

**Report to:** Children & Young People's Panel

**Date:** 17 January 2008

**Subject:** Appointment of Local Authority Representative  
Governors

**Report of:** Director of Children & Young People's Services

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**Purpose / summary:** To inform panel of Local Authority Governor vacancies at schools in the Borough.

**Alternative options considered and reason for selecting the one recommended:** N/A

**Recommendation / decision:** That the Governor vacancies be noted and any recommendations for candidates be forwarded to the Governor Services Team.

**Key Decisions** This report does not involve any key decisions.

**Risks / Implications:**

Financial:	None
Staffing:	None
Policy:	None
Equal Opportunities - Has a Diversity Impact Assessment been conducted?	Yes
Wards affected:	All

**Property Implications– Does the proposal involve a reduction, addition or change to the Council's asset base or its occupation?**

No

**If yes have the property implications been agreed with the Corporate Property officer?**

**Does this proposal have significant implications for the Council and the local population?**

No

**Does this proposal involve a new policy or procedure or significant changes to an existing policy or procedure?**

No

Has the Director of Legal and Property Services confirmed that the recommendations within this report are lawful and comply with the Council's Constitution? **Yes**

Has the Director of Finance and IT confirmed that any expenditure referred to within this report is consistent with the Council's budget? **Yes**

Are any of the recommendations within this report contrary to the Policy Framework of the Council? **No**

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**For Cabinet reports only :**

Categorisation of the report:	<b>X</b>
Discussion leading to a decision	
Monitoring	
Sharing for corporate understanding	

	<b>X</b>
Discussion	
Decision	
Information	<b>X</b>

**Tracking/Process:**

	Consultation	Ward Members	Partners
Panel	Overview & Scrutiny	Cabinet	Council
17.1.08			

List of Background Papers in accordance with Section 100D of the Local Government Act 1972:

Document	Date	File Reference	Place of Inspection
Instruments of Government – Various Schools	Various		Children & Young People's Services, Progress House, Westwood Park Drive, Wigan, WN3 4HH

Proper Officer Nick Hudson

Date 4<sup>th</sup> January 2008

## Governor vacancies

Following the appointments due to be made by Council on 9 January 2008 the schools listed below continue to require Local Authority Representative Governors.

If there is any interest in these vacancies please contact Governors Services who will advise the prospective governor of the appointment procedure.

<b>Establishments</b>	<b>Date of vacancy</b>	<b>Number of vacancies</b>
<b>Schools</b>		
Ashton- Landgate School	5/07	1
Atherton – Meadowbank Primary & Nursery	7/07	1
Hindley CE All Saints Primary	10/07	1
Hindley Community High	10/07	1
Hindley SureStart Nursery	5/07 & 10/07	2
Leigh CE Junior	10/07	1
Leigh – St Peter’s CE Juniors	8/07	1
Orrell Newfold Community Primary	7/07	1
Shevington Vale Primary	9/05	1
Tyldesley – Garrett Hall Primary	7/07	1
Tyldesley - Highlea	5/06	1
Tyldesley - Kingshill	9/06	1
Wigan – Highfield St Matthew’s CE Primary	2/07	1
Wigan – Mabs Cross Community Primary	3/08	1
Wigan – Marus Bridge Primary	10/07	1
<b>Temporary Management Committees</b>		
Pupil Referral Unit	5/07	1
<b>Temporary Governing Bodies</b>		
New EBSL School	7/07	1



### LEA Vacancies for the period January 2006 to November 2007

Wigan LA Vacancies currently stand at 6.18%

NW LA Vacancies currently stand at 10.1%

National LA Vacancies currently stand at 15% (figure issued annually)

Metropolitan LA Vacancies currently stand at 14% (figure issued annually)

