

HAMPSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

Officer Decision Record

Decision Maker:	Peter Colenutt
Title:	Head of Strategic Development
Reference:	8105

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1. The decision:

- 1.1. That unconditional approval be given to the following proposal; published by Hampshire County Council under Section 19 (1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006:

To make a prescribed alteration to Pilgrim's Cross CE (VA) Primary School, Picket Twenty Way, Andover, SP11 6TY (category of school – Aided C of E) by enlarging the premises of the school, with effect from 1 September 2019.

2. Reason(s) for the decision:

- 2.1. Formal consultation on the enlargement of Pilgrim's Cross CE (VA) Primary School to change the capacity of the school from 315 to 420 places took place between 12 September and 7 October 2016.
- 2.2. Following the consultation a public notice was published on 18 November 2016 outlining the expansion of the school with effect from 1 September 2019. No objections were received.
- 2.3. A copy of the Public Notice is appended (Appendix 1). The County Council complied with all statutory requirements relating to the publication of the Public Notice.
- 2.4. In accordance with the procedure approved by Hampshire County Council's Cabinet on 21 May 2007, power to make this decision is delegated to the Director of Children's Services.
- 2.5. The reason for making this decision is that this will provide additional capacity for children of primary school age within the school catchment area where a shortfall has been identified.

3. Other options considered and rejected:

- 3.1. Not to approve the proposal would mean that there are insufficient primary school places available in the school to meet the demand from within the Romsey area.

4. Conflicts of interest:

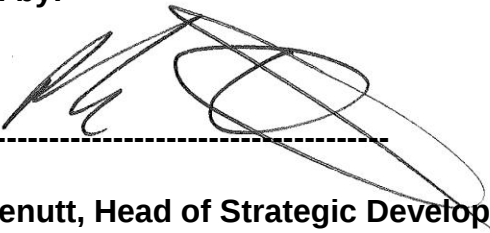
- 4.1. Conflict of interest declared by an Executive Member who is consulted by the officer which relates to the decision:

None

5. Dispensation granted by the Head of Paid Service:

- 5.1 None

Approved by:

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Date:

Date 21 December 2016

Peter Colenutt, Head of Strategic Development

On behalf of the Director of Children's Services

Appendix 1 – Public Notice



PILGRIM'S CROSS CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL, ANDOVER - ENLARGEMENT

1. Notice is hereby given, in accordance with Section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006, that Hampshire County Council intends to make a prescribed alteration to **PILGRIM'S CROSS CE (VA) PRIMARY SCHOOL**, Picket Twenty Way, Andover, SP11 6TY (category of school – Church of England, Voluntary Aided) by enlarging the premises of the school, with effect from 1 September 2019.
2. The current capacity of the school is 315 and the proposed future capacity will be 420. The current number of pupils registered at the school is 163. The current admission number for the school is 45 and this will increase to 60 on the implementation of this proposal.
3. This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal may be obtained from Martin Shefferd, Strategic Development Officer, Children's Services Department, Ell Court North, Winchester, Hampshire SO23 8UG; telephone 01962 845746; e-mail: strategicplanningunit@hants.gov.uk
4. Within four weeks from the date of publication of these proposals, any person may object or make comments on the proposal by sending them to Martin Shefferd, Strategic Development Officer, Children's Services Department, Ell Court North, Winchester, Hampshire SO23 8UG; telephone 01962 845746; e-mail: strategicplanningunit@hants.gov.uk

Dated 18 November 2016

John Coughlan
Chief Executive