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<b>Report To:</b>	<b>Education &amp; Communities Committee</b>	<b>Date:</b>	<b>3 May 2016</b>
<b>Report By:</b>	<b>Corporate Director Environment, Regeneration &amp; Resources</b>	<b>Report No:</b>	<b>SL/LP/042/16</b>
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<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Roman Catholic Church Representation on Education &amp; Communities Committee</b>		

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## **1.0 PURPOSE**

1.1 The purpose of this report is to advise of Rev. Michael McMahon's resignation as the Roman Catholic Church representative on the Education & Communities Committee.

## **2.0 SUMMARY**

2.1 In terms of the Local Government etc. (Scotland) Act 1994, an education authority which appoints a Committee shall include three persons who are not members of the education authority and are as follows:

- (a) One representative of the Church of Scotland;
- (b) One representative of the Roman Catholic Church; and
- (c) One person in the selection of whom the Authority shall have regard (taking account of the representation of the churches under paragraphs (a) and (b) above) to the comparative strength within their area of all the churches and denominational bodies having constituted charges or other regularly appointed places of worship.

2.2 Confirmation has been received from the Roman Catholic Church of the nomination of Mrs Frances Gilpin in Rev. McMahon's place.

## **3.0 RECOMMENDATION**

3.1 The Committee is asked to note the nomination by the Roman Catholic Church of Mrs Frances Gilpin as its representative on the Education & Communities Committee following the resignation of Rev. Michael McMahon.