

93rd Council Meeting

Saturday, April 16th 2005

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Minutes of the 93rd SACP Council Meeting

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93.1 Present

G.Reoch (Glasgow SE), J Noble (Argyll & Bute), G. Bayfield, G. Adamson (Scottish Borders), A. Philip(Aberdeen), A. Lee(West Dunbartonshire), P. Maynard(Dumfries and Galloway), A. McGroarty(Glasgow)

Apologies

M. Easton (Highland), L. Benton (N Lanarkshire), M. Stenhouse (Clackmannanshire), M. Gaughan (Glasgow SW), B. Paterson (S Lanarkshire), C. Robertson (Angus), S, McMenemy (N Ayrshire), D McArthur (Inverclyde)

We welcomed Boyd McAdam from SEED, to give us an update on the progress of the review of the children's hearing system. There is still very much a work in progress and although ministers are agreed on broad concepts, details have still to be worked through.

Phase 1 consultation was successful and brought about a lot of debate.

Phase 2 will focus on how outcomes for children can be improved, to ensure a timely, appropriate and proportionate response to each child, where a need is identified

- 93.2** Minutes of the previous meeting were accepted, Proposed by G Bayfield and seconded by G Adamson

93.3 Matters Arising

G Bayfield's name was not on the Sederunt although present at the meeting

AGM - Aviemore, Macdonald Four Seasons Hotel, June 4th 05. Any one requiring overnight accommodation needs to book ASAP (Quoted £60 per room),

Please telephone Linda O'Rourke on 0845 604 4242

Number of current panel members - 2500

93.4 Correspondence

Distance Learning Pack on Parenting Orders + Guidance on Local Authority accountability

Babs Patterson has resigned to become chair in her own area. It was decided that she should be invited to attend the AGM.

93.6 Chairmans Reports

Children's Law Uk

CHRG meeting

CHF report

Annual Report – all attached

93.6 Treasurers Report

No Treasurers report available – Accounts are being audited.

93.7 Secretary Report

93.8 Press Secretary Report

Reports on Website should now be up to date. At our last meeting it was agreed that names of representatives of each area should be on the Extranet,

93.9 Annual report made up of reports from the Chairperson, Treasurer Secretary, Press secretary and Conference Coordinator

Discussion took place re the format printing, i.e. layout size, colour etc. Chair and deputy chair to liaise with treasurer re printing of same

93.10 Copy of the Updated Conference Diary+ AGM Report

Date Of Next Meeting – 4th June 05 at Four Seasons Hotel ,Aviemore