econ), PPAC

Executive Director

Regina, Saskatchewan

October 13, 2020

**Actuary's Opinion** 

Aon was retained by the Saskatchewan Teachers' Superannuation Commission (the "Commission") to perform an actuarial valuation of the assets and liabilities of the Saskatchewan Teachers' Superannuation Plan (the "Plan") as

at June 30, 2018. Aon was further retained to prepare an extrapolation of the valuation results to June 30, 2020

for inclusion in the Annual Report with respect to *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act* for the

Year Ended June 30, 2020.

The valuation and extrapolation of the Plan's actuarial assets and liabilities were based on:

Membership data provided by the Commission as at June 30, 2018;

· Financial Statements as at June 30, 2020 provided by the Commission;

· Methods prescribed by the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada for pension plan financial

statements; and

Assumptions about future events (economic and demographic) which were developed by management and

Aon and are considered as management's best estimate of these events.

While the actuarial assumptions used to estimate liabilities for the Plan's financial statements contained in the Annual Report represent management's best estimate of future events, and while, in my opinion, these

assumptions are appropriate for the purposes of the valuation and extrapolation, the Plan's future experience will

differ from the actuarial assumptions. Emerging experience differing from the assumptions will result in gains or

losses that will be revealed in future valuations and will affect the financial position of the Plan.

I have tested the data for reasonableness and consistency with prior valuations and, in my opinion, the data is

sufficient and reliable for the purposes of the valuation and the extrapolation. In my opinion, the methods and

assumptions used in the valuation and extrapolation are appropriate for the purposes of the valuation and extrapolation. My opinions have been given, and the valuation and extrapolation have been performed, in

accordance with accepted actuarial practice in Canada.

Nathan Conway

Fellow, Canadian Institute of Actuaries

Nathar Comos

Fellow, Society of Actuaries

October 13, 2020

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To: The Members of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan

#### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of the Teachers' Superannuation Plan, which comprise the statement of financial position as at June 30, 2020, and the statements of changes in net assets available for benefits, and changes in pension obligations for the year then ended, and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the accompanying financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Teachers' Superannuation Plan as at June 30, 2020, and changes in its net assets available for benefits and changes in its pension obligations for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for pension plans.

#### **Basis for Opinion**

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the *Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements* section of our report. We are independent of the Teachers' Superannuation Plan in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with these requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

#### Other Information

Management is responsible for the other information. The other information comprises the information included in the Teachers' Superannuation Commission *Annual Report for 2019-20*, but does not include the financial statements and our auditor's report thereon.

Our opinion on the financial statements does not cover the other information and we do not express any form of assurance conclusion thereon.

In connection with our audit of the financial statements, our responsibility is to read the other information and, in doing so, consider whether the other information is materially inconsistent with the financial statements or any knowledge obtained in the audit, or otherwise appears to be materially misstated. If, based on the work we have performed on this other information, we conclude that there is a material misstatement of this other information, we are required to report that fact in this auditor's report. We have nothing to report in this regard.

#### Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for pension plans for Treasury Board's approval, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Teachers' Superannuation Plan's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters related to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Teachers' Superannuation Plan or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.



Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Teachers' Superannuation Plan's financial reporting process.

#### Auditor's Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditor's report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- ldentify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Teachers' Superannuation Plan's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Teachers' Superannuation Plan's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditor's report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditor's report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Teachers' Superannuation Plan to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicate with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control identified during the audit.

Regina, Saskatchewan October 13, 2020 Judy Ferguson, FCPA, FCA Provincial Auditor

Judy Ferguson

Office of the Provincial Auditor

# **Teachers' Superannuation Plan Statement of Financial Position**

# Statement 1

# As at June 30

(in thousands of dollars)

	2020			2019			
	Superannuation Fund	Voluntary Contributions Fund	Total	Superannuation Fund	Voluntary Contributions Fund	Total	
ASSETS							
Cash	\$ 78	\$ -	\$ 78	\$ 42	\$ -	\$ 42	
Due from General Revenue Fund (Note 3)	232	23	255	280	22	302	
Accrued investment							
income	271	-	271	218	-	218	
Investments (Note 4):							
Bonds and debentures	65,418	4 502	65,418	42,389	2 204	42,389	
Pooled Funds	31,253 25,562	1,592	32,845 25,562	13,572	2,281	15,853	
Equities Private equity	25,562 8,434	-	25,562 8,434	41,283 8,790	-	41,283 8,790	
Short – term	114,574	_	114,574	158,158	_	158,158	
311011 101111	111,371		111,371	130,130		130,130	
Cool the Manager and the	245,241	1,592	246,833	264,192	2,281	266,473	
Contributions receivable: Teachers	: 116		116	147		147	
General Revenue Fund	16,851	-	16,851	30,737	-	30,737	
General Nevenue i unu	10,831		10,031	30,737		30,737	
	16,967		16,967	30,884		30,884	
Total assets	\$ 262,789	\$ 1,615	\$ 264,404	\$ 295,616	\$ 2,303	\$ 297,919	
LIABILITIES							
Accounts payable	\$ 691	\$ 1	\$ 692	\$ 261	\$ -	\$ 261	
Accounts payable	<del>y</del> 031	<del>-y -1</del>	<del>y</del> 032	7 201	<del>-</del>	7 201	
Total liabilities	691	1	692	261		261	
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS (Statement 2)	262,098	1,614	263,712	295,355	2,303	297,658	
Pension obligation (Statement 3)	5,221,501	1,614	5,223,115	5,701,587	2,303	5,703,890	
Deficit	\$ 4,959,403	\$ -	\$ 4,959,403	\$ 5,406,232	\$ -	\$ 5,406,232	

(See accompanying notes to the financial statements)

# Teachers' Superannuation Plan Statement 2 Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits

# **Year Ended June 30**

(in thousands of dollars)

,	2020						2019						
	Superannuation Fund		Voluntary Contributions Fund		Total		Supe	Superannuation Fund		Voluntary Contributions Fund		Total	
INCREASE IN ASSETS:													
Investment income:													
Interest	\$	1,790	\$	-	\$	1,790	\$	1,513	\$	-	\$	1,513	
Dividends		1,463		-		1,463		2,879		-		2,879	
Pooled fund distributions		2,342		6		2,348				5		5	
Total investment income		5,595		6		5,601		4,392		5		4,397	
Increase in fair value of													
investments				80		80		48,698		114		48,812	
Contributions:													
General Revenue Fund													
other contributions		294,655		-		294,655		289,383		-		289,383	
Teachers		161		-		161		273		-		273	
General Revenue Fund													
matching contributions		161		-		161		273		-		273	
Other transfers and													
contributions		-						55				55	
Total contributions		294,977				294,977		289,984	-			289,984	
Total increase in assets	\$	300,572	\$	86	\$	300,658	\$	343,074	\$	119	\$	343,193	
DECREASE IN ASSETS:													
Decrease (Increase) in fair													
value of investments	\$	571	\$	-	\$	571	\$	-	\$	-	\$	-	
Allowances to													
superannuates		327,271		-		327,271		330,671		-	\$	330,671	
Refunds and transfers		4,399		772		5,171		5,926		62		5,988	
Investment expenses													
(Note 7)		296		3		299		316		3		319	
Marriage breakdown payments		1,292		_		1,292		85		_		85	
payments		1,232				1,232						- 03	
Total decrease in assets	\$	333,829	\$	775	\$	334,604	\$	336,988	\$	65	\$	337,063	
(Decrease) Increase													
in net assets		(33,257)		(689)		(33,946)		6,076		54		6,130	
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS, beginning of													
year		295,355		2,303		297,658		289,279		2,249		291,528	
NET ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR													
BENEFITS, end of year	\$	262,098	\$	1,614	\$	263,712	\$	295,355	\$	2,303	\$	297,658	

(See accompanying notes to the financial statements)

# **Teachers' Superannuation Plan Statement of Changes in Pension Obligations**

# **Statement 3**

# **Year Ended June 30**

(in thousands of dollars)

		2020		2019						
	Superannuation Fund (Note 8)	Voluntary Contributions Fund	Total	Superannuation Fund (Note 8)	Voluntary Contributions Fund	Total				
PENSION OBLIGATIONS, beginning of year	\$ 5,701,587	\$ 2,303	\$ 5,703,890	\$ 5,705,442	\$ 2,249	\$ 5,707,691				
INCREASE IN PENSION OBLIGATIONS: Interest accrued on										
obligations	138,394	-	138,394	162,047	-	162,047				
Obligations accrued	1,338	-	1,338	2,096	54	2,150				
	139,732	-	139,732	164,143	54	164,197				
DECREASE IN PENSION OBLIGATIONS: Impact of Plan experience	-	-	-	136,350	-	136,350				
Impact of other assumption changes Impact of discount rate assumption	-	-	-	240	-	240				
change	286,856	_	286,856	(305,274)	-	(305,274)				
Obligations paid	332,962	689	333,651	336,682	-	336,682				
PENSION	619,818	689	620,507	167,998	<u>-</u>	167,998				
OBLIGATIONS, end of year	\$ 5,221,501	\$ 1,614	\$ 5,223,115	\$ 5,701,587	\$ 2,303	\$ 5,703,890				

# Teachers' Superannuation Plan Notes to the Financial Statements

#### June 30, 2020

#### 1. Status of the Commission

The Saskatchewan Teachers' Superannuation Commission (Commission) administers a pension plan, the Teachers' Superannuation Plan, consisting of the Teachers' Superannuation Fund and the Voluntary Contributions Fund (hereafter collectively referred to as the Plan). The Teachers' Superannuation Fund is used to account for the net assets accumulated for the defined benefit final average pension plan for teachers who commenced service prior to July 1, 1980. The Voluntary Contributions Fund is a money purchase fund, used to account for the net assets accumulated for teachers' voluntary contributions.

#### **Description of the Plan**

The Plan is a registered pension plan as defined by the *Income Tax Act (Canada*) and accordingly, is not subject to income taxes. Allowances and refunds are subject to withholding taxes that are remitted to the Canada Revenue Agency. The following description is a summary only. For more complete information, reference should be made to *The Teachers Superannuation and Disability Benefits Act* (the Act).

#### **Teachers' Superannuation Fund**

#### a) Funding Policy

Members are required to contribute 6.05% of their salary subject to Canada Pension Plan contributions, and 7.85% on the remainder of their salary. The Government's General Revenue Fund (GRF) pays into the Teachers' Superannuation Fund an amount equal to the amount contributed by members. Also, the GRF pays into the Teachers' Superannuation Fund other contributions pursuant to section 9(4) of the Act. Section 9(4) of the Act requires the GRF to pay yearly an amount by which the allowances, transfers and refunds that are paid out in that fiscal year exceed the credited contributions of members with respect to whom an allowance commences or a refund or transfer is made in that fiscal year.

#### b) Age and Service Allowance

The annual amount of pension is determined as follows:

- 2% of the five highest years salary times years of service (maximum 35 years)
- reduced at age 65 for Canada Pension Plan integration
- increased each January 1 by 80% of the increase in the Consumer Price Index for Canada

#### c) Interest Credited to Contributions

As of July 1, 1994, the interest credited to contributions is based on an annual rate determined by the Commission to be the annual rate of return earned from the investments of the Fund in a fiscal year, compounded annually. See Note 5 for determination of investment earnings.

#### d) Death Benefits

When a superannuate dies, the spouse receives 60% of the allowance plus a further 10% for each dependent child to a maximum of 25%. If there is neither a spouse nor dependent children, the nominee or estate receives a lump sum payment of the difference, if any, between the teacher's contributions and interest at retirement and the total pension paid to date.

#### e) Refunds

Refunds to teachers typically consist of the teacher's contributions and interest on those contributions.

#### **Voluntary Contributions Fund**

The Commission administers the Voluntary Contributions Fund. The Voluntary Contributions Fund allows active teachers to make contributions into the Fund, according to the limits set out in the *Income Tax Act (Canada)*.

The Voluntary Contributions Fund is credited with all voluntary contributions, any interest earned and any other revenue accrued from the investment of monies in the Voluntary Contributions Fund less investment expenses. The Voluntary Contributions Fund amount is reduced by amounts paid out at the time the teacher makes an application for a refund. If eligible, the accumulated contributions and interest earned are paid to the teacher, the teacher's nominee or to the teacher's estate.

#### 2. Significant Accounting Policies

The following accounting policies are considered significant:

#### a) Basis of Presentation

The financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2020 have been prepared in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for pension plans as defined in the CPA Canada Handbook Section 4600, *Pension Plans*. For matters not addressed in Section 4600, *Pension Plans*, Canadian Accounting Standards for Private Enterprises (ASPE) have been followed. These financial statements were authorized and issued by the Board on October 13, 2020.

#### b) Investments

Investments in bonds and equities are recorded at fair value which are determined by reference to closing year end bid prices from recognized security dealers. Transactions in bonds and equities are recorded as of the trade date.

Investments denominated in foreign currency are translated at the exchange rate in effect at year end. Investment transactions and realized gains and/or losses are translated at the exchange rate in effect at the transaction date. Unrealized gains and losses resulting from exchange differences are included in the determination of the change in fair value of investments.

Pooled funds are recorded based on the net asset value per unit of the underlying investments determined using closing bid prices as at year end. Short-term investments are recorded at fair value. Real estate pooled funds and private equity are recorded at fair value as estimated by independent appraisals. The fair value of the investments approximates the market value. All investments are classified at fair value through profit or loss.

#### c) Use of Estimates

The preparation of financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for pension plans requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the recorded amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosures of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the recorded amounts of revenue and expenses during the year. Significant items subject to such estimates and assumptions include the valuation of investments and accrued pension obligation. Actual results could differ from these estimates.

#### 3. Due From General Revenue Fund

The Plan's bank accounts are included in the Consolidated Offset Bank Concentration (COBC) arrangement for the Government of Saskatchewan. Under this arrangement, interest is calculated on the net position of all COBC accounts and is paid by the bank into the GRF.

The Plan's share of this interest is allocated and paid by the GRF on a quarterly basis into the Plan's bank accounts using the Government's thirty-day borrowing rate. The Government's average thirty-day borrowing rate in 2020 was 1.51% (2019 - 1.66%).

#### 4. Investments

The Commission's investment strategy is to invest cash flows from contributions, maturing debentures and investment returns into assets such as Canadian, foreign and private equities, pooled funds, money market securities, bonds and real estate pooled funds.

#### **Teachers' Superannuation Fund**

The Act and the Plan's investment policy require that all the Fund's investments comply with the provisions of *The Pension Benefits Act, 1992*, which does not allow any one holding to represent more than 10% of the cost of the Fund's portfolio at the time of acquisition.

During 2011-12, the Commission engaged its Investment Consultant to conduct a de-risking optimization study of the asset mix for the Teachers' Superannuation Fund. In March 2012, the Commission amended their investment policy to reflect the de-risking investment strategy to be effective July 1, 2012. The final step of the de-risking glidepath was allocated to the Fund asset mix on July 1, 2018. Effective July 1, 2019 riskier assets were reintroduced to the Fund. Return-seeking assets will gradually be added to the Fund until 2025.

The de-risking glidepath is in the Plan's investment policy. The effect of the de-risking investment strategy has been reflected in the further projections used in the actuarial valuation at June 30, 2018 and the extrapolation at June 30, 2020 in Note 8.

#### **Short-term Investments**

These investments are comprised of T-Bills, notes and commercial paper with effective interest rates of 0.19% to 1.88% (2019 – 1.67% to 2.35%) and a weighted average term to maturity 93 days (2019 – 64 days). Interest is receivable until maturity.

#### **Bonds and Debentures**

The Plan's investment policy limits its investment concentration in any one investee or related group to no more than 10% of that corporation's cost of outstanding bonds. Bonds must meet a minimum quality standard of BBB rating as measured by a recognized credit rating service.

For the Teachers' Superannuation Fund, the Plan invests in bonds that are considered to be high quality as described below:

			2020			2019		
	Years to Maturity	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield (%)	Weighted Average Coupon Rate (%)	Fair Value	Weighted Average Yield (%)	Weighted Average Coupon Rate (%)	
		(\$000's)			(\$000's)			
Federal Bonds	<1	\$ 1,314	0.21	0.75	\$ -	-	-	
Government of Canada	1-5	12,542	0.44	2.00	10,094	1.59	1.83	
	6-10	718	0.44	2.00	1,129	1.73	2.02	
	16-20	1,130	1.85	4.35	1,065	2.54	4.36	
	20+	1,626	1.22	2.53	2,152	1.82	2.98	
Provincial & Provincially	1-5	5,602	0.69	2.78	2,885	1.72	2.97	
Guaranteed Bonds	6-10	1,173	1.39	3.21	748	2.10	2.92	
Other Provinces	11-15	1,567	1.51	6.24	1,975	2.27	6.23	
	20+	11,136	1.96	3.16	5,775	2.49	3.19	
Saskatchewan	20+	649	2.12	3.03	78	2.55	2.75	
Corporate Bonds	<1	1,598	1.77	2.91	766	2.00	3.20	
	1-5	13,482	1.39	2.60	10,862	2.15	2.58	
	6-10	7,780	2.16	3.22	1,789	2.75	3.39	
	11-15	662	2.59	3.16	450	3.04	3.34	
	16-20	396	3.23	4.35	200	3.38	4.35	
	20+	4,043	3.67	4.23	2,421	4.24	4.52	
		\$ 65,418			\$ 42,389			

Actual maturity may differ from contractual maturity because certain borrowers have the right to call or prepay certain obligations with or without call or prepayment penalties.

#### **Equities**

		2020		20	)19
Common Shares					
	Canadian	\$	18,569	\$	35,481
	Foreign		6,993		5,802
			25,562		41,283
Private Equity			8,434		8,790
Total Equities		\$	33,996	\$	50,073

The Plan's investment policy limits any holding in the Fund to no more than 30% of the outstanding shares of the issuing corporation. The investment policy allows up to 15.0% of the Fund to be invested in foreign equities, including those held in pooled funds. At June 30, 2020, the Plan held 2.8% (2019 - 2.2%) in foreign equities and 0% (2019 - 0%) in pooled foreign equity funds.

Foreign equities and pooled funds are denominated in Canadian dollars. The Fund's equities include common shares that have no fixed maturity date and are generally not exposed to interest rate risk. Dividends are generally declared on a quarterly basis. The average effective dividend rate during the year was 4.4% (2019 - 6.5%).

#### **Pooled Funds**

The Plan holds units in pooled funds, which have no fixed interest rate, and its returns are based on the success of the fund manager. The Plan unit holdings are:

	Unit	s Held	% of Tot Outsta		Fair Value				Investment Income and Change in Fair Value			
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020		2019		2020		2019	
	(00	0's)			(:	\$000's)			(\$00	00's)		
TD Greystone Canadian Equity Fund	524	-	3.29	-	\$ 13,836	\$	-	\$	(2,102)	\$	-	
TD Greystone Real Estate Fund	110	88	0.16	0.12	\$ 17,417	\$	13,572	\$	501	\$	850	
					\$ 31,253	\$	13,572	\$	(1,601)	\$	850	

#### **Private Equity**

In 2005, the Plan committed \$36 million US, as a Limited Partner, to GE Asset Management Incorporated (GEAM), investment manager for investment in the GEAM International Private Equity Fund, L.P. representing \$437 million US in total partnership commitments. One pension trust represents 50% of committed and invested funds with the sixteen Limited Partners representing the remaining 50%. The purpose of the Partnership is to invest in primarily private placement investments and through such investments provide its partners with current income and long-term capital gains. The private placements would be those of companies located and doing a substantial portion of their business outside of the United States. The Teachers' Superannuation Fund has 8.2% (2019 - 8.2%) of the committed and 14.0% (2019 - 9.5%) of the invested funds. As of June 30, 2020, the total value of the International Private Equity Fund, L.P. was \$45.1 million US (2019 - \$60.2 million US) and the Plan's share was \$8.6 million CDN (2019 - \$7.5 million CDN).

Effective September 30, 2008, the Plan committed an additional \$37.5 million US, as a Limited Partner, to GEAM, investment manager for investment in the International Private Equity Fund II, LP. The Teachers' Superannuation Fund has 11.0% (2019 - 11.0%) of the committed and 1.8% (2019 - 6.8%) of the invested funds. As of June 30, 2020, the total value of the International Private Equity Fund II, L.P. was \$1.8 million US (2019 - 6.3%) million US) and the Plan's share was \$0.05 million CDN (2019 - 0.6%). In 2014, the General Partnership for International Private Equity Fund II chose to release 40% of the Fund's commitments subsequent to the end of the investment stage for Fund II.

In July 2016, the General Electric Company (GE) sold GEAM's asset management and advisory services to State Street Global Advisors (SSGA).

#### **Determination of Fair Value**

The determination of fair value for both the Teachers' Superannuation Fund and the Voluntary Contributions Fund is based on valuations that make maximum use of available market information. The best measure of fair value is an independent quoted market price for the same instrument in an active market. An active market is one where quoted prices are readily available representing regularly occurring transactions. Fair value measurements are categorized into levels within a fair value hierarchy based on the nature of the inputs used in the valuation.

The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are:

Level 1 Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2 Inputs other than quoted market prices that are observable for the asset or liability either directly or indirectly; and

Level 3 Inputs that are not based on observable market data.

The following table classifies the Plan's financial instruments within a fair value hierarchy:

#### Teachers' Superannuation Fund (\$000's)

	Level 1				Level 2				Level 3				Total			
		2020 2019		2020 2019			2020 2019			2019	2020			2019		
Bonds and debentures	\$	-	\$	-	\$ 65,418	\$	42,389	\$	-	\$	-	\$	65,418	\$	42,389	
Pooled funds		-		-	13,836		-		17,417		13,572		31,253		13,572	
Equities		25,562		41,283	-		-		-		-		25,562		41,283	
Private equity		-		-	-		-		8,434		8,790		8,434		8,790	
Short - term		114,574		158,158	-		-		-		-		114,574		158,158	
Total	\$	140,136	\$	199,441	\$ 79,254	\$	42,389	\$	25,851	\$	22,362	\$	245,241	\$	264,192	

Fair value measurements using level 3 inputs:

#### Teachers' Superannuation Fund (\$000's)

		Estate ooled	•	one Private Equity		national te Equity	Total		
	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	2020	2019	
Balance at July 1	\$ 13,572	\$34,692	\$ -	\$ 34,458	\$ 8,790	\$ 9,149	\$ 22,362	\$ 78,299	
Purchases	3,344	1,000		-	-	-	3,344	1,000	
Sales	-	(22,970)		(75,662)	-	-	-	(98,632)	
Net transfers in (out)	-	-			-	-	-	-	
Gains (Losses):									
Realized	-	12,434		75,805	-	-	-	88,239	
Unrealized	501	(11,584)		(34,601)	(356)	(359)	145	(46,544)	
Balance at June 30	\$ 17,417	\$ 13,572	\$ -	. \$ -	\$8 ,434	\$ 8,790	\$ 25,851	\$ 22,362	

Realized and unrealized gains and losses appear in the increase or decrease in fair value of investments on the Statement of Changes in Net Assets Available for Benefits.

At June 30, 2020, the following techniques were used to determine the fair value of the investments categorized in level 3:

# i. Real Estate Pooled Funds

For the TD Greystone Real Estate Pooled Funds, the Pool Fund Manager uses an independent arm's length appraisal process for each property held within the pooled fund to establish the fair market value of the real estate investments on a semi-annual basis for each property in the Pooled Fund.

The fund is audited by an independent accounting firm on an annual basis which includes a review of the valuation process as well as the appropriateness of the values contained within the financial statements of the Real Estate Pooled Fund to ensure compliance with all standards set by the CPA Canada Handbook and all Canadian pension legislation that may apply to the Fund or its shareholders. Changes in the underlying assumptions would have an immaterial impact on the market value of the investments.

#### ii. Greystone Private Equity

The Plan's private equity investment in Greystone Capital Management Inc. (GCMI) consists of Nil shares (2019 - Nil) due to the sale of GCMI to Toronto Dominion Bank (TD) in November 2018. The TD share consideration received as part of this sale is now classified in Level 1 since they are listed on the open market.

### iii. International Private Equity

The Plan's private equity investment in the International Private Equity Fund I and Fund II are held through limited partnerships within the corresponding funds. The investments are valued using the net asset valuation technique by the General Partner, using the best information available, including quoted market prices or market prices for similar assets when available, internal cash flow estimates discounted at an appropriate interest rate or independent appraisals as appropriate. Changes in the underlying assumptions would have an immaterial impact on the market value of the investments.

The Voluntary Contributions Fund holds pooled funds which are classified as level 2 and are described below.

# **Voluntary Contributions Fund**

#### **Pooled Funds**

The Plan holds for the Voluntary Contributions Fund units in pooled funds, which have no fixed interest rate, and its returns are based on the success of the manager.

The TD Greystone International Equity Fund may use derivative financial instruments such as equity index future contracts for managing its equity portfolio and forward contracts for cash management. Derivative financial instruments are financial contracts that change in value resulting from changes in underlying assets or indices.

Derivative transactions are conducted in over-the-counter markets directly between two counterparties or on regulated exchange markets. All derivative financial instruments are recorded at fair value using market prices. Where market prices are not readily available, other valuation techniques are used to determine fair value.

The Voluntary Contributions Fund unit holdings are:

	Units	: Held	Ur	Total nits anding		Fair \	Value			vestment Change in		
	2020 2019		2019 2020 2019 2020 2019				2	020	2	019		
	(00	0's)	-			(\$00	00's)			(\$00	00's)	
TD Greystone International Equity Fund TD Greystone Canadian Fixed Income Fund	6 58	9 89	0.02 0.11	0.02 0.15	\$	86 756	\$	113 1,074	\$	10 69	\$	1 74
TD Greystone Canadian Equity Fund TD Greystone US	18	25	0.11	0.09		470		700		(13)		24
Equity Fund TD Greystone Money	3	4	0.05	0.06		87		113		16		15
Market Fund	19	28	0.03	0.06		193		281		4		5
					\$	1,592	\$	2,281	\$	86	\$	119

# 5. Teachers' Superannuation Fund – Determination of Investment Earnings for Administrative Purposes

The Commission determines investment earnings of the Superannuation Fund in order to establish what interest must be credited to teachers, and what interest teachers must pay when purchasing past service. The Commission has determined that only 25% of the current period change in fair values of investments (includes both realized and unrealized gains and losses) will be recognized as part of investment earnings. The remaining 75% will be recognized equally over the following three years as part of investment earnings. Interest and dividend income less investment expenses are fully allocated for the current year. The investment earnings rate was 16.90% (2019 – 13.47%) for the year.

# 6. Voluntary Contributions Fund - Earnings Allocation to Members

The Commission allocates all realized and unrealized gains/losses at year-end. During the year, the Commission allocated investment earnings less investment expenses of \$83,139 to teachers' accounts and for 2019 allocated investment earnings less investment expenses of \$116,039.

# 7. Related Party Transactions

These financial statements include transactions with related parties. The Plan is related to all Saskatchewan Crown agencies such as ministries, corporations, boards and commissions under the common control of the Government of Saskatchewan. Also, the Plan is related to non-Crown enterprises that the Government jointly controls or significantly influences.

# a) Administration

In accordance with the Act, all expenses of the administration are paid out of monies appropriated for the Ministry of Education by the Legislature. Accordingly, no provision for these costs is included in the financial statements.

Expenses related to managing, investing or disposing of assets of the Plan are paid directly by each fund. The annual expenses for custodial, brokerage and investment management fees appear on the following page.

			202	.0			2019						
	F	annuation und 000's)	Voluntary Contributions Fund (\$ 000's)		Total (\$ 000's)		Superannuation Fund (\$ 000's)		Voluntary Contributions Fund (\$ 000's)		Total (\$ 000's)		
Custodial fees	\$	34	\$	-	\$	34	\$	35	\$	-	\$	35	
Brokerage fees Investment and asset		3		-		3		8		-		8	
management fees		259		3		262		273		3		276	
	\$	296	\$	3	\$	299	\$	316	\$	3	\$	319	

# b) Investment Management Services

Previously, Greystone Managed Investments Inc. (GMI) provided investment management services to the Teachers' Superannuation Fund and the Voluntary Contributions Fund on a fee-for-service basis. The Teachers' Superannuation Fund was a shareholder in Greystone Capital Management Inc. (GCMI) and GMI was wholly-owned by GCMI. During 2018-19, the Fund divested its remaining investment in GCMI as a result of the sale of GCMI to the Toronto-Dominion bank which was announced in July 2018 and finalized in November 2018. Investment management services are now provided by TD Greystone Asset Management. The Teachers' Superannuation Fund holds 306,471 Common shares (2019 – 306,471 common shares) of the TD bank in escrow for a period of two years based on the terms of the Agreement from the sale of GCMI to TD bank.

# c) Investment Holdings

#### **Teachers' Superannuation Fund**

Included in the totals for bonds and debentures and income are Province of Saskatchewan holdings of \$649,141 (2019 - \$77,984) and interest income including change in fair value of \$60,280 (2019 - \$41,757).

# 8. Actuarial Valuation - Pension Benefits

# **Accrued Pension Benefit Obligation**

The present value of accrued pension benefits was determined using the projected benefit method prorated on services and the best estimate assumptions of the Teachers' Superannuation Commission. In June 2017, the Commission approved the policy change to perform actuarial valuations from every two years to every three years. Therefore, the most recent actuarial valuation prepared was at June 30, 2018.

Extrapolations are made every year using the last valuation available since the valuation results are not available until approximately six months following the year-end. An prepared an actuarial valuation of the Teachers' Superannuation Fund as at June 30, 2018 with an extrapolation made to June 30, 2020 and 2019 respectively.

The pension liability is based on a number of assumptions about future events including discount rate, rate of salary increase, inflation rate, mortality, retirement rates and termination rates. The actual rates may vary significantly from the long-term assumptions used.

The methodology used to determine the discount rate reflects a 10-year average of the Saskatchewan provincial bond yield curve to match the timing and amount of future expected benefit payments as well as the expected rate of return on assets. The single discount rate for each year in the 10-year average was determined as a blend between the funded and unfunded portions of the Plan and at June 30, 2018, the rate

was updated to reflect the expected rate of return on assets assumption of 4.0% per annum up to 2030. Prior to 2020, the single discount rate was used based on the single rate calculated to match the timing and amount of future expected benefits.

The Commission adopted the adjusted 2014 Public Sector Canadian Pensioner Mortality table with generational mortality improvements in accordance with Scale CPM-B and was used to prepare the actuarial valuation at June 30, 2018 and the extrapolation at June 30, 2020 and 2019.

In June 2018, the Commission approved a change to the inflation rate assumption, the salary scale assumption and the discount rate assumption reflected in the extrapolation at June 30, 2019. In June 2020, the Commission approved the change to the discount rate assumption which was reflected in the extrapolation at June 30, 2020.

The assumptions used in determining the actuarial value of accrued pension benefits were:

		2020	2019
•	salary increases	3.0% thereafter	3.0% thereafter
•	discount rate	3.0%/ year	2.5%/ year
•	inflation	2.25%	2.25%
•	mortality table	CPM-B 2014 generational	CPM-B 2014 generational

The following illustrates the effect of changing certain assumptions from the assumed rates. For the salary and discount rate categories, the changes in assumption are independent of one another. The inflation category, however, shows the impact of changing all assumptions that have an inflation component. In the scenario of the 1% change in inflation, the assumptions for the interest rate, salary increase, Year's Maximum Pensionable Earnings (YMPE) and Canada Revenue Agency pension maximum are also changed by 1%.

		Long-term assumptions										
Effect on Pension Obligation	Sal	ary	Discou	nt rates	Inflation							
	2.0%	4.0%	2.0%	4.0%	1.25%	3.25%						
(Decrease) Increase (\$000s)	\$(58)	\$58	\$637,354	\$(530,902)	\$135,763	\$(128,865)						

Assumption changes arise when the assumptions change from the previous valuation/extrapolation to the current valuation/extrapolation. In the June 30, 2020 extrapolation, the changes in assumptions decreased the accrued pension benefit by \$286.9 million and was due to the change in the discount rate assumption to a 10-year average of the Saskatchewan provincial bond yield curve and the expected return on assets.

#### 9. Investment Performance

The investment manager makes day-to-day decisions on whether to buy or sell investments in order to achieve the long-term performance objectives set by the Commission. The Commission reviews the investment performance of the Funds in terms of the performance of the benchmark portfolio over four-year

rolling periods. The primary long-term investment performance objective for the entire portfolio is to outperform a benchmark portfolio.

The following is a summary of the Plan's investment performance, which assumes a full allocation of realized and unrealized gains and losses:

	2020 annual return%	Rolling four-year average annual return%
Teachers' Superannuation Fund <sup>1</sup>	2.4%	8.3%
Target rate of return <sup>2</sup>	3.7%	3.0%
Voluntary Contributions Fund <sup>1</sup>	4.1%	5.3%
Target rate of return <sup>2</sup>	5.3%	5.2%

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The annual returns are before deducting investment expenses

# 10. Financial Risk Management

The nature of the Plan's operations results in a statement of financial position that consists primarily of financial instruments. The risks that arise are credit risk, market risk (consisting of interest rate risk, foreign exchange risk and equity price risk) and liquidity risk.

Significant financial risks are related to the Plan's investments. These financial risks are managed by having an investment policy, which is approved annually by the Commission. The investment policy provides guidelines to the Plan's investment managers for the asset mix of the portfolio regarding quality and quantity of fixed income, real estate and equity investments. The asset mix helps to reduce the impact of market value fluctuations by requiring investments in different asset classes and in domestic and foreign markets. The Commission reviews regular compliance reports from both its investment managers and custodian as to their compliance with the investment policy.

#### a) Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that one party does not pay funds owed to another party. The Plan's credit risk arises primarily from two distinct sources – accounts receivable and certain investments. The maximum credit risk to which it is exposed at June 30, 2020 is limited to the carrying value of the financial assets and is disclosed in the table below.

	2020 Carrying Value (\$000's)	2019 Carrying Value (\$000's)
Teachers' Superannuation Fund		
Cash	78	42
Contributions receivable	16,967	30,884
Fixed income investments	179,992	200,547
Due from General Revenue Fund	232	280
Voluntary Contributions Fund		
Due from General Revenue Fund	23	22

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> The Commission's weighted target rate of return for its investment portfolio (return on the benchmark portfolio) has been determined, after the fact, using the weighted actual returns of certain market indices such as S&P/TSX Capped Composite Index, S&P 500, MSCI EAFE, FTSE TMX Canada Universe Bond Index, MSCI/REALPAC Annual Property Index and 91-Day T-Bills.

Fixed income investments include short-term investments and bonds and debentures. Accounts receivable are primarily made up of employee and employer contributions receivable and accrued investment income. Employee and employer contributions receivable are generally received in less than 30 days. Accrued investment income is received on the next scheduled payment date, generally annually or semi-annually.

For both the Teachers' Superannuation Fund and the Voluntary Contributions Fund, credit risk within investments is primarily related to short-term investments and bonds and debentures. The Commission limits the credit risk by dealing with issuers that are considered to be high quality (minimum rating of BBB for bonds and debentures and R-1 for short-term investments) along with an investment policy that limits the maximum exposure with respect to any one issuer. The credit ratings used to describe the bonds and debentures appear below.

**Teachers' Superannuation Fund** 

	202	20	2019			
Credit Rating	Fair Values (\$000's)	% Portfolio	Fair Values (\$000's)	% Portfolio		
AAA	\$ 19,115	29.2	\$ 15,110	35.7		
AA	20,843	31.9	17,560	41.4		
A	14,135	21.6	4,722	11.1		
BBB	11,325	17.3	4,997	11.8		
Total	\$ 65,418	100.0	\$ 42,389	100.0		

With bonds and debentures, there are no holdings from one issuer, other than the Government of Canada or a Canadian province, over 4.48% of the market value of the combined bonds and debentures and short-term investment portfolios. No one holding of a province is over 13.56% of the market value of the investment portfolio.

#### b) Market Risk

The Commission invests in publicly traded equities and bonds available on domestic and foreign exchanges. These securities are affected by market changes and fluctuations. The Commission manages market risk by investing in different domestic and foreign markets and through the establishment and review of asset mix ranges and limits for various investments. The Commission does not use derivative financial instruments to alter the effects of these market changes and fluctuations except through their use in pooled funds.

Market risk represents the potential for loss from changes in the value of financial instruments. Value can be affected by changes in interest rates, foreign exchange rates and equity prices. Market risk primarily impacts the value of investments.

# **Interest Rate Risk**

Interest rate risk refers to the adverse consequences of interest rate changes on the Plan's cash flows, financial position and income. This risk arises from differences in the timing and amount of cash flows related to the Plan's assets and liabilities. The value of the Plan's assets is affected by short-term changes in nominal interest rates in its short-term investments and bonds and debentures. Interest rate risk is managed by investing in bonds and debentures with varying durations.

It is estimated that a 100 basis point change in interest rates would change net assets available for benefits and Plan deficit by \$14.4 million at June 30, 2020; representing 8.0% of the \$180.0 million of fixed income investments.

The Voluntary Contributions Fund is exposed to changes in interest rates in its money market and the fixed income pooled funds. It is estimated that a 100 basis point change in interest rates would change net assets available for benefits by \$0.1 million at June 30, 2020; representing 8.0% of the \$1.0 million of fixed income investments.

#### Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency exposure arises from the Plan holding investments denominated in currencies other than the Canadian Dollar. Fluctuations in the relative value of the Canadian Dollar against these foreign currencies results in a positive or negative effect on the fair value of investments. Exposure to both U.S. equities and non-North American equities is limited to a maximum 15% of the market value of the total investment portfolio. At June 30, 2020, the Plan's exposure to U.S. currencies was 6.3% (2019 – 5.5%).

At June 30, 2020, a 10% change in the Canadian Dollar versus the U.S. Dollar exchange rate would result in approximately a \$1.5 million change in the net assets available for benefits and Plan deficit.

# **Equity Price Risk**

The Teachers' Superannuation Fund is exposed to changes in equity prices in Canadian, U.S. and EAFE markets. Equities and equity pooled funds comprise 16.1% (2019 – 15.6%) of the market value of the Fund's total investments. The investment policy of the Teachers' Superannuation Fund limits the Plan's equity exposure to 22.5% of the Plan's total investments and any holding to represent no more than 30% of the outstanding shares of the issuing corporation. The policy also limits the Voluntary Contributions Fund's equity exposure to 60% of the Plan's total investments.

For the Voluntary Contributions Fund, equity pooled funds comprise 40.4% (2019 – 40.6%) of the market value of the Fund's total investments.

The table below indicates the approximate change that could be anticipated to both the increase in net assets available for benefits and Plan deficit based on changes in the Plan's benchmark indices at June 30, 2020.

		Change in	thousands	of\$
	10%	increase	109	% decrease
Teachers' Superannuation Fund				
S&P/TSX Composite Index	\$	3,240	\$	(3,240)
S&P 500 Index		699		(699)
Voluntary Contributions Fund				
S&P/TSX Composite Index	\$	47	\$	(47)
S&P 500 Index		9		(9)
MSCI EAFE Index		9		(9)

#### Securities Collateral

At June 30, 2020, the Plan has not borrowed any securities, therefore no Plan assets have been deposited or pledged as collateral or margin. As part of the Plan's securities lending strategy, cash and non-cash collateral has been pledged as security to the Plan by various counterparties for securities out on loan to the counterparties. At June 30, 2020, cash collateral of \$Nil million (2019 – \$Nil million) and non-cash collateral of \$4.1 million (2019 – \$4.8 million) was pledged to the Plan.

For loans of Canadian fixed income securities and Canadian equities collateralized by cash, the cash collateral must have a market value of not less than 102% of the market value of the loaned securities. For loans of Canadian fixed income securities and Canadian equities collateralized by non-cash collateral, the collateral must have a market value of not less than 105% of the market value of the loaned securities.

The Voluntary Contributions Fund does not have a securities lending strategy.

#### Real Estate Risk

Risk in the real estate pooled fund is managed through diversification across real estate types and locations. Adverse impacts in any one segment of the market or geographic location are minimized by having holdings diversified across property type, geographic location and investment size. The real estate portfolio currently consists of \$17.4 million (2019 – \$13.6 million) in real estate pooled funds.

The Voluntary Contributions Fund does not have real estate holdings.

# c) Liquidity Risk

The Plan is exposed to liquidity risk through its responsibility to pay pensions on a timely basis. The contributions from the GRF as well as the majority of Plan investments provide sufficient liquidity to support the Plan's required cash flows without impacting its asset mix. Cash resources are managed on a daily basis based on anticipated cash flows. Accounts payable are due within one year.

#### 11. Cash Flow Forecast

The total cash inflow is the amount of contributions and investment income expected to be received by the pension plan. The GRF contributions include matching contributions and additional amounts contributed pursuant to section 9(4) of the Act. The total cash outflow is the amount required to pay all pension obligations. The cash required is the amount by which the cash outflows exceed cash inflows and is forecasted to the year 2049-50. The cash required will be funded from the proceeds of disposals of investments for the period 2019 to 2030.

The forecast of cash inflows and outflows have been determined using the long-term assumptions used in the June 30, 2018 valuation. All amounts shown are based on actual dollar forecasts and appear in the table on the following page.

			Cas	sh inflows						
	Teacher Contrib		GRF Con	: tributions	Inve Inco	stment	Cas Out	h :flows	Cas Red	sh quired
		(\$ 000's)		(\$ 000's)		(\$ 000's)		(\$ 000's)		(\$ 000's)
2020-21		146		295,625		9,156		329,978		25,051
2021-22		71		290,943		8,124		326,730		27,592
2022-23		26		287,655		7,016		323,631		28,934
2023-24		10		293,904		6,026		321,365		21,425
2024-25		-		294,385		5,212		319,650		20,053
Total within										
5 years	\$	253	\$	1,462,512	\$	35,534	\$	1,621,354	\$	123,055
Total 6 to										
10 years	\$		\$	1,421,857	\$	12,869	\$	1,557,495	\$	122,769
Total 11 to 30 years	\$	_	\$	3,960,463	\$	_	\$	3,960,463	\$	_
30 years				3,300,403	7			3,300,403	7	

#### 12. Fair Value of Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities

For the following financial instruments the fair value approximates their carrying value due to the immediate or short-term nature of these instruments. These financial instruments are interest and non-interest bearing and are due or payable within the next year.

- Cash
- Due from GRF
- Accrued investment income
- Teachers' contributions receivable and GRF contributions receivable
- Accounts Payable

For investments, fair values are considered to be market value, the calculation of which is described in Note 4. The actuarial accrued pension benefits are long-term in nature and there is no market for settling these obligations. Therefore, determination of the fair value of the actuarial accrued pension benefits is not practicable (see Note 8).

### 13. Capital Management

The Plan receives new capital from employee and employer contributions. The plan also benefits from income and market value increases on its invested capital. The Plan's capital is invested in a number of asset classes including equities, fixed-income and short-term investments. The Commission has delegated the operational investment decisions to a number of different investment management firms through a number of different investment mandates as defined in the Plan's Statement of Investment Policy and Objective Statement (IP&OS).

# 14. Covid-19

The COVID-19 pandemic is complex and rapidly evolving. It has caused material disruption to businesses and has resulted in an economic slowdown. The Plan continue to assess and monitor the impact of COVID-19 on their financial condition. The magnitude and duration of COVID-19 is uncertain and, accordingly, it is difficult to reliably measure the potential impact on the Plan's financial position and operations.

# **Investment Schedules**

SCHEDULE 1
TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AND ACCRUED INTEREST AS AT JUNE 30 (UNAUDITED)

		202	0	2	019	9		
	<b>Total Fair</b>		Accrued	<b>Total Fair</b>		Accrued		
	Value		Interest	Value		Interest		
	(\$000's)		(\$000's)	(\$000's)		(\$000's)		
Canada and Canada								
Guaranteed	\$ 17,329	\$	27	\$ 14,440	\$	19		
Provincial and Provincially								
Guaranteed	20,127		49	11,461		29		
Urban Municipalities								
And Hospitals	-		-	-		-		
Corporate Debentures	27,962		186	16,488		131		
Camarata Chara	25 562		_	44 202		24		
Corporate Shares	25,562		5	41,283		24		
Pooled Funds	31,253		-	13,572		-		
Short Term	114,574		4	158,158		4		
Private Equity	8,434		-	8,790		11		
Total	\$ 245,241	\$	271	\$ 264,192	\$	218		

SCHEDULE 2
TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS ACQUIRED, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020 (UNAUDITED)

		Coupon Interest Rate	Fair Value
Investments	Maturity Date	%	\$
DEBENTURES:			
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2024	2.50	320,413
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2025	2.25	2,519,753
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2027	1.00	923,967
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2028	2.00	4,754,462
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Dec. 01, 2048	2.75	3,358,883
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Dec. 01, 2051	2.00	1,302,676
407 INTERNATIONAL INC	Sep. 8, 2044	3.65	189,774
ALIMENTATION COUCHE TARD	Jul. 26, 2024	3.06	293,325
ALTAGAS LTD	Jun.10, 2025	2.16	45,000
ALTALINK LP	Jun. 30, 2042	3.99	167,859
BANK OF MONTREAL	Oct. 06, 2020	2.10	345,683
BANK OF MONTREAL	Apr. 23, 2021	3.40	1,282,832
BANK OF MONTREAL	Jul. 29, 2024	2.28	855,581
BANK OF MONTREAL	Feb. 03, 2025	2.37	514,775
BANK OF MONTREAL	Mar. 06, 2024	2.85	280,080
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Jan. 18, 2029	1.00	306,491
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Sep. 09, 2020	2.09	232,350
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Apr. 27, 2022	1.83	812,721
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	May. 01, 2023	2.38	765,122
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Sep. 23, 2024	2.49	322,076
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Feb. 03, 2025	2.16	487,049
BELL CANADA	Jan. 29, 2025	2.75	267,115
BELL CANADA	Mar. 12, 2025	3.35	379,338
BELL CANADA	May. 14, 2030	2.50	240,576
BELL CANADA	Sep. 30, 2050	3.50	203,246
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2021	1.25	4,862,141
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Dec. 15, 2021	1.50	5,152,980
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2022	1.75	2,467,227
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Dec. 15, 2022	2.40	3,551,459
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2023	2.35	2,134,370
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Sep. 15, 2023	2.35	1,537,906
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2024	2.90	1,514,254
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Mar. 15, 2025	1.00	579,530
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2025	0.95	728,519
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2027	2.35	497,760
CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK	Jul. 12, 2021	1.64	828,160
CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK	Jun. 09, 2023	2.43	1,381,549
CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK	Oct. 28, 2024	1.00	194,512

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		Coupon Interest Rate	Fair Value
Investments	Maturity Date	mterest kate %	value \$
CHOICE PROPERTIES LP	Sep. 20, 2021	3.60	232,555
CHOICE PROPERTIES REIT	Sep. 09, 2024	3.56	245,648
CHOICE PROPERTIES REIT	May. 21, 2027	2.85	337,000
CHOICE PROPERTIES REIT	Mar. 08, 2028	4.18	376,334
CU INC	Sep. 07, 2049	2.96	416,234
ENBRIDGE GAS INC	Apr. 01, 2030	2.90	734,035
ENBRIDGE GAS INC	Apr. 01, 2050	3.65	167,635
ENBRIDGE INC	Mar. 09, 2020	4.53	176,650
ENBRIDGE INC	Mar. 11, 2021	3.16	265,119
ENBRIDGE INC	Jun. 08, 2027	3.20	263,281
ENBRIDGE INC	Sep. 27, 2077	1.00	382,875
ENBRIDGE PIPELINES INC	Aug. 09, 2046	4.13	245,829
EPCOR UTILITIES	May. 19, 2050	2.90	138,000
FED CAISSES DESJARDINS	Oct. 04, 2024	2.42	443,000
FED CAISSES DESJARDINS	May. 26, 2030	1.00	383,000
HEATHROW FUNDING LTD	Sep. 04, 2032	3.78	191,603
HSBC BANK CANADA	Jan. 14, 2020	2.94	190,013
HSBC BANK CANADA	Jan. 29, 2021	2.45	446,846
HSBC BANK CANADA	Sep. 29, 2021	2.91	1,693,551
HSBC BANK CANADA	Sep. 15, 2022	2.25	1,285,902
HSBC BANK CANADA	Jan. 31, 2023	2.54	513,682
HYDRO ONE INC	Apr. 05, 2024	2.54	213,673
HYDRO ONE INC	Jun. 26, 2025	2.97	241,758
HYDRO ONE INC	Nov. 18, 2047	3.72	179,699
LOBLAW COS LTD	Jun. 10, 2024	3.92	164,990
MANULIFE BANK OF CANADA	Jun. 25, 2025	1.50	103,000
MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORP	May. 12, 2030	1.00	679,000
MET LIFE GLOB FUNDING I	Apr. 09, 2030	3.39	406,000
MUSKRAT FALLS/LABRADOR T	Dec. 01, 2048	3.86	225,656
NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA	Mar. 04, 2024	2.98	107,066
NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA	Jul. 12, 2024	2.55	320,000
NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA	Feb. 01, 2028	1.00	347,974
NAV CANADA	Sep. 29, 2051	2.92	81,000
NORTH WEST REDWATER PRT	Jun. 01, 2029	4.25	808,563
PEMBINA PIPELINE CORP	Aug. 11, 2026	3.71	255,960
PEMBINA PIPELINE CORP	May. 28, 2050	4.67	94,358
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Dec. 15, 2022	2.55	401,354
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Jun. 01, 2024	3.10	646,170
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Jun. 01, 2030	2.05	485,128

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		Coupon Interest Rate	Fair Value	
Investments	Maturity Date	%	\$	
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Jun. 01, 2031	3.50	522,968	
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Dec. 01, 2048	3.05	206,714	
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Jun. 01, 2050	3.10	581,946	
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA	Dec. 18, 2028	2.95	149,265	
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA	Jun. 18, 2050	2.95	876,766	
PROVINCE OF MANITOBA	Sep. 05, 2046	2.85	165,142	
PROVINCE OF MANITOBA	Mar. 05, 2050	3.20	348,412	
PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA	Jun. 01, 2042	4.40	90,866	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2022	3.15	2,028,844	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2023	2.85	2,192,728	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2025	2.60	594,023	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Sep. 08, 2025	1.75	424,553	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2026	2.40	1,725,370	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2028	2.90	1,029,600	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2029	2.70	760,219	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2031	6.20	235,554	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2045	3.45	1,016,052	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2048	2.80	2,540,718	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2049	2.90	391,769	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Dec. 02, 2050	2.65	1,906,732	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Sep. 01, 2025	2.75	446,174	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Jun. 01, 2032	6.25	1,064,954	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Dec. 01, 2048	3.50	1,214,892	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Dec. 01, 2051	3.10	741,139	
PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN	Dec. 02, 2046	2.75	52,717	
PROVINCE OF SASKATCHEWAN	Jun. 02, 2050	3.10	468,530	
ROGERS COMMUNICATIONS IN	Mar. 31, 2027	3.65	186,086	
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Mar. 15, 2021	2.03	1,182,222	
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	May. 01, 2025	1.94	535,000	
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Jun. 04, 2025	1.00	454,686	
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Jan. 28, 2027	2.33	794,028	
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Jun. 30, 2030	1.00	369,000	
SMARTCENTRES REIT	Jun. 23, 2021	2.76	601,016	
SMARTCENTRES REIT	Jun. 11, 2027	3.19	209,131	
SUN LIFE FINANCIAL INC	May. 10, 2032	1.00	329,875	
TELUS CORP	Jan. 17, 2025	3.75	346,466	
TELUS CORP	Jul. 08, 2026	2.75	824,732	
TELUS CORP	Feb. 19, 2030	3.15	122,568	
THOMSON REUTERS CORP	May. 14, 2025	2.24	449,000	

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		Coupon	Fair
Investments	Maturity Date	Interest Rate %	Value \$
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Mar. 08, 2021	2.05	287,585
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	May. 30, 2023	3.01	324,487
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Jun. 24, 2025	1.00	615,930
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Sep. 30, 2025	1.00	241,346
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Apr. 22, 2030	1.00	656,000
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Mar. 04, 2031	1.00	168,640
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Jan. 26, 2032	1.00	227,205
TOYOTA CREDIT CANADA INC	Oct. 23, 2024	2.31	252,924
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Apr. 05, 2027	3.80	901,155
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Sep. 18, 2029	3.00	248,443
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Jun. 06, 2046	4.35	264,682
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Jul. 03, 2048	4.18	372,086
WELLS FARGO + COMPANY	May. 19, 2026	2.98	446,927
WELLS FARGO + COMPANY	Feb. 18, 2027	2.49	1,152,281
SHARES:			
ADOBE INC			44,873
AGNICO EAGLE MINES LTD			113,769
ALGONQUIN POWER + UTILITIES			101,104
ALPHABET INC			66,307
ALTRIA GROUP			30,028
AMAZON.COM INC			114,819
AMERICAN TOWER CORP REIT			37,804
APPLE INC			125,604
AUTOZONE INC			41,913
BANK OF MONTREAL			228,854
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA			181,873
BOEING CO			34,958
BOOKING HOLDINGS INC			27,624
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP			42,741
BOYD GROUP INCOME FUND			47,344
BOYD GROUP SERVICES INC			132,604
BROADCOM INC			37,400
BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGE CL A			145,681
CANADIAN NATL RAILWAY CO			187,667
CANADIAN NATURAL RESOURCES			98,134
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY LTD			118,482
CAPRI HOLDINGS LTD			11,723
CATERPILLAR INC			33,524
CBRE GROUP INC			63,055

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		Coupon Interest Rate	Fair Value	
Investments	Maturity Date	%	\$	
CCL INDUSTRIES INC CL B			95,946	
CELANESE CORP			31,404	
CGI INC			163,524	
CHEVRON CORP			54,167	
CITIGROUP INC			81,685	
COLLIERS INTERNATIONAL GROUP			35,813	
COMCAST CORP			38,905	
CONSTELLATION BRANDS INC			46,600	
CONSTELLATION SOFTWARE INC			55,820	
COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP			24,352	
DESCARTES SYSTEMS GRP/THE			42,487	
DOLLARAMA INC			53,513	
ENBRIDGE INC			203,531	
ENERPLUS CORP			43,593	
EOG RESOURCES INC			33,801	
FACEBOOK INC			115,286	
FORTIS INC			120,817	
FRANCO NEVADA CORP			112,550	
GREYSTONE CANADIAN EQUITY FUND			21,264,716	
GREYSTONE REAL ESTATE FUND INC			3,344,000	
HOME DEPOT INC			40,440	
HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC			40,624	
JPMORGAN CHASE + CO			53,999	
KILLAM APARTMENT REAL ESTATE			301,992	
LOBLAW COMPANIES LTD			98,811	
LOCKHEED MARTIN CORP			56,253	
LUNDIN MINING CORP			49,032	
MAGNA INTERNATIONAL INC			41,972	
MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORP			156,144	
MAPLE LEAF FOODS INC			50,537	
MASTERCARD INC			44,082	
MEDTRONIC PLC			91,884	
MERCK + CO. INC.			56,701	
MICROSOFT CORP			108,322	
MORGAN STANLEY			66,806	
NEXTERA ENERGY INC			48,233	
NIKE INC			82,831	
NVIDIA CORP			55,980	
ONEX CORPORATION			111,546	

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		Coupon Interest Rate	Fair Value
Investments	<b>Maturity Date</b>	%	\$
OPEN TEXT CORP			95,774
PEMBINA PIPELINE CORP			127,019
PFIZER INC			66,789
PHILIP MORRIS INTERNATIONAL			152,228
PNC FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP			58,977
PROGRESSIVE CORP			44,977
QUEBECOR INC CL B			113,401
ROGERS COMMUNICATIONS INC B			90,860
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA			322,171
S+P GLOBAL INC			44,900
SERVICENOW INC			30,891
SEVEN GENERATIONS ENERGY A			27,359
SHOPIFY INC CLASS A			46,039
SPIN MASTER CORP SUB VTG SHR			32,670
SUN LIFE FINANCIAL INC			86,043
SUNCOR ENERGY INC			239,722
T MOBILE US INC			135,468
TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INC			117,069
THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC			41,310
TJX COMPANIES INC			43,397
TORONTO DOMINION BANK			348,621
UNION PACIFIC CORP			37,962
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC			48,406
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC			45,665
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC			27,726
VISA INC			49,802
WALMART INC			30,789
WASTE CONNECTIONS INC			183,831
WASTE MANAGEMENT INC			57,655
WHITECAP RESOURCES INC			24,096
ZOETIS INC			42,854
SHORT TERM:			735,853,194
TOTAL:			\$ 864,086,051

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TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS DISPOSED, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020 (UNAUDITED)

		Coupon	Fair	
		Interest Rate	Value	
Investments	Maturity Date	%	\$	
Debentures:				
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2024	2.50	320,290	
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2025	2.25	4,576,059	
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2027	1.00	1,228,442	
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Jun. 01, 2028	2.00	4,276,752	
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Dec. 01, 2048	2.75	5,076,788	
GOVERNMENT OF CANADA	Dec. 01, 2051	2.00	216,334	
407 INTERNATIONAL INC	Sep. 08, 2044	3.65	167,378	
407 INTERNATIONAL INC	Mar. 06, 2030	3.14	191,703	
ALIMENTATION COUCHE TARD	Jul. 26, 2024	3.06	158,783	
ALLIANCE PIPELINE LP	Jun. 23, 2030	7.18	11,632	
BANK OF MONTREAL	Oct. 06, 2020	2.10	719,841	
BANK OF MONTREAL	Apr. 23, 2021	3.40	1,784,801	
BANK OF MONTREAL	Jul. 29, 2024	2.28	202,966	
BANK OF MONTREAL	Mar. 06, 2024	2.85	434,321	
BANK OF MONTREAL	Feb. 03, 2025	2.37	510,112	
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Sep. 09, 2020	2.09	334,483	
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Apr. 27, 2022	1.83	648,530	
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Feb. 03, 2025	2.16	380,812	
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA	Jan. 18, 2029	1.00	321,135	
BELL CANADA	Jan. 29, 2025	2.75	274,282	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2021	1.25	7,542,917	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Dec. 15, 2021	1.50	4,592,898	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2022	1.75	2,484,798	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2023	2.35	1,749,971	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2025	0.95	53,248	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Mar. 15, 2025	1.00	47,056	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2027	2.35	1,355,426	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Dec. 15, 2022	2.40	474,345	
CANADA HOUSING TRUST	Jun. 15, 2024	2.90	1,543,251	
CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK	Jul. 12, 2021	1.64	1,900,527	
CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK	Sep. 14, 2021	2.90	210,814	
CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK	Oct. 28, 2024	1.00	579,752	
CHOICE PROPERTIES REIT	Mar. 08, 2028	4.18	232,604	
CU INC	Sep. 09, 2043	4.72	260,575	
CU INC	Sep. 07, 2049	2.96	170,255	
ENBRIDGE GAS INC	Apr. 01, 2030	2.90	107,206	
ENBRIDGE GAS INC	Apr. 01, 2050	3.65	177,700	
ENBRIDGE INC	Mar. 09, 2020	4.53	298,584	

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		Coupon	Fair	
		Interest Rate	Value	
Investments	<b>Maturity Date</b>	%	\$	
ENBRIDGE INC	Sep. 27, 2077	1.00	182,010	
ENBRIDGE PIPELINES INC	Aug. 09, 2046	4.13	205,173	
FED CAISSES DESJARDINS	Oct. 04, 2024	2.42	66,237	
FINNING INTL INC	Jul. 03, 2020	3.23	123,806	
HEATHROW FUNDING LTD	Sep. 04, 2032	3.78	41,375	
HSBC BANK CANADA	Jan. 14, 2020	2.94	830,320	
HSBC BANK CANADA	Jan. 29, 2021	2.45	1,100,697	
HSBC BANK CANADA	Sep. 29, 2021	2.91	514,894	
HSBC BANK CANADA	Sep. 15, 2022	2.25	622,807	
HYDRO ONE INC	Apr. 05, 2024	2.54	126,944	
HYDRO ONE INC	Jun. 26, 2025	2.97	719,487	
HYDRO ONE INC	Apr. 05, 2029	3.02	118,231	
HYDRO ONE INC	Nov. 18, 2047	3.72	126,799	
IGM FINANCIAL INC	Jul. 13, 2048	4.17	157,055	
LABRADOR ISLAND LINK FUN	Dec. 01, 2045	3.86	243,116	
LOBLAW COS LTD	Jun. 10, 2024	3.92	340,478	
MET LIFE GLOB FUNDING I	Apr. 09, 2030	3.39	170,869	
NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA	Mar. 04, 2024	2.98	108,374	
NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA	Jul. 12, 2024	2.55	320,832	
NATIONAL BANK OF CANADA	Feb. 01, 2028	1.00	353,329	
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Dec. 15, 2022	2.55	717,947	
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA	Jun. 01, 2030	2.05	482,211	
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA	Dec. 18, 2028	2.95	86,123	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2022	3.15	2,820,679	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2023	2.85	1,130,889	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2025	2.60	499,722	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Sep. 08, 2025	1.75	435,960	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2026	2.40	313,868	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2028	2.90	1,285,901	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2029	2.70	767,787	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2031	6.20	693,750	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2045	3.45	535,307	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2048	2.80	2,466,195	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Jun. 02, 2049	2.90	391,703	
PROVINCE OF ONTARIO	Dec. 02, 2050	2.65	1,411,330	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Jun. 01, 2032	6.25	1,119,819	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Dec. 01, 2048	3.50	822,393	
PROVINCE OF QUEBEC	Dec. 01, 2051	3.10	242,526	
ROGERS COMMUNICATIONS IN	Mar. 31, 2027	3.65	204,013	

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		Coupon	Fair
		Interest Rate	Value
Investments	Maturity Date	%	\$
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Mar. 15, 2021	2.03	2,513,851
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Jun. 04, 2025	1.00	454,572
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA	Jan. 28, 2027	2.33	819,065
ROYAL OFFICE FINANCE LP	Nov. 12, 2037	5.21	8,073
SMARTCENTRES REIT	Feb. 06, 2025	3.56	183,980
SMARTCENTRES REIT	Aug. 09, 2026	3.44	195,153
TELUS CORP	Jan. 17, 2025	3.75	353,853
TELUS CORP	Jul. 08, 2026	2.75	744,278
TELUS CORP	Feb. 19, 2030	3.15	122,492
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Mar. 08, 2021	2.05	664,609
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	May. 30, 2023	3.01	99,798
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Jun. 24, 2025	1.00	614,460
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Sep. 30, 2025	1.00	615,821
TORONTO DOMINION BANK	Jan. 26, 2032	1.00	504,518
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Sep. 18, 2029	3.00	248,136
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Jun. 06, 2046	4.35	306,927
TRANSCANADA PIPELINES	Jul. 03, 2048	4.18	123,387
WELLS FARGO + COMPANY	May. 19, 2026	2.98	322,248
WELLS FARGO + COMPANY	Feb. 18, 2027	2.49	468,019
SHARES:			
ADOBE INC			45,793
AGNICO EAGLE MINES LTD			508,642
ALGONQUIN POWER + UTILITIES			478,629
ALPHABET INC			69,691
ALTRIA GROUP INC			116,827
AMAZON.COM INC			70,364
AMERICAN TOWER CORP			65,086
APPLE INC			80,343
AUTOZONE INC			69,567
BANK OF MONTREAL			683,812
BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA			718,260
BOEING CO			76,437
BOOKING HOLDINGS INC			100,931
BOSTON SCIENTIFIC CORP			51,796
BOYD GROUP INCOME FUND UNIT			144,305
BOYD GROUP SERVICES INC			219,300
BROADCOM INC			32,122
BROOKFIELD ASSET MANAGE			716,817
CANADIAN NATL RAILWAY CO			722,256

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		Coupon	Fair
In the state of th	Made with Date	Interest Rate	Value
Investments	Maturity Date	%	\$
CANADIAN NATURAL RESOURCES		<del></del>	415,324
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY LTD		<del></del>	505,914
CAPRI HOLDINGS LTD			58,860
CATERPILLAR INC			28,300
CBRE GROUP INC			54,786
CCL INDUSTRIES INC			328,739
CELANESE CORP			24,183
CGI INC			697,634
CHEVRON CORP			38,525
CITIGROUP INC			34,917
COLLIERS INTERNATIONAL GROUP			140,927
COMCAST CORP			154,692
CONSTELLATION BRANDS INC			23,379
CONSTELLATION SOFTWARE INC			241,714
COSTCO WHOLESALE CORP			24,307
DESCARTES SYSTEMS GRP			202,383
DOLLARAMA INC			201,230
ENBRIDGE INC			894,553
ENERPLUS CORP			120,617
EOG RESOURCES INC			19,551
FACEBOOK INC			44,586
FORTIS INC			515,279
FRANCO NEVADA CORP			564,369
GREYSTONE CANADIAN EQUITY FUND			2,985,425
HOME DEPOT INC			38,236
HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC			31,956
JPMORGAN CHASE + CO			46,973
KILLAM APARTMENT REAL ESTATE REIT			369,172
LOBLAW COMPANIES LTD			388,287
LOCKHEED MARTIN CORP			53,566
LUNDIN MINING CORP			195,980
MAGNA INTERNATIONAL INC			170,579
MANULIFE FINANCIAL CORP			661,443
MAPLE LEAF FOODS INC			174,559
MASTERCARD INC			42,114
MEDTRONIC PLC			38,470
MERCK + CO. INC.			82,776
MICROSOFT CORP			120,283
MORGAN STANLEY			54,400
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SCHEDULE 3
TEACHERS' SUPERANNUATION FUND
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS DISPOSED, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020 (UNAUDITED)

		Coupon Interest Rate	Fair Value
Investments	Maturity Date	"" %	value \$
NEXTERA ENERGY INC	Widtarity Bate		50,803
NIKE INC			2,770
NVIDIA CORP			58,593
ONEX CORPORATION			464,737
OPEN TEXT CORP			419,540
PEMBINA PIPELINE CORP			506,077
PFIZER INC			36,484
PHILIP MORRIS INTERNATIONAL			27,484
PNC FINANCIAL SERVICES GROUP			31,886
PROGRESSIVE CORP			53,640
QUEBECOR INC			469,831
ROGERS COMMUNICATIONS INC			335,976
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA			1,247,784
S+P GLOBAL INC			97,098
SERVICENOW INC			118,283
SEVEN GENERATIONS ENERGY			111,007
SHOPIFY INC			264,800
SPIN MASTER CORP			131,432
SUN LIFE FINANCIAL INC			381,892
SUNCOR ENERGY INC			664,526
T MOBILE US INC			19,074
TEXAS INSTRUMENTS INC			24,451
THERMO FISHER SCIENTIFIC INC			40,830
TJX COMPANIES INC			67,619
TORONTO DOMINION BANK			1,291,183
UNION PACIFIC CORP			52,156
UNITEDHEALTH GROUP INC			51,845
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS INC			39,838
VERTEX PHARMACEUTICALS INC			50,790
VISA INC			46,308
WALMART INC			47,368
WASTE CONNECTIONS INC			727,391
WASTE MANAGEMENT INC			33,363
WHITECAP RESOURCES INC			94,462
ZOETIS INC			83,083
BROKERAGE FEES			3,404
SHORT TERM:		_	780,677,300
TOTAL:		_	\$ 882,466,637

SCHEDULE 4
TEACHERS' VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS FUND
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS AND ACCRUED INTEREST, AS AT JUNE 30, 2020 (UNAUDITED)

	202	20			20	19		
Investments	Total Fai	r Value	Accrued Inter	est	Total Fa	ir Value	Accrued Interes	t
	(\$00	0's)	(\$000's)		(\$00	0's)	(\$000's)	
Pooled Funds	\$	1,592	\$		\$	2,281	\$	
Total	\$	1,592	\$		\$	2,281	\$	

SCHEDULE 5
VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS FUND
SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS ACQUIRED, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020 (UNAUDITED)

Investments	Fair	
	Value	
POOLED FUNDS:		
Greystone Canadian Equity Fund	\$ 183,467	
Greystone US Equity Fund	55,310	
Greystone Fixed Income Fund	102,610	
Greystone Money Market Fund	83,193	
Greystone International Equity Fund	 18,811	
TOTAL	\$ 443,391	

# SCHEDULE 6 VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS FUND SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS DISPOSED, YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 2020 (UNAUDITED)

		Fair Value	
Investments			
POOLED FUNDS:			
Greystone Canadian Equity Fund	\$	398,461	
Greystone US Equity Fund		96,770	
Greystone Fixed Income Fund		490,555	
Greystone Money Market Fund		171,029	
Greystone International Equity Fund		56,111	
TOTAL	\$	1,212,926	

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