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MEMBERS HAVE THEIR SAY ON LGPS AND VOTE TO ACCEPT NEW PROPOSALS

GMB members have voted 95% in favour of the new LGPS 2014 proposals. This is a very strong endorsement of the improvements negotiated by GMB over the government's original disastrous proposals.

We now await the results of the consultation exercises from other unions and employers which, if positive, means that government will be mandated to put the new 2014 proposals into statute thereby securing the future sustainability of the pension scheme.

Thank you for all the support through last year's industrial action and this year's negotiations which enabled us to reach a fair deal.

I will keep you informed.

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