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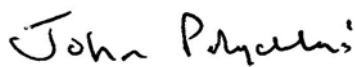
Dear Councillor

Select Committee on Lifelong Learning – 8th March, 2006

You are requested to attend a meeting of the Select Committee on Lifelong Learning to be held on Wednesday, 8th March, 2006 at 6.00 pm in Committee Room 2 at the Council House, Dudley, to consider the business set out in the agenda below.

A Committee tea will be available for Members in the Members' Dining Room from 4.30 pm. Please contact Richard Sanders on the above telephone number if a vegetarian or special dietary meal is required or if a meal is not required.

Yours sincerely



DIRECTOR OF LAW AND PROPERTY

AGENDA

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence from the meeting.

2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

To receive declarations of interest in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct.

3. MINUTES

To approve as a correct record and sign the minutes of the meetings held on 16th and 18th January, 2006.

4. SUBSTITUTE MEMBERS

To report the names of any substitute Members serving for this meeting.

5. YOUTH OFFENDING SERVICE

To receive an oral presentation on this Service by the Manager of the Youth Offending Team.

6. DRAFT REPORT OF THE TERMS OF REFERENCE WORKING GROUP
(PAGES -)

To consider the report of the Chairman of the Working Group.

7. DATA TRENDS AND DEVELOPMENTS RELATING TO ATTENDANCE AND
EXCLUSIONS IN RESPECT OF DUDLEY'S SCHOOLS FOR THE 2004/05
ACADEMIC YEAR (PAGES -)

To consider the report of the Director of Children's Services.

8. PERFORMANCE DATA (PAGES -)

To consider the report of the Director of Children's Services.

9. PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT – CHILDREN'S SOCIAL CARE (PAGES -)

To consider the report of the Director of Children's Services.

10. QUARTERLY CORPORATE PERFORMANCE MONITORING REPORT
(PAGES -)

To consider the report of the Lead Officer to the Committee.

11. THE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S PLAN (PAGE -)

To consider the report of the Director of Children's Services.

12. TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ASKED UNDER COUNCIL PROCEDURE RULE
11.8 (IF ANY)

Distribution

To: All Members of the Select Committee on Lifelong Learning, namely:-

Councillors Boys, Mrs Coulter, Mrs Dunn, Ms Hart, Johnston, Mrs Pearce, Rahman, Mrs Ridley, Rogers, Ryder, Wright; Mr Dudley, Mr Smith; Mrs Capell, Mr Hatton; Mrs Hewitt-Clarkson, Mrs Roe; Mr Guest; Mr Nottingham and Mrs Simms.

Officers: The Director of Finance (as Lead Officer to the Committee), the Director of Children's Services, the Assistant Director of Children's Services (Resources and Planning), the Assistant Director of Children's Services (Community Education and Development), the Assistant Director of Children's Services (Children's Social Care), the Assistant Director of Children's Services (School Effectiveness), the Assistant Director of Children's Services (Libraries and Information) and the Acting Assistant Director of Children's Services (Access and Inclusion).