

APPENDIX E

Statutory Notice to Propose to Discontinue Brocklesby Park Primary School

This Notice is issued to replace the Notice published on 10 April 2015. To meet the latest Department for Education legislation requirements the Representation period will run for four weeks from 24 April 2015. The end date of the Representation period is 22 May 2015.

Notice is given in accordance with section 15(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Lincolnshire County Council, County Offices, Newland, Lincoln LN1 1YQ proposes to discontinue Brocklesby Park Primary School, Great Limber, Grimsby DN37 8JS on 31 August 2015.

If the closure goes ahead the Local Authority will offer all displaced pupils a place at Keelby Primary School, Manor Street, Keelby Grimsby DN41 8EF. There is sufficient capacity at Keelby Primary School for all displaced pupils.

The County Council home-to-school transport policy will continue to apply - this provides free home-to-school transport for pupils to their nearest or designated school (if it is more than 2 miles away for primary age pupils). In addition, arrangements will be made to allow displaced children whose parents select the receiving school named above, and who live within the current designated transport area for Brocklesby Park Primary School, to have free transport to Keelby Primary School if the school is more than 2 miles from the family's home.

There is a proposal for Brocklesby Park Primary School to convert to an Academy under the Tollbar Multi-Academy Trust. If the conversion of the school to academy status goes ahead then this proposal will be withdrawn and the closure process will end. The school would then continue as an Academy. This is dependent on a funding agreement being signed and agreed by the Department for Education. The academy conversion process will continue to run in parallel with the closure process until an outcome is known (no later than the end of the school term).

This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal with further detail can be obtained by writing to: School Organisation Planning, Children's Services, Lincolnshire County Council, County Offices, 51 Newland, Lincoln LN1 1YQ or by calling 01522 553329 or by emailing schoolorganisation@lincolnshire.gov.uk or under "Current Consultations" via www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schoolorganisation

Within four weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object to or make comments on the proposal by sending them to School Organisation Planning, Children's Services, Lincolnshire County Council, County Offices, 51 Newland, Lincoln LN1 1YQ or by emailing schoolorganisation@lincolnshire.gov.uk by the deadline of 22 May 2015.

Further details on the consultation which has led to this proposal can be accessed on-line under "Current Consultations" via <http://www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schoolorganisation>

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