PART ONE - PUBLIC

Decision Maker:	STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION		
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Title:	REPORTS FROM THE RE CONSULTANT		
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A) SACRE Self Evaluation

B) SACRE Draft Action Plan

C) School Visits

Reports from the RE Consultant

A) SACRE Self Evaluation

1. Reason for report;

The self-evaluation of SACRE is a continuous process which informs the development of the committee and the annual report to the DfE each December.

2. Recommendations;

At the Spring meeting the committee needs to look at the self-evaluation document which is attached (Appendix 1), with the results from last year (Appendix 2), and revisit the effectiveness of Bromley SACRE.

It is suggested that in advance of the meeting Group A members (representatives of other faiths and Christian denominations) look at section 5, Group B members (the Church of England) look at section 3, Group C members (teachers) look at section 2 and Group D members (Councillors) look at section 4 and come ready to discuss their thoughts.

B) SACRE Draft Action Plan

1. Reason for Report;

The number of schools in Bromley that are maintained by the Council has reduced and a discussion on the future of SACRE will be undertaken during the meeting. The current development plan finishes at the end of March 2016 and attached is a draft action plan for the Summer term 2016 (Appendix 3).

Included in this plan, on the second page, are some items that must be addressed after the summer which the members of SACRE should be aware of.

2. Recommendations;

Members to consider the action plan and be ready to discuss any changes they would like to make.

C) School Visits

1. Reason for Report;

In the Autumn term the RE Consultant visited two schools as a result of requests from the new RE Coordinators. A report of the two visits is attached (Appendix 4).

2. Recommendations;

Members to read the reports and comment as necessary.