

EDUCATION FOR LIFE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE -24TH FEBRUARY 2015

SUBJECT: EDUCATION SCRUTINY

REPORT BY: ACTING DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE SERVICES AND SECTION 151

- 1.1 The report was considered by the Scrutiny Leadership Group on the 27th November 2014.
- 1.2 The report from the Interim Deputy Monitoring Officer sought to clarify the role of scrutiny in relation to the legal functions and responsibilities of School and Council.
- 1.3 The Scrutiny Leadership Group were referred to section 4.18 of the report (as attached in Appendix 1) which outlined the Council's powers of intervention under the School Standards and Framework Act 2013 and the Schools Organisation Code. The different functions, roles and responsibilities and how they intersected and separated were discussed.
- 1.4 The Scrutiny Leadership Group having considered the complicated nature of the relationships involved proposed that the report be presented to the next appropriate meeting of the Education for Life Scrutiny Committee for their information and by a show of hands this was unanimously agreed.
- 1.5 Members are invited to note the report.
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Appendices:

Appendix 1 Scrutiny Leadership Group - 28th May 2014 - Agenda No. 6