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To: Members of the
EDUCATION POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Councillor Nicholas Bennett J.P. (Chairman)
Councillor Neil Reddin FCCA (Vice-Chairman)
Councillors Kathy Bance MBE, Julian Benington, Peter Fortune, Julian Grainger,
David McBride, Alexa Michael and Sarah Phillips

Church Representatives with Voting Rights
Father Owen Higgs and Joan McConnell

Parent Governor Members with Voting Rights
Dolores Bray-Ash JP, Darren Jenkins and Janet Latinwo

Non-Voting Co-opted Members
Jo Brinkley, (Head Teacher Representative)
Rachel Opadiran, (Young People's Representative)
Alison Regester, (Pre-school Settings and Early Years Representative)

A meeting of the Education Policy Development and Scrutiny Committee will be held
at Bromley Civic Centre on **TUESDAY 12 NOVEMBER 2013 AT 7.00 PM**

MARK BOWEN
Director of Corporate Services

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Items marked for information only will not be debated unless a member of the Committee requests a discussion be held, in which case please inform the Clerk 24 hours in advance indicating the aspects of the information item you wish to discuss

A G E N D A

PART 1 (PUBLIC) AGENDA

Note for Members: Members are reminded that Officer contact details are shown on each report and Members are welcome to raise questions in advance of the meeting.

STANDARD ITEMS

- 1 CO-OPTION TO THE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE 2013/14 (Pages 5 - 8)**
- 2 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS**
- 3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
- 4 MINUTES OF THE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 17TH SEPTEMBER 2013 AND MATTERS OUTSTANDING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS (Pages 9 - 30)**
- 5 QUESTIONS TO THE PDS CHAIRMAN FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND COUNCILLORS ATTENDING THE MEETING**

To hear questions to the Committee received in writing by the Democratic Services Team by 5.00pm on Wednesday 6th November 2013 and to respond. Questions must relate to the work of the scrutiny committee.

PORTFOLIO PRESENTATIONS AND DECISIONS

- 6 QUESTIONS TO THE PORTFOLIO HOLDER FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND COUNCILLORS ATTENDING THE MEETING**

To hear questions to the Portfolio Holder received in writing by the Democratic Services Team by 5.00pm on Wednesday 6th November 2013 and to respond. Questions must relate to the work of the Portfolio.

- 7 PORTFOLIO HOLDER UPDATE**

- a DRAFT 2014 EDUCATION PORTFOLIO PLAN INCLUDING EDUCATION COMMITMENTS (Pages 31 - 66)**
- b OFSTED REPORTS AND FOLLOW UP ITEMS ON UNDER PERFORMING SCHOOLS (Pages 67 - 74)**
- c BROMLEY ADULT EDUCATION COLLEGE AND LIFELONG LEARNING: UPDATE ON COMMISSIONING PLANS (Pages 75 - 78)**

- 8 PORTFOLIO HOLDER PROPOSED DECISIONS**

The Education Portfolio Holder to present scheduled reports for pre-decision scrutiny on matters where he is minded to make decisions.

- a SCHOOL GOVERNANCE WORKING PARTY: IMPLEMENTATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS (Pages 79 - 92)**

b SPEECH AND LANGUAGE THERAPY FOR CHILDREN WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS - GATEWAY REVIEW (Pages 93 - 100)

9 EDUCATION INFORMATION ITEMS

The items comprise:

- Minutes of the Education Budget Sub-Committee held on 2nd October 2013
- Literacy in the Early Years
- Changes to Requirements for Secretary of State Consent for Development of School Land
- SALT Information Briefing
- Follow Up Actions from Joint Education and Care Services PDS Committee meeting
- ECHS Contract Reports - Education Contracts
- Academies' Update

Members and Co-opted Members have been provided with advance copies of the briefing via e-mail. The briefing is also available on the Council's Website at the following link:

<http://cds.bromley.gov.uk/ieListMeetings.aspx?XXR=0&Year=2013&CId=559>

POLICY DEVELOPMENT AND OTHER ITEMS

10 ATTAINMENT OF LOOKED AFTER CHILDREN

To Follow

11 EDUCATION PROGRAMME 2013/14 (Pages 101 - 108)

PART 2 (CLOSED) AGENDA

12 LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 AS AMENDED BY THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) (VARIATION) ORDER 2006, AND THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

The Chairman to move that the Press and public be excluded during consideration of the items of business listed below as it is likely in view of the nature of the business to be transacted or the nature of the proceedings that if members of the Press and public were present there would be disclosure to them of exempt information.

Items of Business

Schedule 12A Description

13 EXEMPT MINUTES OF THE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 17TH SEPTEMBER 2013 (Pages 109 - 110)

Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)

DATES OF FUTURE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Thursday 30th January 2014

Tuesday 18th March 2014

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