COUNTY COUNCIL MEETING – 26th SEPTEMBER 2018 REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

A. PARENT GOVERNOR REPRESENTATIVES TO SERVE ON LOCAL AUTHORITY COMMITTEES DEALING WITH EDUCATION

The Education (Parent Governor Representatives) Regulations 1999, and Education Circular 13/99 require parent governor representatives to be elected to serve on local authority committees that consider education matters.

The County Council's Constitution (Overview and Scrutiny Rules Part 4E, Rule 5 (a)) provides for two parent governor representatives to serve on the Children and Families Overview and Scrutiny Committee. The term of office for parent governor representatives will be four years, to run co-terminously with the election of the County Council.

In 2017, through the Governor Support Service, nominations were invited from eligible parent governors but none were received. Following a further request only one nomination was received, from Mr David Ryan of Elizabeth Woodville Primary School in Groby, so no formal election was required.

In accordance with the Regulations and the County Council's procedure, the successful candidate must be formally appointed by the County Council.

The Children and Families Service will be undertaking a further exercise seeking to fill the remaining vacancy in the near future.

(Motion to be moved:

That Mr David Ryan be appointed as a co-opted member of the Children and Families Overview and Scrutiny Committee (or other appropriate scrutiny committee dealing with Education) for the period ending May 2021).

J. Sinnott

