## Schools Forum - 21st March 2024

## **Notices of Concern**

## Recommendation

Members note the issue and withdrawal of Notice of Concerns to schools.

## Report of the Director for Children and Families:

#### PART A

## Why is it coming here - what decision is required?

2. No decision required.

### Reasons for recommendation

3. The agreed protocol for issuing a Notice of Concern includes the provision that information on the issue and withdrawal of a Notice of Concern will be provided to the Schools Forum on a termly basis.

### **PART B**

# **Background:**

- 4. Since the last Forum, there are no new Notice of Concerns or Licensed Deficits to report on.
- 5. The Entrust Schools Finance team continue to work with all schools who have existing Notice of Concern or Licensed Deficit agreement and those schools who continue to require support.

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## **List of background papers:**

Schools Forum 7 December 2016 – Item 6 Notices of Concern: revised protocol School Forum

School Forum 28<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – Item 39 Update to the Staffordshire Scheme for Financing of Schools