

**By:** Paulina Stockell – Chairman of Selection and Member Services Committee  
Peter Sass – Head of Democratic Services and Local Leadership

**To:** Selection and Member Services Committee – 9 October 2009

**Subject:** OUTSIDE BODIES – YALDING EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION

**Classification:** Unrestricted

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**Summary:** To consider a request by the Yalding Educational Foundation to abolish the provision within its Scheme for the County Council to appoint 2 Governors

## **FOR DECISION**

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### **INTRODUCTION**

1. The Chairman of the Yalding Educational Foundation wrote to the County Council on 30 July 2009 in order to request the County Council's agreement to its Scheme being amended by the deletion of the appointment of 2 members to its Governing Body
2. The letter from the Chairman is enclosed at *Appendix 1* and the current Scheme (dating back to 1924) at *Appendix 2*.
3. I have been informed by the Clerk to the Foundation that the County Council has not appointed to this Governing Body for a very considerable length of time.

### **POSSIBLE REPRESENTATION**

4. The Local Member, Mrs Paulina Stockell was previously unaware of the Foundation's existence. She considers that it would be beneficial if the Local Member were appointed for the term of office of the County Council.
5. Mrs Stockell's views have been conveyed to the Chairman of the Foundation. I will update the Committee on the Foundation's views if they are received in time.

## **RECOMMENDATION**

6. That, subject to the views of the Foundation, the Committee appoints the Local Member (Mrs Stockell) to the Governing Body of the Yalding Educational Foundation and agrees to reduce the County Council's representation on its Governing Body from two to one representative.

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*Background Documents*

*None.*