

Minutes of meeting of the JOINT NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE (EMPLOYERS') held on MONDAY 6 JULY 2020 at 11.17 am

Present: Councillor Middleton (Chair)
Councillors Alexander, Bowyer, Carr (Vice-Chair), Darlington and Miles

Officers: M Cox (HR Director [LGSS]), S Richardson (Director - Finance and Resources), M Zaman (Head of HR and Learning and Development), C Stanton (Pay and Reward Manager), O Bannister (HR Business Partner) and J Crighton (Committee Manager)

Apology: Councillor Hosking (Vice-Chair)

JNC(E)01 MINUTES

RESOLVED -

That the Minutes of the meetings of the Joint Negotiating Committee (Employers') held on 24 February 2020 and the special meeting held on 20 May 2020, be approved and signed by the Chair as correct records.

JNC(E)02 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None disclosed.

JNC(E)03 MATTERS ARISING FROM THE JOINT NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE HELD ON 6 JULY 2020 - DISPUTE RESOLUTION

The Committee considered the outcome from the JNC meeting, held prior to this meeting, which had considered the Staff Side's request that if the Council were to depart from the National Joint Council guidance it first entered into negotiations with the Trades Unions and that a Dispute Resolution process was agreed in case agreement could not be reached by negotiation.

RESOLVED -

That further discussions be held between representatives of the Employers' Side, on a cross-party basis, Trade Union representatives and officers and a report be brought to a future meeting of the Committee.

JNC(E)04

DATE OF NEXT MEETING

It was noted that the next meeting of the Joint Negotiating Committee (Employers') would be held on Monday 5 October 2020. However, if an agreement was reached beforehand, a meeting of the Committee would be scheduled prior to October 2020.

THE CHAIR CLOSED THE MEETING AT 11.27 AM

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