ITEM NO:

WALSALL COUNCIL

STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

MONDAY, 20 JULY 2015

APPOINTMENT OF STRATEGY SUB-GROUP

1 Purpose of Report

1.1 The purpose of the report is to appoint Members of the SACRE Strategy Sub-Group.

2 Recommendation

2.1 That one representative from each of the under-mentioned Groups be appointed to the SACRE Strategy Sub-Group:-

Local Education Authority
Lichfield Diocesan Board of Education
Christian and other religious denominations
Teacher representative

3 Background

3.1 In 2002 SACRE gave approval was given to one representative from each Group being appointed to work on the Development Plan, formulate SACRE Agendas and any other work as required by SACRE. The under-mentioned persons were appointed to represent the Groups indicated for 2014/15:-

Councillor Lane - Local Education Authority
Mr. C. Hopkins - Lichfield Diocesan Board of Education
Mr D Lomax - Christian and other religious faiths
Mr. R. Simmons – Teacher's Association representative

The group can be extended to form the Agreed Syllabus Working Group and to provide wider representation as required.

The current Agreed Syllabus was in use in schools from September 2010 and will be reviewed during 2015/16.

- 3.2 SACRE, at its meeting held on 11 March, 2013 agreed to extend the remit of the Sub-Group to consider SACRE self-evaluation with a view to progressing to advanced criteria.
- 3.3 The Sub-Group also sets the agenda for SACRE meetings and meets as follows:-

Wednesday, 16 September, 2015 Wednesday, 10 February, 2016 Wednesday, 22 June, 2016

Meetings commence at 4.30 p.m. in a Conference Room, Council House, Walsall

Rory Borealis - Executive Director (Resources) 10 July 2015

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