

GOVERNORS FINANCE AND RESOURCES COMMITTEE

Tuesday 18th June 2024 at 5.30pm Remote Online Meeting

Agenda

Members:

Michael Belfourd – Chair of the Committee/Foundation Governor Sarah Medicoff - Foundation Governor Nader Sheta – Chair of Governors/ Foundation Governor Graham Thompson – Principal

Invited to attend:

Clare Baskott - Clerk to Governors
Ciaran Graham – Associate Principal (Observer)
Margaret Searle - Director of Finance & Resources
David Wright – National Leader of Governance

Time	Item No	Item	Paper	BAF/RISK
5.30pm	1	Opening Prayer and Welcome		
		Welcome to David Wright – National Leader		
		of Governance		
	2	Apologies for absence		
	3	Declarations of Interests		
	4	Notification of Any Other Business (notified		
		to the Chair and Clerk prior to the meeting)		
5.35pm	5	Minutes of previous meeting, 20 th February		
		2024: for review and agreement	Yes	
	5.1	Matters Arising for this meeting not on the		
		agenda		
5.40pm		Premises/Estates	Yes	2. Funding and
	6.1	Premises and Accommodation Report –		Finance
		Graham Thompson – Principal		1. Student
	6.2	To note the appointment of Princebuild UK		recruitment and
		Limited as the Principal Contractor for the		retention
		W5 project (approved by the Committee by		7. Estates and H&S
		email)		compliance
	6.2	Insurance update – Margaret Searle -		
		Director of Finance & Resources		
6.00pm	7	Annual Health and Safety Report: – Graham		7. Estates and H&S
		Thompson – Principal – for recommendation		compliance
		to the Full Governing Board		
6.15pm	8	Financial – Margaret Searle - Director of		
		Finance & Resources /Michael Belfourd –		
		Chair of the Committee		
				2. Funding and
	8.1	Monthly Commentary and Accounts –		Finance
		monthly accounts up to 30 th April 2024 have	Yes	10. Leadership and
		been uploaded to GovenorHub		Governance

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	8.2	Recommendations from the Remuneration Committee (to note that account has been taken in the budget for any recommendations arising) – covered under 8.3	No	2. Funding and Finance 10. Leadership and Governance
	8.3	College Financial Forecasting Return including College Budget for 2024/25 – Three-year template and supporting commentary for filing with the EFSA by 31 st July 2024 for recommendation to the Full Governing Board The Accounting Officer will make a declaration on the return to confirm that the Governing Body will approve the CFFR and that it supports the GB's strategic objectives.	Y	2. Funding and Finance 10. Leadership and Governance 1. Student recruitment and retention
	8.4 8.5	Staffing update Funding updates		9 HR
	8.6	Treasury Management Treasury Management: Monitoring Report – Margaret Searle - Director of Finance & Resources	Yes	2. Funding and
	8.7	Treasury Management Policy (annual review) for recommendation to the Full Governing Board		2. Funding and
	8.8	ESFA updates as applicable (letter and annual strategic conversation – tbc) and April Dashboard report		Finance 10. Leadership and Governance
	8.9	College Financial Regulations and Associated Policies: update and revision for 2024 – 2025 (in papers) for recommendation to the Full Governing Board		
ļ	8.10	Rateable value – verbal update		2 Funding and
	8.11	FMCE Improvement Plan: to note progress report reviewed by Audit Committee, 26 th February 2024		2. Funding and Finance 10. Leadership and Governance
6:45pm	9	Accountability agreement update – Graham Thompson	Verbal update	2. Funding and Finance 10. Leadership and Governance



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6:50pm	10	SFX Corporate Services Ltd – Margaret	Verbal	2. Funding and
		Searle	update	Finance
		SFX Corporate board meetings:		
		Tuesday 11 th June 2024		
7:30pm		Standing closing items		
	11	Committee review of effectiveness,		10. Leadership and
		membership, and skills: online questionnaire		Governance
		for completion after the meeting		
	11.1	Has the Committee identified any new or		
		heightened risks to be advised to the Audit		
		Committee for the risk register?		
	12	Any Other Business		
	13	Review and agree meeting dates and business for 2024/25	Yes	
	14	Identification of any confidential items		
		Confidential item: Risk Register update/IT		
	15	Dates of next meeting:		
		17 th September 2024 at 5:30pm		
		12 th November 2024 at 6:30pm		
		18 th February 2025 at 5:30pm		
		17 th June 2025 at 5:30pm		
	16	Close of meeting		