



To: ONE Joint Investment Board

From: Keith Taylor, Chief Investment Officer, ONE Investment

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Re: Investment Plan Implementation Report Q3 2024

Report: ONE JIB 2024-071

1. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

It is recommended that the Board:

1. Receive the report.

2. SUMMARY

Investment Plans for five municipalities were approved at the ONE JIB meeting on September 4, 2024. A second tranche of Durham's Investment Plan was implemented after the September 4, 2024, ONE JIB meeting. This report summarizes the trading activity related to implementing Investment Plans. A summary of the Investment Plan implementation since the last ONE JIB meeting is below:

Municipality	Details	Trading
Aurora	No changes in allocations	N/A
Durham	 Liquidation of Legal List Equity Portfolio. Implementation of 2nd tranche. Deployment of \$500 million into OCIO offering. 	Yes
Huntsville	No changes in allocations	N/A
Innisfil	\$ 5 Million Contribution	Yes
Muskoka	No changes in allocations	N/A
Thunder Bay	No changes in allocations	N/A

3. BACKGROUND

Investment Plan updates for Aurora, Huntsville, Muskoka and Thunder Bay did not require any trading to implement

Four of the Investment Plans approved at the September 4, 2024, ONE JIB meeting did not involve contributions or withdrawals of MNRI, nor did they result in a reallocation of MNRI across Outcomes. As the investment horizon of reserves was largely unchanged and there was no significant change in the circumstance, no changes in its Investment Plan were required. As a result, no changes were required in the investment allocations of these four municipalities and no trading was required.

Durham's initial contribution of \$500 million was deployed into the OCIO model in July 2024

Durham's initial contribution of \$500 million was deployed into the OCIO model according to Durham's Investment Plan in July 2024, with the details of the implementation previously reported in a ONE JIB implementation report dated September 4, 2024. This report will discuss the implementation of the second \$500 million tranche of MNRI deployed in September 2024.

More detail on the implementation of Durham's initial \$500 million contribution is available in the following report: Investment Plan Implementation Report Q3 2024 <u>2024-054</u>

4. ANALYSIS

The implementation of Innisfil's \$5 million contribution to MNRI was seamless

Innisfil's Investment Plan involved a \$5 million contribution to MNRI to be invested in the Target Date 3 - 5 Year Outcome. Funds were drawn from Innisfil's Legal List ONE HISA account in early October to fund the purchase of pooled fund units in the Target Date 3 - 5 Year Outcome account. The transactions were straightforward and were implemented seamlessly.

Durham contributed a second tranche of approximately \$510.4 million

As planned, Durham's Investment Plan implementation involved the liquidation of \$253.6 million from the Legal List Equity Portfolio, and cash contributions.

Summary of Durham's second tranche investment activity

Cash contributions:

To reduce the market impact, contributions from Durham were staggered over several weeks in September, all of which were deployed into Durham's 'Long' account:

- 1) September 11, 2024,
 - Legal List ONE Equity Portfolio holdings were liquidated
 - Proceeds of \$253.6 million deployed.
- 2) September 19, 2024,
 - cash contribution of \$128.4 million deployed.
- 3) September 26, 2024,
 - cash contribution of \$128.4 million deployed.

Substitute Securities*

There is a queue for the following funds, necessitating interim substitutions until there is an opening:

PH&N Commercial Mortgage Fund

substitution \rightarrow PH&N Short Term Bond and Mortgage Fund PH&N High Yield Fund

substitution \rightarrow RBC High Yield Bond Fund

On October 1, 2024, the PH&N Commercial Mortgage Fund opened for contributions, with Durham receiving a partial allocation.

* Securities substitutions may lead to compliance breaches until final allocations are achieved

Planning Points for Subsequent Transitions

- Tranche two contributions totalled \$510.4, exceeding the intended \$500 million target, due to appreciation in the value of the Equity Portfolio.
- The size of the third and final tranche of MNRI to be contributed in Q1 2025 will be reduced from \$442.3 million to \$431.9 million.

5. CONCLUSION

Durham's second tranche of MNRI was deployed into the OCIO Offering in September 2024. This involved a liquidation of the Canadian Equity Portfolio, deployment of proceeds into the OCIO model, and two subsequent cash contributions later in the month. The transactions required coordination to ensure they were implemented seamlessly, especially the liquidation of Durham's holdings in the ONE Canadian Equity Portfolio, as Durham's holdings represented about 20% of the overall portfolio.

Four of the five Investment Plans approved at the September 4, 2024, ONE JIB meeting did not involve changes, and no trading was required. Innisfil's Investment Plan involved a contribution of \$5 million of MNRI that was deployed into the Target Date 3 - 5 Year Outcome in early October.

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