

Committee:	Date:
The City Bridge Trust Committee	28 th January 2015
Subject:	Public
Variations to Grants	
Report of:	For Information
Chief Grants Officer	
<u>Summary</u>	
<p>This report advises Members of variation to 2 grants agreed by the Chief Grants Officer since your last meeting.</p>	
Recommendation	
<p>That Members receive this report and note its contents.</p>	

Main Report

Since your last meeting variation to the grants outlined below has been agreed by the Chief Grants Officer, in line with the revised delegated procedure for the amendment of grants as agreed by your Committee in October 2004.

Disabled Parents Network

In October 2012 you agreed funding of £23,400 over two years (£11,600; £11,800) towards the costs of a Support Officer plus on-costs and subject to the balance of funding (c. £35,000 in year 1) being raised from other sources. Since the grant was awarded the organisation gave only one update on fundraising targets (reporting that a bid had been unsuccessful). No further updates have been provided and your officers are aware that latest accounts are currently overdue with the Charity Commission (by 140 days at the time of writing); whilst the 2011/12 accounts were submitted 198 days late. Given the time elapsed since the award, and the charity's failure to meet its regulatory requirements, the grant has been revoked.

National Association of Child Contact Centres

At your meeting in November 2014 you agreed two further years' support to this organisation. The wording of the grant offer stipulated that a p/t (3 days per week) Support Worker post would be funded, plus running costs. However, the organisation has stated that it will be better able to deliver the necessary outcomes if the salary costs were allocated for 80 days per year for the Support Worker and 24 days per year for a Development Manager. This has been approved by your officer and a revised grant offer document sent out.

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