

DERBYSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

CHILDREN & YOUNG PEOPLE - CABINET MEMBER MEETING

7 January 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 Pinxton Village Infant Schools Federation (John King Infant and Longwood Community Infant) has asked that the Instrument of Government for the Federation be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 11 members comprising 2 parents (1 from each school), 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher and 6 co-opted governors.
- (2) The Governing Body of the Eureka Primary School has asked that the Instrument of Government for the school be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 9 members comprising 4 parents, 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher and 2 co-opted governors.
- (3) The Governing Body of the Creswell Infant and Nursery School has asked that the Instrument of Government for the school be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 13 members comprising 5 parents, 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher, 3 Foundation and 2 co-opted governors.
- (4) The Governing Body of the Anthony Gell School has asked that the Instrument of Government for the school be amended to provide for a new Governing Body of 18 members comprising 5 parents, 1 Local Authority, 1 Staff, 1 Headteacher, 2 Foundation 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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