



Date: Monday, 7th March, 2005

Time: **2.00 p.m.**

Place: Council Chamber, Brockington, 35

Hafod Road, Hereford

Notes: Please note the time, date and venue of

the meeting.

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County of Herefordshire District Council

AGENDA

for the Meeting of the Standing Advisory Council for Religious Education (SACRE)

To: Councillor J. Stone (Chairman)

Members: Cllr Mrs. W.U. Attfield, Mrs. C. Ault, Revd. P. Barlow, Mrs. J. Brown, Father M Donnelly, Dr. D. Goodman, Cllr P.E. Harling, Ms. K. Mayglothling, Mrs S McCamley, Mrs. G. Morris, Mrs A. Mundy, Mr. Z. Pandor, Mr. J. Rendall, Mr M. Rollnick and Revd. I. Terry

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

To receive apologies for absence.

2. NAMED SUBSTITUTES (IF ANY)

To receive details any details of Members nominated to attend the meeting in place of a Member of the Committee.

3. MINUTES

To approve and sign the Minutes of the meeting held on 29th November, 2004.

4. RESPONSE TO WRITTEN PUBLIC QUESTIONS (IF ANY)

To answer any pre-received written questions from members of the public.

5. OFFICER SUPPORT TO SACRE

To receive an oral report on staffing proposals to service SACRE.

6. PRESENTATION ON TEACHING RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IN SPECIAL SCHOOLS

To receive a presentation on the teaching of Religious Education in Special Schools.

7. ISSUES ARISING FROM THE QCA SACRE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The Consultant for Religious Education to give an overview of issues discussed at the QCA SACRE Annual Conference held in London, 9th December, 2004.

8. AN EVALUATION OF THE WORK OF SACRE'S

To debate issues raised in the Ofsted publication "An evaluation of the Work of SACREs", copies of which were issued to Members at or after the last meeting, and to consider the recent QCA publication "SACREs and Self-Evaluation: A Guide", copies of which will be issued at the meeting.

(Copies of the above publications are available from the QCA website, at

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9. MONITORING OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION IN SCHOOLS

The Consultant for Religious Education will report on the monitoring of RE in a cross section of Herefordshire Schools.

10. EXAMINATION RESULTS IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES 1999 TO 2004

To inform SACRE of Herefordshire's examination results in Religious Studies for the period 1999 to 2004 when compared to the national trend.

11. RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CO-ORDINATORS MEETING - UPDATE

To receive oral reports on the RE Co-ordinators meeting held 30th November, 2004.

12. AREA WIDE INSPECTION (14-19)

To inform SACRE of the Area Wide Inspection of 14 – 19 year old provision across Herefordshire and SACREs involvement in the inspection.

13. EDUCATION BUDGET FOR 2005/06 - IMPLICATION FOR SACRE

The Head of IASPS to report on the Education Budget 2005/06 with particular reference to any implications for SACRE.

14. 2005 SACRE ANNUAL CONFERENCE

The RE Consultant will update SACRE on planning for the 2005 SACRE Annual Conference including a proposal to use the Conference to launch the new Collective Worship Guidance.

15. DELEGATE TO NASACRE AGM

To consider sending a delegate to the National Association of Standing Advisory Councils on Religious Education (NASACRE) Annual General Meeting to be held 10.00 a.m. Tuesday 19th April, 2005 at the Council House, Birmingham.

16. FUTURE MEETING DATES

To note that future meetings of SACRE will be held at 2.00 p.m. at Brockington, 35 Hafod Road, Hereford on the following dates:

- Friday, 24th June, 2005
- Monday, 28th November, 2005
- Monday, 20th March, 2006

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