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TUESDAY, 22nd JANUARY, 2008 AT 6.00 P.M.

in the Small Hall at the Education Development Centre, Pelsall Lane, Rushall, Walsall

MEMBERSHIP: (Chairman)	Mr. P. Heath Mr. A.F. Cheminais Mr. J. Baker Mrs. E. Maher Mr. S. Holtam Mr. G. Crowther Miss S.M. Bradford Mr. J.P. Clarke Ms. H. Lomas Ms. E. Stringer Mrs. R. Poyser Mr. M. Lee Mr. A. Davies Mr. G. Deakin Mr. E. Gee Mr. M. Barton Mr. N. Chomyk Mr. F. Hodgkinson Mr. N. Chomyk Mr. F. Hodgkinson Mr. M. Sweeney Vacancy Vacancy Vacancy Mr. S. Haywood Ms. M. Letts Mr. A. Bowater Mr. H. Seaton Vacancy Councillor Zahid	Primary Head Teacher, Blakenall Heath Junior Primary Head Teacher, Rushall JMI Primary Head Teacher, Lower Farm Primary Primary Head Teacher, Bentley Drive JMI Secondary Head Teacher, Queen Mary's Grammar Secondary Head Teacher, Alumwell Secondary Head Teacher, Alumwell Secondary Head Teacher, Pool Hayes Special School Head Teacher, Jane Lane Special Fullbrook Nursery Early Years Development Childcare Partnership Primary Co-opted Governor, Bentley West Primary Primary Governor, Busill Jones Primary Primary Governor, Rusill Jones Primary Primary Governor, Rark Hall Infants Primary Governor, Alumwell Junior Secondary Governor, Gueen Mary's Grammar Secondary Governor, Joseph Leckie Com. Tech. College Secondary Governor, Joseph Leckie Com. Tech Special School Governor C. of E. Diocese Catholic Diocese Staff side associations representative Observer, Director of Finance, City Academy Observer, Black Country LSC Observer, Pupil Referral Unit Observer, Cabinet Portfolio holder for Children's Services Observer, PVI representative
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SCHEDULE 12A TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972

ACCESS TO INFORMATION: EXEMPT INFORMATION PART 1

DESCRIPTIONS OF EXEMPT INFORMATION: ENGLAND

1. Information relating to any individual.

2. Information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual.

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

4. Information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority.

5. Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.

6. Information which reveals that the authority proposes—

(a) to give under any enactment a notice under or by virtue of which requirements are imposed on a person; or

(b) to make an order or direction under any enactment.

7. Information relating to any action taken or to be taken in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime.

AGENDA

- 1. Election of Vice-Chairman.
- 2. Apologies.
- 3.
 Minutes 4th December, 2007.
 Enclosure

 4.
 Matters arising from the minutes: To consider any matters arising from the minutes that do not occur elsewhere on the agenda.
 Enclosure

5. Local Government (Access to Information) Act, 1985 (as amended):

To agree that the public be excluded from the private session during consideration of the agenda items indicated for the reasons shown on the agenda.

 6.	Cost Pressures 2008 to 2011 - confirm and prioritise.	Enclosure
7.	Diplomas 14 - 16 Funding Review.	
8.	Standards Fund: School Lunch Grant.	To follow
9.	ICT Funding.	
10.	Benchmarking - response from Primary and Secondary Heads Forums.	
 11.	Funding Formula 2008 - 2011 - "Change of Character".	Enclosure
 12.	Annual Report for the period 13 th June, 2006 to 13 th March, 2007.	Enclosure

13. Forward Plan. To consider revisions and additions to the Forward Plan.

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(Note:- The next meeting of the Forum will be held on Tuesday, 11th March, 2008 in the Large Hall at the Education Development Centre, Pelsall Lane, Rushall commencing at **6.00 p.m.**

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Enclosure