

**DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL**

**CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE - CABINET MEMBER MEETING**

**1 July 2014**

**Report of the Director of Legal Services**

**NEW INSTRUMENTS OF GOVERNMENT**

**Purpose of the Report**

To agree new Instruments of Government to be made under the School Governance (Constitution) (England) Regulations 2012.

**Information and Analysis**

The following proposals have been received from school Governing Bodies and they comply with the requirements of the Regulations:-

- (1) The Governing Body of the Meadows Community School has asked that the Instrument of Government for the school be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 12 members comprising 4 parents, 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher and 5 co-opted governors. The proposals also includes a name change to Whittington Green School.
- (2) The Governing Body of the Hartshorne CE Primary School has asked that the Instrument of Government for the school be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 12 members comprising 5 parents, 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher, 2 Foundation and 2 co-opted governors.
- (3) The Governing Body of the Tupton Hall School has asked that the Instrument of Government for the school be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 16 members comprising 5 parents, 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher and 8 co-opted governors

**Other Considerations**

In preparing this report the relevance of the following factors has been considered – prevention of crime and disorder, equality of opportunity and health, legal, financial, transport, personnel and property considerations.

**Background Papers**

Emails from the schools.

**Key Decision?**

No

**Is it necessary to waive the Call-in period?**

No

**OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION**

That new Instruments of Government be made as detailed above.

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**Director of Legal Services**