

STOCKTON-ON-TEES BOROUGH COUNCIL

CABINET RECOMMENDATIONS

PROFORMA

Cabinet Meeting6th November 2008

1. Title of Item/Report

Local Authority Representatives on School Governing Bodies

2. Record of the Decision

Members considered the nominations to school Governing Bodies in accordance with the procedure for the appointment of school governors, approved as Minute 84 of the Cabinet (11th May 2000).

RESOLVED that the following appointments be made to the vacant Governorships in line with agreed procedures subject to successful List 99 check and Personal Disclosure:

Hardwick Primary School – Mr R Stephenson

Mill Lane Primary School – Jean Oliver

Yarm Primary School – Councillor Mrs Simpson

3. Reasons for the Decision

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

4. Alternative Options Considered and Rejected

Mr John Chapman

5. Declared (Cabinet Member) Conflicts of Interest

Councillor Mrs McCoy declared a personal non prejudicial interest in respect of this item as she was a school governor at Mill Lane School.

Councillor Coleman declared a personal non prejudicial interest in respect of this item as he was a school governor at Mill Lane School.

Councillor Lupton declared a personal prejudicial interest in respect of

this item as he had a close association with both applicants at Yarm Primary School and left the room during consideration of the item.

Councillor Mrs Beaumont declared a personal prejudicial interest in respect of this item as she had a close association with both applicants at Yarm Primary School and left the room during consideration of the item.

Councillor Mrs Womphrey declared a personal prejudicial interest in respect of this item as she had a close association with both applicants at Yarm Primary School and left the room during consideration of the item.

Councillor Laing declared a personal prejudicial interest in respect of this item as he had a close association with both applicants at Yarm Primary School and left the room during consideration of the item.

6. Details of any Dispensations

None

7. Date and Time by which Call In must be executed

Not later than Midnight on Friday, 14 November 2008

Proper Officer
10 November 2008