Renfrewshire Joint Negotiating Committee for Teachers

On: 6th September 2016

Education Scotland Statement for Practitioners

Report by Joint Secretary (Teachers' Side)

Background

On 29 August 2016 John Swinney, Cabinet Secretary for Education, published guidance on how best to tackle 'increased workload, confusion and duplication' in Scottish schools. The accompanying Statement for Practitioners from HM Chief Inspector of Education outlined what is and what is not required of teachers in Scotland.

Action

The JNC agrees as a matter of urgency to set up a sub-group to identify and implement those areas of the published guidance which need to be addressed in Renfrewshire schools in order to comply with the Cabinet Secretary's commitment to liberate the teaching profession from unnecessary bureaucracy.