# MINUTES OF MEETING OF THE RISK COMMITTEE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT COMPANY

The Risk Committee (the "Committee") of The University of Texas Investment Management Company (the "Corporation") convened in open session on **July 14, 2015**, by means of conference telephone enabling all persons participating in the meeting to hear each other, at the offices of the Corporation, Suite 2800, 401 Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas, said meeting having been called by the Committee Chair, Kyle Bass, with notice provided to each member in accordance with the Corporation's Bylaws. The audio portion of the meeting was electronically recorded. Participating in the meeting were the following members of the Committee:

Kyle Bass, Chair H. Lee S. Hobson Ardon E. Moore John D. White

Jeffery D. Hildebrand, Chairman of the Board, also attended the meeting thus constituting a majority and quorum of the Committee and Board. Committee Chair ("Chairman") Bass called the meeting to order at 9:34 a.m. Employees of the Corporation attending the meeting were Bruce Zimmerman, CEO and Chief Investment Officer; Joan Moeller, Secretary and Treasurer; Christy Wallace, Assistant Secretary; Cecilia Gonzalez, internal General Counsel and Chief Compliance Officer; Uzi Yoeli, Managing Director — Portfolio Risk Management; Ryan Ruebsahm, Managing Director — Marketable Alternative Investments; Russ Kampfe, Sr. Portfolio Manager — Fixed Income Investments; and other staff members. Other attendees were Eric Polonski, Roger Starkey, and Allen Hah of The University of Texas System ("UT System") Administration; Jerry Turner of Andrews Kurth LLP; and Keith Brown of the McCombs School of Business at UT Austin. Copies of materials supporting the Committee meeting agenda were previously furnished to each Committee member.

### **Minutes**

The first matter to come before the Committee was approval of the minutes of the April 13, 2015, meeting of the Risk Committee. Upon motion duly made and seconded, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

RESOLVED, that the minutes of the Meeting of the Risk Committee of the Board of Directors held on April 13, 2015, be, and are hereby, approved.

#### **Mandate Categorization**

Chairman Bass asked Mr. Zimmerman to give a brief explanation of the new mandate categorizations requiring approval by the Committee. Mr. Zimmerman summarized the 18 new investment mandate categorizations prepared and recommended by Staff for the period beginning April 1, 2015 and ending June 30, 2015, and gave an explanation of mandates on the watch list. The Chief Compliance Officer and CEO and Chief Investment Officer concurred in the categorizations prepared by the Managing Directors. Mr. Zimmerman answered the Committee Members' questions. Upon motion duly made and seconded,

the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Mandate Categorization Procedure, amended as of July 22, 2013, is to provide greater transparency into the process of classifying an investment mandate within the approved Asset Classes and Investment Types as defined in the Investment Policy Statements for the Permanent University Fund, the General Endowment Fund, and the Intermediate Term Fund; and

WHEREAS, the Procedure requires the Managing Directors, the Chief Compliance Officer, and the Chief Investment Officer to review and categorize each new mandate, and to review mandates prior to each Risk Committee meeting to determine whether there have been any change(s) in the investment characteristics of the mandate that warrant a re-categorization and, if so, to recommend re-categorization to the Risk Committee for their approval or re-categorization; and

WHEREAS, a Managing Director, the Chief Compliance Officer, and the Chief Investment Officer have reviewed all new mandates prepared from April 1, 2015, through June 30, 2015, and categorized each as required by the Procedure; and

WHEREAS, the Managing Directors, the Chief Compliance Officer, and the Chief Investment Officer have reviewed existing mandates and determined there have been no changes in the investment characteristics of the mandates to warrant re-categorization; and

WHEREAS, the Risk Committee has reviewed the new Asset Class and Investment Type Mandate Categorizations of eighteen new mandates and concurs in the classifications as proposed by the Corporation's staff.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

RESOLVED, that the Categorizations of the Asset Class and Investment Type for each Investment Mandate are hereby approved.

## **Compliance Summary Program**

Chairman Bass asked Ms. Gonzalez to present the Compliance Summary Program update. Ms. Gonzalez presented to the Committee the Investment Policies Compliance Report for the Quarter Ended May 31, 2015. Also monitored were the risk targets, asset allocation targets and ranges, and other investment related restrictions. She reported that there were no out of compliance matters this quarter. Ms. Gonzalez presented to the Committee the Institutional Compliance Program Report for the Quarter Ended May 31, 2015, including on-going monitoring of the compliance program, employee training, the preclearance of trades, and the Corporation's Compliance Hotline. Ms. Gonzalez gave an update on the Institutional Compliance Action Plan for FY 2015. As part of the Institutional Compliance Action Plan, a Peer Review of the Corporation's Compliance Program was performed. The peer review team reported that the primary objective was to evaluate the effectiveness of the Corporation's Institutional Compliance Program, and to identify opportunities for Compliance Program enhancements. The peer review team discussed findings, gave commendations and recommendations and provided verbal reports concluding that the primary objective of the review had been accomplished.

## **Funds Update**

Chairman Bass asked Mr. Zimmerman to provide the risk and performance report. Mr. Zimmerman stated that he would be providing a detailed funds update at the next Board of Directors meeting. He asked Dr. Yoeli to review the risk and scenario analysis and the past long bear market. Mr. Zimmerman summarized market performance during FYTD2015 and returns and value add for the nine months ended May 31, 2015. Mr. Zimmerman and Dr. Yoeli answered the Committee Member's questions.

There being no further business to come before the Risk Committee, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:03 a.m.

Secretary:

Jo⁄an Moeller

Approved:

Kyle Bass Chair

Risk Committee of the Board of Directors of

The University of Texas Investment

**Management Company** 

Date: