

Voting Report, Q1 2021

Mineworkers Pension Scheme

EOS at Federated Hermes

Over the last quarter we made voting recommendations at 624 meetings (5,037 resolutions). At 231 meetings we recommended opposing one or more resolutions. We recommended voting with management by exception at 11 meetings and abstaining at two meetings. We supported management on all resolutions at the remaining 380 meetings.

Global

We made voting recommendations at **624**meetings (**5,037**resolutions) over the last quarter.



- Total meetings in favour 60.9%
- Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 37.0%
- Meetings abstained 0.3%
- Meetings with management by exception 1.8%

Developed Asia

We made voting recommendations at **45**meetings (**399**resolutions) over the last quarter.



- Total meetings in favour 64.4%
- Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 35.6%

Emerging and Frontier Markets

We made voting recommendations at **521**meetings (**3,747**resolutions) over the last quarter.



- Total meetings in favour 63.3%
- Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 35.7%
- Meetings abstained 0.4%
- Meetings with management by exception 0.6%

Europe

We made voting recommendations at **32**meetings (**595** resolutions) over the last quarter.



- Total meetings in favour 43.8%
- Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 50%
- Meetings with management by exception **6.2%**

North America

We made voting recommendations at 23 meetings (255 resolutions) over the last quarter.



- Total meetings in favour 21.7%
- Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 52.2%
- Meetings with management by exception 26.1%

United Kingdom

We made voting recommendations at **three** meetings (**41**resolutions) over the last quarter.



- Total meetings in favour 66.7%
- Meetings against (or against AND abstain) 33.3%

For professional investors only www.hermes-investment.com

The issues on which we recommended voting against management or abstaining on resolutions are shown below.

Global

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 699 resolutions over the last quarter.



- Board structure 34.5%
- Remuneration 20.0%
- Shareholder resolution 4.7%
- Capital structure and dividends 11.3%
- Amend articles 19.5%
- Audit and accounts 4.7%
- Investment/M&A 0.9%
- Poison pill/Anti-takeover device 0.1%
- Other 4.3%

Developed Asia

We recommended voting against or abstaining on ${\bf 3}\ {\bf 4}$ resolutions over the last quarter.



- Board structure 73.5%
- Remuneration 8.8%
- Amend articles 2.9%
- Audit and accounts 14.7%

Emerging and Frontier Markets

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 593resolutions over the last quarter.



- Board structure 32.7%
- Remuneration 17.9%
- Shareholder resolution 3.4%
- Capital structure and dividends 13.0%
- Amend articles 22.8%
- Audit and accounts 4.6%
- Investment/M&A 1.0%
- Poison pill/Anti-takeover device 0.2%
- Other 4.6%

North America

We recommended voting against or abstaining on 29 resolutions over the last quarter.



- Remuneration 48.3%
- Shareholder resolution 17.2%

United Kingdom

We recommended voting against or abstaining on one resolution over the last quarter.



Board structure 100%

Europe

We recommended voting against or abstaining on $4\,2\,$ resolutions over the last quarter.



- Board structure 26.2%
- Remuneration 40.5%
- Shareholder resolution 19.0%
- Capital structure and dividends 4.8%
- Audit and accounts 2.4%
- Other **7.1%**