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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  
1 x Head Teacher Representative (vacancy)  
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 2 JULY 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 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND NOTIFICATION OF SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS**
- 2 CO-OPTIONS TO THE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE 2013/14 (Pages 5 - 8)**
- 3 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**
- 4 MINUTES OF THE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 19 MARCH 2013 AND THE JOINT MEETING OF CARE SERVICES AND EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEES HELD ON 7TH MAY 2013 AND MATTERS OUTSTANDING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS (Pages 9 - 38)**

- 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 26<sup>th</sup> June 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 26<sup>th</sup> June 2013 and to respond. Questions must relate to the work of the Portfolio.

- 7 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 CONFIRMATION OF THE EDUCATION COVENANT (Pages 39 - 44)**
- b UPDATE OF THE 2013/14 EDUCATION PORTFOLIO PLAN (INCLUDING EDUCATION COMMITMENTS) (Pages 45 - 78)**
- c STATEMENT OF INTENT TO SUPPORT YOUNG PEOPLE WITH SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND DISABILITIES (SEND) TO PREPARE EFFECTIVELY FOR ADULT LIFE (Pages 79 - 86)**

- d **OFSTED REPORTS AND FOLLOW UP ON UNDER PERFORMING SCHOOLS** (Pages 87 - 92)
- e **BROADER EXAMINATION OF THE ROLE OF BROMLEY ADULT EDUCATION COLLEGE AND LIFELONG LEARNING** (Pages 93 - 102)

## **9 EDUCATION PORTFOLIO HOLDER INFORMATION ITEMS**

The items comprise:

- Minutes of the Education Budget Sub-Committee held on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2013
- Minutes of the meeting of Bromley Behaviour Services Working Group held on 2<sup>nd</sup> May 2013
- Update from the SEN Executive Working Party
- Pupil Referral Unit Board Structure
- Bromley Youth Council Manifesto 2013/14
- Review of Partnership Arrangements – New Approach
- Bromley Academy Programme and Free School 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 **CHALLENGES FOR BEHAVIOUR SERVICES AND FUTURE MODELS CONSIDERED BY THE PDS WORKING GROUP** (Pages 103 - 114)
- 11 **UPDATE ON THE TRANSITION STRATEGY** (Pages 115 - 120)
- 12 **UPDATE ON THE SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL NEEDS AND DISABILITY (SEND) PATHFINDER** (Pages 121 - 132)
- 13 **EDUCATION PROGRAMME 2013-14** (Pages 133 - 140)

## **PART 2 (CLOSED) AGENDA**

- 14 **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**

**15 EXEMPT MINUTES OF THE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE MEETING HELD ON 19 MARCH 2013** (Pages 141 - 144)

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

**16 REPORT FROM AUDIT SUB-COMMITTEE: UPDATE** (Pages 145 - 154)

Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)  
Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.

**DATES OF FUTURE EDUCATION PDS COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2013

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November 2013

Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> January 2014

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2014

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