

CABINET ITEM COVERING SHEET PRO-FORMA

AGENDA ITEM

REPORT TO CABINET

18 MAY 2006

**REPORT OF
CORPORATE
MANAGEMENT TEAM**

CABINET DECISION

Children & Young People-Lead Cabinet Member- Councillor A. Cunningham.

LOCAL AUTHORITY REPRESENTATIVES ON SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES

1. Summary

In accordance with the procedure for the appointment of school governors, approved as Minute 84 of the Cabinet (11th May 2000), Cabinet is invited to consider the nominations to school Governing Bodies listed in the **Appendix** to this report.

2. Recommendations

The appointments are made to the vacant Governorships in line with agreed procedures subject to successful List 99 check and Personal Disclosure.

3. Reasons For The Recommendations/Decision(s)

As a result of the expiry of current Governors terms of office and a number of resignations, vacancies exist on the Governing Bodies detailed in the **Appendix** to this report. Under powers vested in them by paragraph 79 of the 1996 Education Act, the Local Authority has a duty to appoint representatives to serve as Governors on the Governing Bodies of all Schools maintained by them.

4. Members Interests

Members (including co-opted members with voting rights) should consider whether they have a personal interest in the item as defined in the Council's code of conduct (paragraph 8) and, if so, declare the existence and nature of that interest in accordance with paragraph 9 of the code.

Where a Member regards him/herself as having a personal interest in the item, he/she must then consider whether that interest is one which a member of the public, with knowledge of the relevant facts, would reasonably regard as so significant that it is likely to prejudice the Member's judgement of the public interest (paragraph 10 of the code of conduct).

A Member with a prejudicial interest in any matter must withdraw from the room where the meeting is being held, whilst the matter is being considered; not exercise executive functions in relation to the matter and not seek improperly to influence the decision about the matter (paragraph 12 of the Code).

Further to the above, it should be noted that any Member attending a meeting of Cabinet, Select Committee etc.; whether or not they are a member of the Cabinet or Select Committee concerned, must declare any personal interest which they have in the business being considered at the meeting, and if their interest is prejudicial, they must also leave the meeting room during consideration of the relevant item.

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SUMMARY

As a result of the expiry of some Governors' Terms of Office and the Resignation of others, vacancies now exist on the Governing Bodies detailed in the **Appendix** to this report.

RECOMMENDATIONS

That appointments are made to the vacant Governorships subject to successful List 99 check and Personal Disclosure.

DETAIL

1. In accordance with the procedure for the appointment of school governors, approved as Minute 84 of the cabinet (11th May 2000), cabinet is invited to consider the nominations to school Governing Bodies listed in the **Appendix** to this report.

FINANCIAL & LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

2. None

RISK ASSESSMENT

3. This Local Authority Representative appointment process is categorised as low to medium risk. Existing management systems and daily routine activities are sufficient to control and reduce risk.

COMMUNITY STRATEGY IMPLICATIONS

4. None

CONSULTATION, INCLUDING WARD COUNCILLORS

5. All Schools and the four main political parties

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Background Papers
Education Related Item?

Report to Cabinet 11 May 2000
Yes

Ann/LEA/Master Vacancy List

Ward(s) and Ward Councillors: Not Applicable

Vacancies for L A Representatives on School Governing Bodies
For Consideration at Cabinet
On 18 May 2006

SCHOOL	VACANCY	NAME AND ADDRESS OF NOMINEES
Billingham Campus	<p>Mrs J Baker Term of office expires 31 August 2006</p> <p>Mr R McCall Term of office expires 11 August 2006</p>	<p>Mrs J Baker</p> <p>Mr R McCall</p>
Bishopsgarth School	<p>Dr P Price (Con) Term of office expires 21 August 2006</p> <p>Mr J Rayner Term of office expires 31 August 2006</p>	<p>Dr P Price (Con)</p> <p>Mr J Rayner</p> <p>Mr Gary Noble (Lab) 3 Lauder Close Elm Tree Estate Stockton-on-Tees TS19 0TH</p>
Crooksbarrow Primary School	<p>Mrs K Robson Term of office expires 31 August 2006</p>	<p>Mrs K Robson</p>
Durham Lane Primary School	<p>Mrs V Nicholson Term of office expires 31 August 2006</p>	<p>Mrs V Nicholson</p>
Egglescliffe School	<p>Mrs K Ward Term of office expires 31 August 2006</p>	<p>Mrs K Ward</p>
Frederick Natrass Primary School	<p>Cllr Mrs K Nelson (Lab) Term of office expires 31 August 2006</p>	<p>Cllr Mrs K Nelson (Lab)</p>

Harrow Gate Primary School	Mrs M Speight Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mrs M Speight
Hartburn Primary School	Miss F Hawkins Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Miss F Hawkins
High Clarence Primary School	Mr R McCall Term of office expires 11 August 2006 Mrs A McCoy Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mr R McCall Mrs A McCoy
Ingleby Mill Primary School	Mr P Mallon Term of office expires 31 August 2006 Mr S Watson Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mr P Mallon Mr S Watson Cllr Ross Patterson (IBIS)
Kirklevington Primary School	Mr I Waller Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mr I Waller
Norton Primary School	Mr K Barrett Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mr K Barrett
Priors Mill CE Primary School	Mrs M McLean Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mrs M McLean
Stockton Riverside College	Cllr J Beaumont (Con) Cllr C Coombs(Lab) Terms of office expire 10 July 2006	Cllr J Beaumont (Con) Cllr C Coombs(Lab)
St. Cuthbert's RC Primary School	Mr S Dowson Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mr S Dowson

St. Patrick's RC Secondary School	Mrs E Barber Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mrs E Barber
St. Therese of Lisieux RC Primary School	Mrs I Machin Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mrs I Machin
The Norton School	Mr G O'Neill Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Mr G O'Neill
Thornaby Community School	Due to reconstitution terms of office end 31 August 2006 :- Mr J Lowe (Con) Mrs N Wilburn (Lab) <u>4 LA Governors required from 1 September 2006</u>	Mr J Lowe (Con) Mrs N Wilburn (Lab)
Tilery Primary School	Ms K Sainsbury (Lab) Term of office expires 31 August 2006	Ms K Sainsbury (Lab)

Village Primary School	<p>Due to reconstitution terms of office end 19 July 2006 :-</p> <p>Mrs P Large (Ind)</p> <p>Mr R Moss (Con)</p> <p>Mrs C Siddell (Lab)</p> <p><u>2 LA Governors required from 20 July 2006</u></p>	<p>Mr R Moss (Con)</p> <p>Mrs C Siddell (Lab)</p>
School Organisation Committee	<p>Mr D Stringer Term of office expired Does not wish to be reconsidered</p> <p><u>One representative required</u></p>	<p>Mr G Jarrett- Community Governor Blakeston School</p> <p>Mr P Dale – Community Governor The Norton School</p>