

Item no 5.4

QUESTION NO 4

By Councillor Rust for answer by the Convener of the Education, Children and Families Committee at a meeting of the Council on 15 March 2018

Question (1) Was a fixtures & fittings inspection carried out as part of the safety inspections following the wall collapse at Oxgangs Primary School in 2016 and children re-entering the school following repairs?

Answer (1)

Question (2) If not, what are the reasons as to why that would not have been done?

Answer (2)

Question (3) Amey provided a summary report of the February 2018 ceiling tile incident, which allegedly contain an inaccuracy. What was inaccurate and has that report now been corrected and made publicly available?

Answer (3)

Question (4) Was the cable suspending the ceiling missing from when the building was constructed, or was it as a result of later maintenance?

Answer (4)

Question (5) Is the Amey report considered by the Council to be the full and final statement on the latest incident?

Answer (5)

Question

(6) Will the Council agree to arrange a full inspection of fixtures and fittings, independent of Amey, given we have now had two separate incidents where the safety of children & staff has been put at risk, to include, but not limited to, areas of concern such as:

- (a) Any wall or ceiling attachment above adult waist height,
- (b) Banisters,
- (c) Radiators suspended from ceiling in gym hall,
- (d) External cladding on the 1st floor - material used, and
- (e) Electrics including lighting?

Answer

(6)