The Penwith Education Trust

Statutory Notice

This is notice of a proposal to form a partnership of schools by joining The Penwith Education Trust, which is an existing Trust serving Heamoor Primary School, Newlyn Primary School, Nancealverne School and Pensans Primary School. The schools joining the Trust will be, Alverton Community Primary School, Cape Cornwall School, Gulval Community Primary School, Humphry Davy School, Marazion Community Primary School, Mousehole Community Primary School, St Just Primary School and St Levan Community Primary School.

Notice is therefore given in accordance with section 19(3) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that:

The Governing Body of **Alverton Community Primary School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to Alverton Primary School which is a Community School located at Alverton Community Primary School, Alverton, Penzance, Cornwall, TR18 4QD

The Governing Body of **Cape Cornwall School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to Cape Cornwall School which is a Community School located at Cape Cornwall School, Cape Cornwall Road, St Just, Penzance, Cornwall TR19 7JX

The Governing Body of **Gulval Community Primary School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to Gulval Primary School which is a Community School located at Gulval Community Primary School, School Lane, Gulval, Penzance, Cornwall TR18 3BJ

The Governing Body of **Humphry Davy School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to Humphry Davy School which is a Community School located at Humphry Davy School, Coombe Road, Penzance, Cornwall TR18 2TG

The Governing Body of **Marazion Community Primary School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to Marazion Primary School, which is a Community School located at Marazion Community Primary School, School Lane, Marazion, Cornwall, TR17 0DG

The Governing Body of **Mousehole Community Primary School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to Mousehole Primary School which is a Community School located at Mousehole Community Primary School, Foxes Lane, Mousehole, Cornwall, TR19 6QQ

The Governing Body of **St Levan Community Primary School** intends to make a prescribed alteration to St Levan Community Primary School which is a Community School located at St Levan Community Primary School, The Bottoms, St Levan, Penzance, Cornwall, TR19 6HD

The Governing Body of **St Just Primary School**, intends to make a prescribed alteration to St Just Primary School which is a Community School located at St Just Primary School, Bosorne Road, St Just, Penzance, Cornwall TR19 7JX

In all cases the proposed alteration is to:

- Change the schoolsqcategory from Community to Foundation; and
- Together with one or more of the proposed partners to acquire a trust (which will be known as a partnership) established otherwise than under the School Standards and Framework Act 1998.

The name of the foundation is The Penwith Education Trust and the proposed implementation date is November 1st 2012. The Penwith Education Trust already acts as a foundation for Heamoor Primary School, Newlyn Primary School, Nancealverne School and Pensans Primary School

The existing members of the Trust and the number of Trustees they appoint are:

- Newlyn Primary School (2 Trustees)
- Pensans Primary School (2 Trustees)
- Nancealverne School (2 Trustees)
- Heamoor Primary School (2 Trustees)
- Cornwall Council (1 Trustee)
- The Co-operative Movement (1 Trustee)

The proposed new members of the Trust and the number of Trustees they would appoint are;

- Alverton Community Primary School, (2 Trustees)
- Cape Cornwall School (2 Trustees)
- Gulval Community Primary School (2 Trustees)
- Humphry Davy School (2 Trustees)
- Marazion Community Primary School, (2 Trustees)
- Mousehole Community Primary School, (2 Trustees)
- St Just Primary School (2 Trustees)
- St Levan Community Primary School, (2 Trustees)

In addition learners at the schools, parents, staff, members of the local community and local community organisations, will be able to become members of the Partnership. The Partnership will have a Stakeholder Forum composed of members, which will be able to appoint some of the Partnerships trustees. As the Partnership develops the Partnership will welcome other schools joining the Partnership.

The rationale for acquiring the Partnership, the contribution it will make, and the direction it will provide to the schools can be summarised as:

The Penwith Education Trust strives to ensure a high quality learning experience from 4-16 for young people in Penwith and the surrounding area. The Trust will work closely across our school communities to further raise aspirations, create opportunities and contribute fully to the life of the community. The expansion of the Trust will provide a strong and well-tested legal entity through which to collaborate with our partners for the benefit of our learners.

Key aims of our Trust are to:

- Ensure consistently high expectations across all of our schools: amongst learners, teachers, parents and carers;
- Enable all learners to benefit from high quality teaching and learning;
- Work effectively with parents and carers, professionals and the wider community to promote health and well-being, in order to create the right conditions for learners to thrive;
- Make efficient use of all resources available to us and thereby maximise the benefits for learners;
- Work with external partners to widen the range of opportunities available to our workforce and our young people;
- Improve social cohesion within our community by strengthening our commitment to co-operative values, including respect, social justice, fairness and democracy.

This notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the full proposals can be obtained from the school websites: www.alverton.org.uk www.cape.cornwall.sch.uk www.gulval.cornwall.sch.uk www.humphry-davy.cornwall.sch.uk www.marazion.cornwall.sch.uk www.mousehole.cornwall.sch.uk www.st-just.cornwall.sch.uk www.st-levan.cornwall.sch.uk

or by writing to the individual Governing Bodies (addresses above) or by e-mail to: secretary@cape.cornwall.sch.uk secretary@alverton.cornwall.sch.uk sec

Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal any person may object to or make comments on the proposals by sending them to the appropriate school at the e-mail addresses above; or in writing to the individual Governing Bodies of the school (addresses above).

Dated: 13th September 2012

Signed:

Mrs Nanette Newton-Hinge Chair of Governors, Alverton Primary School

Signed
Mrs Gill Joyce
Chair of Governors
Cape Cornwall School

Signed:

Mr Martin Brownfield Chair of Governors, Gulval Primary School

Signed Ms Katherine Uren

Chair of Governors, Humphry Davy School

Signed:

Mrs Delyth James Chair of Governors, Marazion Primary School

Signed:

Mrs Margaret Byrne
Chair of Governors,
Mousehole Primary School

Signed Mr Clive Apsey Chair of Governors St Just Primary School

Mrs Sharon Brolly Chair of Governors, St Levan Community Primary School