

CORPORATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Corporate Affairs Committee was held on 6 October 2008.

PRESENT: Councillor Clark (Chair), Councillors Brunton, Elder, McPartland and Purvis.

OFFICIALS: S Harker, R Long and R Painter.

**** APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** were submitted on behalf of Councillors Mrs H Pearson and Councillor Rehman.

**** DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No declarations of interest were made at this point of the meeting.

SCHOOL GOVERNING BODIES – LOCAL AUTHORITY SCHOOL GOVERNORS – APPOINTMENTS

A report of the Head of Commissioning and Resources was presented regarding vacancies for Local Authority appointed School Governors which had arisen as a result of resignations, the expiry of terms of office or the removal of Governors due to non-attendance.

Members were required to consider vacancies at the following schools which were deferred from the last Corporate Affairs Committee meeting held on Wednesday 24 September 2008:

Beechwood Primary School.
Tollesby School.

Members of the Committee were also asked to give consideration to nominations received for vacancies outlined at Appendix 1 of the report submitted.

ORDERED as follows: -

1. That the following appointments be approved for a four-year term of office:-

<u>School</u>	<u>Governor</u>
Beechwood Primary	Mr R Speakman (w.e.f. 6.10.08)
Corpus Christi RC Primary	Councillor Purvis (w.e.f. 6.10.08)
Tollesby School	Councillor Carr (w.e.f. 6.10.08) Councillor McPartland (w.e.f. 6.10.08)
Whinney Banks Primary	Councillor Dunne (w.e.f. 26.1.09)

2. That appointments to the following vacancies be deferred pending the receipt of nominations in respect of:

Captain Cook Primary School
Rosewood Primary School
Thorntree Primary School
The Newlands FCJ School.

In response to a request from Members, the Governor Recruitment, Retention and Information Officer undertook to provide the Panel with details of the number of Middlesbrough Councillors currently serving on Governing Bodies of Middlesbrough Schools.