By:	Alex King, Deputy Leader Peter Sass, Head of Democratic Services
То:	Selection and Member Services Committee –10 July 2012
Subject:	Appointment of Trustee to the Isle of Sheppey Academy Board
Classification	Unrestricted
FOR DECISION	

Introduction

1. The Isle of Sheppey Academy is sponsored by Dulwich College (lead sponsor), Kent County Council and the Canterbury Diocesan Board of Education.

2. Mr Mark Dance has been representing the County Council as a Trustee on the Board, but has now resigned in order to concentrate fully on his new cabinet portfolio.

3. Mr Whiting, the Cabinet Portfolio holder for Education, Learning and Skills has recommended that Mr Doug Kimber should replace Mr Dance on the Board. This recommendation has the full support of the Board of Trustees.

4. Mr Kimber has been in the teaching profession since 1965 and was the Head Teacher of Maplesden Noakes School from 1989 to 2003. he has been the Chair of Kent GM Schools (1995 to 2001) and a member of both the National Committee of NAHT for Foundation Schools (2000 – 2003) and the National Committee for Grant Maintained Schools (1995 – 2000).

RECOMMENDATIONS:

4. The Committee is requested to appoint a County Council representative to serve on the Isle of Sheppey Academy Board of Trustees.

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