

CONSIDERATION OF CANDIDATES FOR INCLUSION ON APPROVED LIST AT A MEETING OF THE EDUCATION (APPOINTMENT OF GOVERNORS) PANEL HELD ON MONDAY 8<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER 2008

<b>Name, address and occupation</b>	<b>Is there a particular school (or schools) that you would like to serve as an L.E.A. governor?</b>	<b>What commitment can you give to the role of L.E.A. Governor?</b>	<b>Do you have any previous educational (or other) experience, which will assist you in the role of L.E.A. Governor?</b>	<b>Are you a member of any local voluntary groups or organisations, or are you involved in any community activities?</b>	<b>Are there any additional comments that you would like to make in support of your application to become an L.E.A. Governor?</b>
Mr J Cummings Hetton le Hole DH5 9JN  Mortgage Broker	East Rainton Primary School	AS I am self-employed I am quite flexible and will be able to attend all meetings if I am given advance notice and can plan my diary to accommodate.	Although I am a father to a 19-year-old daughter and have worked continuously since leaving school at 16 I have a wealth of life's experiences.	Member of the Labour Party.	One of my biggest assets is my positive enthusiastic attitude. As a governor I will be willing player within the team of Governor's and look forward to the challenges that may be ahead.
Cllr J Kelly Concord Washington NE37 2ED  Taxi Driver	Usworth Grange Primary School	Available for most meetings.	Parent Governor Usworth School Parent Governor Oxclose Community School.	Councillor. Member of the Civilian Committee Air Training Corp, Usworth. Member of the North East Restoration Club.	
Mr P Routledge Hylton Castle Sunderland SR5 3QA  Administration Manager	Hylton Castle Primary School	Evenings preferably but could meet during the day if negotiated through work.	Worked for Newcastle College as an administrator and a training organisation called the Wisegroup as a senior administrator. I have also had work experience in training companies such as Mari computer Training and Northumbria Police.	Member of the Local Labour Party branch where I am Branch Secretary. Also a member of a local theatre group.	I was a member of a local rugby club where I was the Social Events and Fundraising Chairman. I am involved in helping a friend who was a Councillor and former Mayor in raising money for charity. I am a big believer in Education and would like the opportunity to be involved in developing local schools.

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<p>Mrs K McKernan Ryhope Sunderland SR2 0NZ</p> <p>Account Director</p>	<p>St Mary's RC Primary School</p>	<p>I can dedicate at least the time required to the role as I currently do not have any responsibility for children or other family members. My husband is fully supportive of my application. I work during the week but would be available evenings and weekends for meetings and additional events should this be required. I would be keen to be involved in additional activities also.</p>	<p>Although my family all hold teaching roles, the only educational experience I have is my own. I do however believe that my role as an account director lends itself well to the role of governor. My principal responsibilities are setting aims and vision for my account, working with budget and margins and also ensuring that standards are met and exceeded across my contact centre. I also manage day to day client expectations and recruiting of account personnel including senior roles. Account directors must be able to work well in a team and also to take ownership of their own decisions. I am also an experienced events manager for product launches, staff events and charity fundraising including an annual football game. We are also committed to adult education and I have some experience of working with City of Sunderland college to promote adult literacy, numeracy and NVQs.</p>	<p>I am currently involved in charity fundraising for our work charity WCRF and also my client's 'Helping Hands' scheme.</p>	<p>I would relish the opportunity to be involved in the promotion of educational standards and through my role have a good understanding of the importance of aims and values. I have time to dedicate for the good of the school that I would work in and would enjoy being part of a community that would be able to give some value to my local area.</p>
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## Background Papers

Application to Serve as Local Education Authority School Governor.