
**To: Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee
Education and Children’s Service Scrutiny Board (2)**

**Date: 28th September 2022
Date: 20th October 2022**

Subject: Co-option of Other Faiths Representative to the Board

1 Purpose of the Note

- 1.1 To provide Members of Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee and the Education and Children’s Services Scrutiny Board (2) the opportunity to co-opt an “Other Faiths” representative to the Board

2 Recommendations

- 1) Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee is recommended to approve the co-option of Mr Ghulam Vohra as a non-voting co-optee to the Committee under Part 2D, Section 6.1 (e) of the constitution to the Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee for Education matters.
- 2) The Education and Children’s Services Scrutiny Board (2) is recommended to approve the co-option of Mr Ghulam Vohra as a non-voting co-optee to the Board under Part 2D, Section 6.1 (e) of the constitution

3 Information/Background

- 3.1 At the meeting on 19th May 2022, Council agreed to:

“Delegate the approval of the outstanding co-opted Members for Education matters appointments for the Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee and the Education and Children’s Services Scrutiny Board (2) to that Committee and Scrutiny Board.”

- 3.2 Part 2D, Section 6 of the Council Constitution, Education Representatives states:

“6.1 The Scrutiny Board responsible for Education matters will include the following:

- (a) One person nominated by the Church of England.
- (b) One person nominated by the Roman Catholic Church.
- (c) A maximum of two parent governors elected by the parent governors in the City in respect of either the Primary or Secondary phase of education.
- (e) One representative from other faith groups in the City

6.2 Such appointees, with the exception for the time being of the representative appointed under 6.1(e) above, may speak and vote on education issues only, but may speak on other issues.

6.3 They will also be invited to attend the meetings of Scrutiny Co-ordination Committee (if it is considering a call-in on an educational matter) and of other Scrutiny Boards (if education matters are to be considered at those meetings) and may speak, but not vote upon those matters.

6.4 Such appointees shall serve a minimum term of two years and a maximum term of four years.”

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