Minutes of the Meeting of the Board of the Corporation held on Thursday 28 September 2017 in Room CG-3.E07, College Green Campus 6:00pm - 8:30pm

Committee Members present Peter Rilett (Chair)

Geoff Channon Richard Gaunt Zahid Gill Daniel Howarth Paul Jacobs

Lee Probert (Principal and Chief Executive)

David Williams

Also in Attendance: Becky Edwards, Executive Director Finance

Cliff Shaw, Deputy Principal (left the meeting before Item 60) Lizann Lowson, Assistant Principal Further & Higher Education

Paula Brown, Director of Human Resources & Organisational Development (attended for

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Jeannette Walsh, PA to the Principal& Chief Executive

- Note-taker

Joanne Ward, Clerk to the Corporation (designate) - observer

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Governors **NOTED** that the College had received interest from a third party, which was currently being scrutinised and would be reported to the Board in due course.

Strategic College Improvement Fund (Change Funding), available to colleges whilst in the intervention process, to support the drive for improvements. There is some opportunity to influence the administration of the funding received and it was acknowledged that the College's preference would be that the criteria for any partnering should not be limited to Ofsted grades, or the FE sector.

Governors **NOTED** the up-to-date <u>student recruitment</u> numbers.

The Chair reaffirmed that, compared to last year, the position is an improvement and the associated risk lowered.