

<b>Committee(s)</b>	<b>Dated:</b>
Education Board	12 January 2017
<b>Subject:</b> Appointment of Governor to The City Academy, Hackney	<b>Public</b>
<b>Report of:</b> Director of Community and Children's Services	<b>For Decision</b>
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### **Summary**

The term of Katie Dowbiggin on the City Academy, Hackney (Hackney) Local Governing Body has expired. Ms Dowbiggin has made a valuable contribution to Hackney, and Members are asked to approve her reappointment to the Hackney Governing body.

### **Recommendation(s)**

Members are asked to approve the appointment of Katie Dowbiggin to the City Academy, Hackney Local Governing Body.

### **Main Report**

#### **Background**

1. Katie Dowbiggin's term on Hackney's local governing board expired in September 2016. She has expressed interest in being reappointed for another term.

#### **Current Position**

2. Due to Ms Dowbiggin's term expiring, there is a vacancy on the Hackney Governing body. The skills gap left by this vacancy includes HR and links to City business.
3. Ms Dowbiggin has confirmed she would like to be considered for reappointment for another term. She fulfils the skill requirements, as she has experience in HR and is connected to the business sector. She has also made a valuable contribution to Hackney throughout her first term. Her application form is attached as **Appendix 1**.

#### **Proposal**

4. Members are asked to approve the reappointment of Katie Dowbiggin for another term.

#### **Conclusion**

5. The term of Katie Dowbiggin on the Hackney local governing body has expired. Members are asked to approve the reappointment of Ms Dowbiggin for another term, as she would continue to make a valuable contribution to Hackney.

#### **Appendices**

- Appendix 1 – Katie Dowbiggin application form

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