

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT CHIEF EXECUTIVE – LEGAL AND REGULATORY SERVICES

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

28 APRIL 2014

APPOINTMENT OF CO-OPTED MEMBER TO THE CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1 The purpose of the report is to inform the Committee that Mr H Daniel has been nominated for appointment as a Co-opted Member of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee, representing the National Association of Schoolmasters/ Union of Women Teachers (NASUWT).

2. Connection to Corporate Improvement Objectives / Other Corporate Priorities.

- 2.1 The key improvement objectives identified in the Corporate Plan 2013–2017 have been embodied in the Overview & Scrutiny Forward Work Programmes. The amended Corporate Improvement Objectives adopted by Council on 3 April 2013 formally set out the improvement objectives that the Council will seek to implement between 2013 and 2017. The Overview and Scrutiny Committees engage in review and development of plans, policy or strategies that support the Corporate Themes.

3. Background

- 3.1 In line with the Parent Governor Representatives and Church Representatives (Wales) Regulations 2001, the Constitution, at Part 4, Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules state at Rule 4 that an Overview and Scrutiny Committee, whose functions relate wholly or in part to education functions which are the responsibility of Cabinet, shall include in its membership one Church in Wales Representative, one Roman Catholic Church Representative, and three Parent Governor Representatives (one from a Primary School, one from a Secondary School, and one from a Special School).
- 3.2 The Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules also state at Rule 3 that each Overview and Scrutiny Committee shall be entitled to recommend to the Council the appointment of a number of people as non-voting co-optees. In accordance with this provision, it has previously been agreed that teaching trade union representatives be co-opted onto the Committee whose functions relate to education functions, and the following trade unions are represented:

- National Association of Headteachers (NAHT)

- National Association of Schoolmasters/Union of Women Teachers (NAS/UWT)
- National Union of Teachers (NUT)
- Association of Teachers and Lecturers (ATL)

4. Current Situation

- 4.1 A vacancy has arisen for a representative of the NAS/UWT union, due to the retirement of the former representative, Mr. H Thomas. Mr H Daniel has therefore been nominated by the NAS/UWT for appointment as their Co-opted Member representative.

5. Effect upon Policy Framework and Procedure Rules

- 5.1 The work of the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee relates to the review and development of plans, policy or strategy that form part of the Policy Framework and consideration of plans, policy or strategy relating to the power to promote or improve economic, social or environmental well being in the County Borough of Bridgend.

6. Equality Impact Assessment

- 6.1 There are no equalities implications.

7. Financial Implications

- 7.1 There are no financial implications.

8. Recommendations

That the Committee recommends to Council the appointment of Mr H Daniel as a co-opted member representing the National Association of School Masters/ Union of Women Teachers to the Children and Young People Overview and Scrutiny Committee, for a term of four years:

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