

## **AGREED SYLLABUS CONFERENCE**

MINUTES OF THE MEETING held in the Council Chamber, Hampshire County Council Offices, The Castle, Winchester on Monday, 29 March 2004 at 4.00 pm

### **Present**

#### **Group A Representatives**

Jean Howarth, the Fellowship of Independent Evangelical Churches  
Christine MacMillan, United Reform Church  
David Hill, Roman Catholic Church  
Ted Parker, Salvation Army  
Mohamed Riyami, Islam  
Julius Klein, Judaism

#### **Group B Representatives**

Brian Hay

#### **Group C Representatives**

Georgie Tüzemen

#### **Group D Representatives**

Councillor Malcolm Hey (in the Chair)  
Councillor David Stephen Butler

#### **Co-opted Representatives**

Sue Ganter  
John Lance  
Terry Carter

#### **Officers in Attendance**

Clive Erricker, Hampshire Area Education Office  
Judith Lowndes, Hampshire Area Education Office  
Mike Johns, Portsmouth LEA  
Teresa Deasy, Democratic Services, Portsmouth City Council

### **8 Declarations of Interest (AI 1)**

There were no declarations of interest.

## **9 Apologies for Absence**

Apologies for absence were received from Roger Bentote, Ros Griffiths, Dalbara Kalsi, David Lewis, Jane Love, Mrs Ephrat Miller-Foroughi and Patrick Quirke.

## **10 Minutes – 3 March 2004**

(TAKE IN MINUTES)

**RESOLVED** that the Minutes of the meeting held on 3 March 2004 be agreed as a correct record.

## **11 Chairman's Communications**

There were no Chairman's communications.

## **12 Deputations**

There were no deputations.

## **13 Adoption of the Agreed Syllabus for Religious Education 2004-2009 (AI 3)**

(TAKE IN REPORT AND AGREED SYLLABUS)

This meeting was held immediately following the Joint Meeting of the Agreed Syllabus Conference with Hampshire County Council and Southampton City Council. At this meeting the agreed syllabus was discussed, questions were asked and amendments were made.

**RESOLVED** that the Agreed Syllabus Conference formally adopts the revised agreed syllabus "Living Difference" as the new legally agreed syllabus for schools in Portsmouth for September 2004-July 2009. Any modifications to be agreed by the Chairman in conjunction with the County Area Inspector.

## **14 Vote of Thanks**

The Chairman thanked the Portsmouth SACRE Members for attending the meeting and also expressed his thanks to the Working Groups who had worked on the agreed syllabus.

On behalf of the Portsmouth SACRE Members, the Chairman expressed his appreciation to the Officers for their work on the agreed syllabus and for setting up the conference. Finally, the chairman thanked Hampshire County Council officials for their hospitality on this occasion.

The meeting concluded at 4.10 pm.