

Brighton & Hove City Council

For general release

Meeting: Equalities Forum

Date: 17 January 2005

Report of: Director of Cultural Services

Subject: Co-opted Membership of the Equalities Forum

Ward(s) affected: All

1. Purpose of the report

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to confirm the co-opted membership of the Equalities Forum.

2. Recommendations

- 2.1 That the co-opted membership be confirmed as set out in paragraph 3.3 below.

3. Information/background

- 3.1 Under the Constitution of Brighton & Hove City Council, the Equalities Forum is an established advisory body of the council. The Forum comprises 10 members of the authority, and representatives from no more than 15 communities of interest.

- 3.2 It is proposed that the following should be confirmed as co-opted members.

3.3	<u>Name</u>	<u>Organisation</u>
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Dr Sajid

Interfaith Contact Group

Kevin Reeves and Grace

Youth Parliament

Towner Joan Moorhouse	Older People's Council
Kadeer Arif	Racial Harassment Forum
Jane Pritchard	Spectrum
To be confirmed	BMECP
Dr Davoodi	Disabled Access Advisory Group
Valerie Mainstone	Welfare Rights Group of BUCFP
Barbara Wiseman	The Pensioner's Forum
Karen Moore	The Women's Centre
To be confirmed	BLGS (Switchboard)
Sylvia Alexander-Vine	(Domestic Violence Forum)
David Harvey	Pride

- 3.4 Future changes in the community representation will be reported to the Forum.
- 3.5 The Policy & Resources Committee on 21 July 2004 (Item 45, Reimbursement of non-committee co-optees) agreed to the payment of certain expenses for those community representatives who cannot claim from the organisation they represent. Written proof of eligibility will be required. A booklet giving information of who is eligible to claim and what can be claimed is currently being prepared.

COMMITTEE REPORT APPENDIX



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Financial implications

No new financial implications arising from this report other than those covered in the report to Policy & Resources Committee (Item 45, Reimbursement of non-committee co-optees), 21 July 2004
Finance Officer consulted: Steve Linnett Date 8 July 2004

Legal implications

No new legal implications arising from this report.

Corporate/Citywide implications Not applicable	Risk assessment Not applicable
Sustainability implications Not applicable	Equalities implications Not applicable
Implications for the prevention of crime and disorder Not applicable	

Background papers *[Part 1 reports only]*

1. Constitution of Brighton & Hove Council, Article 6.
2. Report to Policy & Resources Committee (Item 45, Reimbursement of non-committee co-optees), 21 July 2004

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