BOURNEMOUTH AND POOLE COLLEGE

BOARD OF THE CORPORATION

PART A - MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING HELD ON 19 OCTOBER 2023

Members:		
David Ford	Board Member and Chair of the Board	
Sue Wellman	Board Member and Vice Chair of the Board	
Caron Khan	Board Member	Apologies
Dan Tout	Board Member	
lan Jones	Board Member	
John Dale	Board Member	
Sadie Wetherell	Board Member	Apologies
Dr Michael Fanner	Board Member	Apologies
Saba Mohammed	Board Member	
Mike Kennedy	Board Member	Apologies
Helen Mason	Board Member	
Phil Sayles	Board Member and College Principal & CEO	
Fran Bove	Staff Board Member	
In Attendance:		
Michael Johnson	Chief Operating Officer	
Graham Try	Chief Operating Officer – Interim	
Pat Denham	Vice Principal Curriculum - Interim	
Debbie Smith	Assistant Principal People and Student	
Emma Barrett	Executive Director of Commercial Partnerships	
Antony Carr	Executive Director of HE & Skills	
Marianne Barnard	Director of Governance	

PART A				
BOARD MEETING				
001-2324	APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE			
	Apologies were received from the following Board Members: Dr Michael Fanner, Sadie Wetherell, Caron Khan and Mike Kennedy.			
	A new Board Member – Sharon Jones, was welcomed to the Board, along with new members of the college Executive Team: Emma Barrett and Antony Carr.			
002-2324	DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST			
	There were no declarations of interest noted.			
003-2223	MINUTES OF THE BOARD MEETING HELD ON 29 JUNE 2023			
	The Part A minutes from the Board meeting held on 29 June 2023, were reviewed and approved by Board Members.			
	RESOLVED: The Part A minutes of the Board meeting held on 29 June 2023 were approved.			
004-2324	BOARD APPROVALS			

		FINAL
	The following Board Approvals were recorded:	
	i) Subcontract Policy – approved via GVO	
	ii) FFE Funding Agreement – approved via GVO	
	iii) DfE Back 2 Back Letter – approved via GVO	
	The Board discussed and approved the following:	
	iv) Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy The updated Safeguarding & Child Protection Policy was presented to the Board. It was noted that there were minimal updates as reflected in KCSIE 2023. The updated policy has been reviewed by SLT and Dr Michael Fanner (the Safeguarding Board lead). The updated policy was approved by the Board.	
	v) Senior Postholder Appointment	
	The appointment of Alison Leaverland as the new Vice Principal Curriculum and Quality was approved and recorded. It was confirmed that the new VP Curriculum would start at the college in January 2024.	
	vi) Subsidiary Companies – Mandate Updates The following updates to the Subsidiary Company mandates to reflect changes in staffing were noted and approved by the relevant Subsidiary Company Directors.	
	Remove: Michael JohnsonAdd Philip Sayles, Karen Hancock and Julie Mudd.	
	RESOLVED: The above approvals were recorded.	
005-2324	GOVERNANCE MATTERS	
	The Board reviewed the following:	
	i) Governance Self-Assessment Review 2022/23	
	This was discussed by Members of the Board. It was agreed that some further discussion would take place at the Search & Governance Committee, prior to approval by the Board at the December 2023 meeting.	
	ii) AoC Further Education Code of Good Governance	
	The Director of Governance presented the new and recently published AoC Further Education Code of Good Governance to the Board. It was agreed to adopt the code with immediate effect.	
	RESOLVED: The Governance Self-Assessment was noted and the AoC FE Code of Good Governance was adopted by the Board of the Corporation.	
006-2324	ANY OTHER BUSINESS	
	No items of any other business were noted.	
007-2324	DATE OF NEXT MEETING	
	The next meeting of the Board of the Corporation would be held on 14 December 2023, at the Poole Campus.	