# Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education 15<sup>th</sup> November 2023 Report of the Director for Children and Families Applications for variation of practice

## 1 Purpose of Report

1.1 To consider any applications for variation of practice to religious education and or collective worship.

### 2 Summary

2.1 Upon receipt of a written application from a headteacher of a county school SACRE should determine whether it is appropriate to dis-apply the requirement for broadly Christian collective worship and/or make amendments to the way the Agreed Syllabus is followed in the case of that school.

#### 3 Recommendation

3.1 That members of SACRE are updated on any new developments in this area.

# 4 Background

4.1 No applications have been received at this time.

## **5 Equal Opportunities**

5.1 This report has been prepared in accordance with the County Council's policies on equal opportunities.

### 6 Financial implications

6.1 There are no immediate financial implications.

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