

# ITEM 05

Time commenced – 6.00pm  
Meeting Adjourned – 6.10pm  
Meeting Reconvened – 6.20pm  
Time finished – 6.30pm

## **STANDING ADVISORY COUNCIL ON RELIGIOUS EDUCATION 29 September 2020**

Present:

### **Group A – Christianity and Other World Faiths**

Raj Bali	Hindu Faith
Phil Royle	Methodist Church
Lucy Care	Religious Society of Friends
Mair Bradley	United Reformed Church
Eve Sacker	Jewish Faith
Dr Hardial Singh Dhillon	Sikh Faith
Errol Vassell	Pentecostal Church
Ranjit Singh Seehra	Sikh Faith

### **Group B – Church of England**

Viv Lawrence  
Alison Brown

### **Group C – Teachers' Associations**

Wendy Hardy	NEU
Melvin Harris	NASUWT

### **Group D – Local Education Authority**

Councillor Kus  
Councillor Skelton  
Councillor Wood

### **Co-opted Members**

Samantha Hussain	The Open Centre
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In Attendance:

Steve Ford	Lead officer to SACRE
Dominic Monahan	Clerk to SACRE
Rachael Snowdon	Roman Catholic Church

01/20      Appointment of Chair

SACRE noted the appointment of Councillor Skelton as Chair of Group D and Chair of SACRE.

## 02/20 Appointment of the Chairs of Groups A,B and C

SACRE noted the appointment of Eve Sacker as Chair of Group A, Alison Brown as Chair of Group B and Wendy Hardy as Chair of Group C.

## 03/20 Appointment of Vice Chair

It was noted that Wendy Hardy had been appointed as Vice Chair of SACRE.

## 04/20 Apologies

Apologies were received from Rev Anita Matthews.

## 05/20 Late Items to be introduced by the Chair

There were none.

## 06/20 Declarations of Interest

There were none.

## 07/20 Minutes of the Meeting Held on 28 January 2020 and Matters Arising

The minutes of the meeting held on 28 January 2020 were noted.

## 08/20 SACRE Membership, Resignations and Vacancies

The Clerk to SACRE reported that the following SACRE Members had chosen to resign since the last SACRE meeting:

Rev Philip Webb (Baptist Church)  
Ann Jackman (Buddhist Faith)  
Rev Roy Ninkovic (Serbian Orthodox Church)  
Peter Harvey (Humanists UK)

SACRE agreed that letters would be sent out to these individuals thanking them for their service to Derby SACRE.

The Clerk to SACRE reported that the following individuals had been nominated by their nominating bodies for a four-year term beginning on 11 October 2020.

**Group A (Christianity and Other World Faiths)**

Raj Bali (Hindu Faith)  
Phil Royle (Methodist Church)  
Lucy Care (Religious Society of Friends)  
Rachael Snowdon (Roman Catholic Church)  
Mair Bradley (United Reformed Church)  
Eve Sacker (Jewish Faith)  
Dr Hardial Singh Dhillon (Sikh Faith)  
Ranjit Singh Seehra (Sikh Faith)  
Errol Vassell (Pentecostal Church)

**Group B (Church of England)**

Viv Lawrence  
Alison Brown

**Group C (Teachers' Associations)**

Wendy Hardy (NEU)  
Kieran Picken (NEU)

**Co-opted Members**

Samantha Hussain (The Open Centre)  
Geoff Sweeney (Multi Faith Centre)

The Clerk to SACRE reported that the following SACRE positions were vacant, or were due to become vacant on 11 October 2020:

**Group A (Christianity and Other World Faiths)**

Afro-Caribbean Council of Churches  
Bahai Faith  
Baptist Church  
Buddhist Faith  
Salvation Army  
Serbian Orthodox Church  
Islamic Faith x2

**Group B (Church of England)**

Vacancy x2

**Group C (Teachers' Associations)**

National Association of Head Teachers (NAHT)  
The Association of School and College Leaders (ASCL)  
NASUWT

**Co-opted Members**

Humanists UK

The Clerk to SACRE reported that nominations for these positions were being sought.

**Resolved:**

- 1. To agree that SACRE would send letters to Members who had resigned thanking them for their service.**
- 2. To agree that the Members and Co-opted Members who had been nominated by their nominating bodies would serve four-year terms on SACRE, beginning on 11 October 2020.**

MINUTES END