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Schools Forum – Extraordinary Meeting

Wednesday, 11 January 2017 2.00 pm Kingston Centre, Fairway, Stafford ST16 3TW

> John Tradewell Director of Strategy, Governance and Change 3 January 2017

AGENDA

Part One

- 1. Apologies
- 2. Minutes of the meeting held on 7 December 2016

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3. Implementation of the Department for Education's Education Services Grant Guidance

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The Briefing Note on the Removal of the ESG General Funding Rate and Arrangements for Schools Block Retention is attached for information. There will also be feedback at the meeting from the Budget Working Group, to be held on 5 January 2017.

4. Date of next meeting

The next Schools Forum is scheduled for Wednesday 27 March 2017, 2.00 pm, Kingston Centre, Stafford.

Part Two

The Chairman to move:

'That the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business which involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the paragraph of Part 1 of schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 indicated below'



Membership

Wendy Whelan David Ellison
Lesley Wells Chris Wright
Philip Siddell Jonathan Jones

Richard Redgate Steve Barr (Chairman)

Claire Shaw
Alison Gibson
Stuart Jones
Philip Tapp (Vice-Chairman)
Simon Turney
Kirsty Rogers

Kevin Allbutt
Linda James
Steve Swatton
Derek Watson
Judy Wyman
Claire Evans

Sharron Cartwright Richard Hinton (Observer)
Karen Dobson Richard Lane (Observer)
Wendy Horden Liz Threlkeld (Observer)

Shelley Sharpe Ally Harvey Sara Bailey

Local Authority Observers

Ben Adams (Observer) John Francis (Observer)

Core Officers

Alison Wood Julie Roberts
Sara Pitt Andrew Marsden

Alison Barnes Tim Moss

Will Wilkes