AUDIT AND RISK COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF LONDON ACADEMIES TRUST

Friday, 2 October 2020

Minutes of the meeting of the Audit and Risk Committee of the City of London Academies Trust held at the Guildhall EC2 at 10.00 am

Present

Members:

Peter Bennett (Chairman) Tijs Broeke Edward Benzecry Dawn Elliott

Officers:

Mark Emmerson - Chief Executive Officer

Billy Harvey - Director of ICT

Claire Hersey - Chief Financial Officer

Smith Umoren - Director of Estates and Faciltiies Management

Clare Verga - Chief Standards Officer
Kerry Nicholls - Town Clerk's Department
Antoinette Duhaney - Town Clerk's Department
Ellen Wentworth - Chamberlain's Department

1. ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN

RESOLVED – That Peter Bennett be elected as Chairman of the Committee for the ensuing year.

2. APOLOGIES

There were no apologies.

3. **DECLARATIONS**

There were no declarations.

4. MINUTES

RESOLVED – That the public minutes of the meeting held on 01.07.20 be agreed as a correct record.

5. **QUESTIONS**

There were no questions.

6. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT

There was no other business.

7. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC

RESOLVED - That the public be excluded for the remaining items of business as they are likely to involve discussion on matters deemed commercially sensitive to the City of London Academies Trust.

8. **NON-PUBLIC MINUTES**

RESOLVED – That the non-public minutes of the meeting held on 01.07.20 be agreed as a correct record

9. **OUTSTANDING ITEMS**

Trustees considered a report of the Town Clerk regarding outstanding actions arising from previous meetings.

10. COVID-19 RISK ASSESSMENTS AND REVIEWS

The Committee considered an update on COVID-19 Risk Assessments.

11. **INTERNAL AUDIT**

The Committee considered the findings from an Internal Audit.

12. EXTERNAL AUDIT

The Committee considered the findings of an External Audit.

13. TRUST STRATEGIC RISK REGISTER

The Committee considered an update on the Trust Strategic Risk Register.

14. HEALTH AND SAFETY MONITORING IN TRUST SCHOOLS

The Committee considered a Health & safety Monitoring update.

15. UNVALIDATED EXAMINATION AND TEST RESULTS 2020

The Committee considered a report on centre assessed grades in the absence of examinations.

16. NON-PUBLIC QUESTIONS

There were no non-public questions.

17. ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT AND THE COMMITTEE AGREES CAN BE CONSIDERED WHILST THE PUBLIC ARE EXCLUDED

There was no other business.

The meeting closed at 10.52 am		
Chairman		

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