

Consultative Committee with Parents

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Adjustment to Regulations for the Appointment of the Parent Representative to the Education, Children and Families Committee

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Summary

- 1.1 The Council on 24 October 2013 approved revised political management arrangements including the adjustment of the regulations for the appointment of religious, teacher and parent representatives to the Education, Children and Families Committee.
- 1.2 Consultation on the effectiveness of political management arrangements indicated that the length of term for teacher representatives should remain the length of the Council however the parent representative term should be for two and a half years. This would allow for the parent member to alternate between representing primary and secondary pupils.
- 1.3 The current parent representative on the Education, Children and Families Committee was appointed on 31 January 2013. In terms of the adjusted regulations, this means the current representative will hold the appointment until July 2015.
- 1.4 The Council also agreed that the regulations be adjusted for the parent representative on the Education, Children and Families Committee to be allowed to appoint a substitute when required from the parent representatives sitting on the CCWP.

Recommendations

- 2.1 To note the adjustment to the term of appointment of the parent representative from the CCWP to the Education, Children and Families Committee.
- 2.2 To note that the parent representative on the Education, Children and Families Committee may appoint a substitute representative to the Committee with immediate effect.
- 2.3 To note that in terms of the adjusted regulations for appointment of Religious, Teacher and Parent Representatives, the new parent representative to the Education, Children and Families Committee will take up post after 31 July 2015.