REPRESENTATION ON OTHER BODIES DARLINGTON COLLEGE CORPORATION BOARD

Responsible Cabinet Member(s) – Councillor John Williams, Leader of the Council

Responsible Director(s) – Paul Wildsmith, Director of Corporate Services

Purpose of Report

1. To consider the appointment of a Member to the Corporation Board of Darlington College.

Information And Analysis

2. The term of office of Councillor Long, one of this Council's representatives on the Darlington College Corporation Board, expired on 31st March, 2006. The College have contacted the Council and requested that either Councillor Long be re-nominated to the Board or that another Member be nominated to represent the Council on the Board. The term of office of the Council's other representative, Councillor Lister, will expire in March 2007.

Legal Implications

4. This report has been considered by the Borough Solicitor for legal implications in accordance with the Council's approved procedures. There are no issues which the Borough Solicitor considers need to be brought to the specific attention of Members, other than those highlighted in the report.

Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998

5. The contents of this report have been considered in the context of the requirements placed on the Council by Section 17 of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998, namely, the duty on the Council to exercise its functions with due regard to the likely effect of the exercise of those functions on, and the need to do all that it reasonably can to prevent, crime and disorder in its area. It is not considered that the contents of this report have any such effect.

Council Policy Framework

6. The issues contained within this report do not represent change to Council policy or the Council's policy framework.

Decision Deadline

7. For the purpose of the 'call-in' this does not represent an urgent matter.

Recommendation

8. That Councillor Long be nominated to serve on the Corporation Board of Darlington College for a four year term of office, commencing 1st April, 2006 .

Reasons

9. The recommendation is supported to ensure that this Council is represented on the Board.

Paul Wildsmith Director of Corporate Services

Background Papers

No Background papers were used in the preparation of this report.

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