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NOTICE OF INTENDED PORTFOLIO HOLDER DELEGATED DECISION

The Portfolio Holder has received the following report for a decision to be taken under delegated authority. The decision will be taken on **15 March 2021** (i.e. 3 clear days after the date of this note). The decision will be published on the Council's website but will not be implemented until 5 clear days after the date of publication of the decision) to comply with the call-in process set out in Rule 7.36 of the Constitution.

1. INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT - LLANBISTER CP SCHOOL

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CYNGOR SIR POWYS COUNTY COUNCIL

PORTFOLIO HOLDER DELEGATED DECISION by COUNTY COUNCILLOR PHYL DAVIES PORTFOLIO HOLDER FOR EDUCATION January 2021

REPORT AUTHOR:	Beth Groves, Principal Officer – Governor Support
REPORT TITLE:	Instrument of Government – Llanbister CP School
REPORT FOR:	Decision

1. Purpose

- 1.1 To consider the Instrument of Government following a decision by the governing body of Llanbister CP School on the 3rd December 2020 to adopt an amended Instrument of Government.
- 1.2 The report contains a recommendation to ratify an amended Instrument of Government for Llanbister CP School.
- 1.3 The report is supported by the revised Instrument of Government, appendix A.

2. <u>Background</u>

2.1 The Government of Maintained Schools (Wales) Regulations 2005 required all school governing bodies to review and adopt revised Instrument of Government (Instruments of Government are the legal documents that detail the composition of a school governing body). The Authority approved all revised Instrument of Government with effect from 3rd October 2006.

Llanbister CP School opted for the composition as outlined below: -

3 parent governors
2 LA governors
1 teacher governor
0 staff governor
2 community governors
1 additional community governor
The headteacher

The amended Instrument of Government would be

3 parent governors
2 LA governors
1 teacher governor
1 staff governor
2 community governors
1 additional community governor
The headteacher

The Instrument of Government would increase by 1 staff governor.

2.2 The governing body of Llanbister CP School have recommended the increase in their Instrument of Government to strengthen the representation from the non-teaching staff at the school.

3. <u>Advice</u>

3.1 It is proposed that the governing body of Llanbister CP School increase it composition from 10 governors to 11 governors.

4. <u>Resource Implications</u>

- 4.1. There are no resources implications in approving the recommendation.
- 4.2. The Head of Finance (Section 151 Officer) notes the content of the report.

5. <u>Legal implications</u>

- 5.1 Legal : The recommendation can be supported from a legal point of view.
- 5.2 The Head of Legal and Democratic Services (Monitoring Officer) has commented as follows: "I note the legal comment and have nothing to add to the report".

6. Data Protection

6.1 There are no data protection implications within the proposal.

7. <u>Comment from local member(s)</u>

County Councillor Rachel Powell - As the LA Governor of Llanbister CP School, I fully support the additional staff governor role, as it provides an important perspective from staff members, who may not necessarily hold a teaching qualification but hold a significant contribution to the culture and the ethos of the school body, as a whole.

8. Integrated Impact Assessment

8.1 N/A

9. <u>Recommendation</u>

9.1 It is proposed that the governing body of Llanbister CP School increase it composition from 10 governors to 11 governors as per The Government of Maintained Schools (Wales) Regulations 2005.

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DELEGATED DECISION NEW REPORT TEMPLATE VERSION 2

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1. SCHOOL

The name of the school is Llanbister C.P. School.

2. CATEGORY OF SCHOOL

The school is a community school.

3. NAME OF GOVERNING BODY

The name of the Governing Body is Llanbister C.P. School -Governing Body.

4.0 COMPOSITION OF GOVERNING BODY

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The governing body shall consist of:

- a) 3 parent governors
- b) 2 LA governors
- c) 1 teacher governor
- d) 1 staff governor
- e) 2 community governors
- f) 1 additional community governor appointed by Llanbister Community Council.
- g) the headteacher (except at any time when he/she has given written notice to the clerk to the governing body of the school that he/she chooses not to be a governor).

5. TOTAL NUMBER

10 (except any time when the headteacher has given notice that he/she chooses not to be a governor, when the total number of governors will be 9).

6. DATE OF IMPLEMENTATION

Pursuant to regulation 37 of the Government of Maintained Schools (Wales) Regulations 2005, this instrument of government comes into effect:

- (i) on the date of making for the purpose of reconstituting the governing body;
- (ii) on 3rd October, 2006 for all other purposes.

7. DATE OF ORDER

This instrument was made by order of Powys Local Authority on 3rd October, 2006.

8. GOVERNING LEGISLATION

The Government of Maintained Schools (Wales) Regulations 2005.

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