

# Swindon Borough Council

## Standing Advisory Council on Religious Education

**Tuesday, 8 March 2005**

Committee Room 6, Civic Offices, Swindon  
(Anticipated meeting room)

**At 6.00 p.m.**

<b>Councillors (Group A)</b>	<b>Church of England (Group B)</b>	<b>Teacher Organisations (Group C)</b>	<b>Other Faiths (Group D)</b>	<b>Co-opted Representatives</b>
Andrew Bennett	Mrs Catherine Coster	Mr Andrew Fleet	Reverend David Howell, Swindon Evangelical Alliance	Dr Marilyn Tew
Raymond Fisher	Mrs Ann Ormston	Ms Norma McKemey		
Peter Greenhalgh ( <i>Conservative</i> )	Mrs Penny Summers	Mrs Jan Criddle	Mr. Jaswant Singh Grewal, Sikh Community	
Maurice Fanning		Mrs Tracy Mason	Reverend Paul Knight, Baptist	
Fay Howard ( <i>Labour</i> )	The Venerable Alan Hawker	Mr David Easter	Mr M S Khan, Muslim Community	
	Mr. Paul Noble	Ms. Sarah Lashmar	Mr Dinesh Patel, Hindu Community	
		Mrs Emma McCarthy	Father Liam Slattery, Catholic Diocese	
		Mr John Young	Mrs Helen Thomas, United Reformed Church	
			Mrs Wendy Tucker, Methodist Church	

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## **AGENDA**

- 1. Apologies for Absence**
- 2. Public Question Time**

See explanatory note below. Please phone the Committee Officer whose name and number appears at the top of this agenda if you need further guidance.

3. **Minutes** (Pages 1 - 4)  
To receive the minutes of the meeting held on 7 December 2004.
4. **Report on QCA Conference and SACRE Self-Evaluation** (SACRE Advisor)  
(Pages 5 - 36)
5. **Ofsted Reports** (SACRE Advisor) (Pages 37 - 42)
6. **Agreed Syllabus Update** (SACRE Advisor) (Pages 43 - 64)

**Date of Despatch:** 28 February 2005

**Key: Officers:**

DE – Director of Education

DLCG – Director of Law and Corporate Governance

**Public Question Time** - *Swindon Borough Council is committed to increasing its accountability to the public and to promoting active citizenship. Up to 15 minutes will be allowed at the start of all Council meetings for questions to the Chair from members of the public about the work of the Committee (except for confidential matters and specific planning applications). Questions must be relevant, clear and concise. Because of time constraints Public Question Time is not an opportunity to make speeches or statements. Prior notice of a question to the Director of Law and Corporate Governance is desirable - particularly if detailed background information is needed.*

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