

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

JOINT NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE FOR TEACHERS

MINUTES OF MEETING HELD ON TUESDAY 6 JUNE 2006 AT 1400 HOURS IN THE MEETING ROOM, COUNCIL HEADQUARTERS, LONDON ROAD, KILMARNOCK

PRESENT: John McCracken (EIS); Councillors Tommy Farrell and John Knapp; Graham Short, Executive Director of Educational and Social Services; John McCarney, Head of Service: Schools Support; Colin MacLean, Head Teacher, Auchinleck Academy; Kathleen Rowan, Head Teacher, Netherthird Primary School; Bryce Wilson, Ewen MacLeod, Iain Harvey and Allan O'Mara (EIS); and Andrew Batton (SSTA).

ATTENDING: Sharon McHarg, Administrative Officer.

APOLOGY: Councillors Iain Linton and Elaine Stewart; Alan Scott and Margaret Kidd, EIS.

CHAIR: John McCracken, Chair.

EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

1. The Committee resolved that under Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, as amended, that the Press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 11 of Schedule 7A of the Act.

ADDITIONAL ITEM

2. The Chair agreed that the Minutes of the previous meeting be considered by reason that this item had been omitted from the Agenda in error.

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3. There was submitted and approved as a correct record, the Minutes of the meeting of East Ayrshire Council Joint Negotiating Committee for Teachers of 9 February 2006 (tabled).

JNCT CIRCULAR 15: COLLEGIATE TIME IN EDUCATIONAL ESTABLISHMENTS (Item 8, Page 304, 03/07)

4. There was submitted a report dated 25 May 2006 (circulated) by the Executive Director of Educational and Social Services which sought agreement on the guidelines for Collegiate Time Working in Educational Establishments from August 2006.

It was agreed:-

- (i) that the revised guidance on Collegiate Time in Educational Establishments be issued as JNCT Circular 15;
- (ii) that the Joint Secretaries circulate this paper to all educational establishments and interested parties; and

(iii) otherwise, to note the contents of the report.

CHAIR'S REMARKS

5. The Chair, on behalf of the Committee, (i) welcomed Graham Short to the Committee as the new Executive Director of Educational and Social Services; and (ii) noted the vacancy which had arisen on the management side.

The meeting terminated at 1404 hours.