

**SOUTH YORKSHIRE FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY
LOCAL PENSION BOARD**



DECLARATION OF INTERESTS

Section 5(4) of the Public Service Pensions Act 2013 (PSPA 2013) requires that any member of the Local Pension Board (LPB) must not have a conflict of interest ie. a “financial or other interest which is likely to prejudice the person’s exercise of functions as a member of the board” (this does not include a financial or other interest arising merely by virtue of being a member of any connected scheme).

A conflict of interest exists where there is a divergence between the individual interests of a person and their responsibility towards the Local Pension Board, such that it may be reasonably questioned whether the actions or decisions of that person are influenced by their own interests.

Please answer all questions to ensure fulfilment of the “no conflict of interest” requirements of the PSPA 2013. Please also note that the information will be published on the Authority’s website in a Register of Interests of LPB members.

1. Name (please print)	Matthew Nicholls	
2. Are you currently in receipt of a FFPS pension?		No
3. If you are currently in paid employment please give details and nature of your employer.	Firefighter South Yorkshire fire and rescue (Firebrigade Union chair)	
3a. Do you believe that your employment creates a potential conflict of interest with your role on the Local Pension Board?		No
4. Is any member of your immediate family employed by the financial services industry?		No
4a. Do you believe that their employment creates a potential conflict of interest with your role on the Local Pension Board?		No
5. Please detail below any other commitments, connections or responsibilities you may have which could be reasonably perceived to be relevant to your role on the Local Pension Board?		

I'm currently a serving firefighter paying into the 2015 firefighter pension scheme.

Declaration:

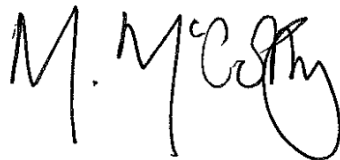
I declare that the information given on this questionnaire is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Signed : M.Nicholls

Name :Matthew Nicholls

Date :30.6.2020

This form should be returned to: The Monitoring Officer, c/o SYFRA, 18 Regent Street, Barnsley, S70 2HG or email to LNoble@syjs.gov.uk

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. McCarty'. The signature is written in a cursive style with a large loop at the end.

Received by Monitoring Officer (signed):
(electronic signature due to COVID-19)

Dated 30th June 2020