

Appendix C

STATUTORY NOTICES

STATUTORY SUMMARY OF THE DRAFT PROPOSAL (NOTICE)

Further and Higher Education Act 1992 The Learning and Skills Council

Enfield College, 73 Hertford Road, Enfield, London EN3 5HA

The Learning and Skills Council (the Council) hereby gives notice in accordance with the provisions of section 51 of the *Further and Higher Education Act 1992* (the Act) of the draft proposal that the Secretary of State under section 27 of that Act should by order provide for the dissolution of the further education corporation of **Enfield College** and the transfer of the property, rights and liabilities of that corporation.

Dissolution of the corporation is proposed, at the request of the corporation of **Enfield College**, in order that the college may merge with **the College of North East London**. It is proposed that the property, rights and liabilities of the corporations should be transferred to the corporation of **the College of North East London**.

The date proposed for the dissolution of the Corporation is **1st August 2009**.

The governing body of the College of North East London is separately proposing to the Secretary of State that the name of the college be changed to the College of Haringey, Enfield and North East London (CHENEL) to reflect the changed nature of the institution.

Provision will be made for all students at **Enfield College** who have not completed their courses of study by the date of the proposed dissolution to complete their studies at the Enfield campus at 73 Hertford Road which will be retained.

A copy of the draft proposal is available free of charge from the Council and will be sent to any person who requests it.

In accordance with the provisions of section 51 of the Act, representations may be made to the Council by **19 January 2009**. Representations should be made in writing to:

Yolande Burgess, Partnership Director, Learning and Skills Council London North, Dumayne House, 1 Fox Lane, Palmers Green, London N13 4AB or enfieldconelmerger@lsc.gov.uk

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STATUTORY DRAFT PROPOSAL

DRAFT PROPOSAL UNDER SECTION 51 (1) (c) OF THE FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION ACT 1992 (THE ACT) FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE FURTHER EDUCATION CORPORATION OF ENFIELD COLLEGE UNDER SECTION 27 OF THE ACT

NAME OF FURTHER EDUCATION CORPORATION

Enfield College

ADDRESS

The College's main site is located at **73 Hertford Road, Enfield EN3 5HA**. The college is located on one site in the east of the borough at Ponders End, in the Upper Lea Valley. Enfield College is located in the Enfield Local Authority area and falls within the area of the London North Learning and Skills Council.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION OF THE EDUCATION PROVIDED AND THE NUMBER OF STUDENTS AT THE INSTITUTION

In 2007/08 the college received funding from the LSC to deliver learning to 1,323 16-18 year olds and 3,190 adult learners. The total number of learners in 2006/07 was 5,090. The majority of the learners following LSC funded programmes were enrolled on part-time courses (65% in 2006/07). The college offers programmes from entry level to level 4 and offers all subject sector areas except for construction, engineering and some aspects of humanities. Half of all FE enrolments are in the area of preparation for life and work, comprising English for speakers of other languages, literacy and numeracy. The college is a Centre of Vocational Excellence in Early Years with The College of North East London.

REASON FOR PROPOSING DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION

The governing body of Enfield College has agreed to merge with the College of North East London. This would be achieved by the dissolution of the existing further education corporation of Enfield College and the transfer of its property, rights and liabilities to the further education corporation of the College of North East London. It is important to note that the campus at Ponders End, Enfield will be retained.

The governing body of the College of North East London is separately proposing to the Secretary of State that the name of the college be changed to the College of Haringey, Enfield and North East London (CHENEL) to reflect the changed nature of the institution.

The principal benefits advanced by the governors of the colleges, in support of the proposal are:

- Increased local participation rates by launching innovative new services to meet the needs of employers, adults and young people.
- Greater choice in the education and training available to employers and learners.
- Strong contribution to the economic development of Greater London, particularly the Upper Lea Valley, by improving skills and preparing people for entry to and progression in work.
- Increased learners' opportunities to exercise choice by offering breadth within the curriculum.
- Providing for the needs of employers and learners by improving all success rates to at or above the national benchmarks.

- Improved quality, measured by all provision being self-assessed as good or excellent by 2009/10 with the self-assessment grades being externally confirmed.
- Maximising value for money.
- Embedding all aspects of equality and diversity.
- Implementing a joint property strategy to develop the sites in Ponders End and Tottenham.

CRITERIA

The Learning and Skills Council will consider the proposal in the light of criteria shown below:

- the proposal is likely to address the needs of learners and employers
- the proposal is likely to increase opportunity for the learner to exercise choice and encourage diversity in the education and training available
- the proposal is likely to increase local participation rates and result in improved quality and success
- the proposal is likely to develop innovation and improve access to learning for the community
- the proposal ensures the embedding of all aspects of equality and diversity
- the proposal is likely to promote effective community cohesion through community presence and representation within governance structures
- the proposal is likely to provide better value for money

DATE PROPOSED FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE CORPORATION:

1st August 2009

EDUCATIONAL PROVISION TO BE MADE FOR THOSE STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT COMPLETED THEIR COURSES ON THAT DATE:

Provision will be made for those students at Enfield College who have not completed their courses by the date of the dissolution to complete their courses at the College of Haringey, Enfield and North East London (Enfield Campus).