Renfrewshire Joint Negotiating Committee for Teachers

To: Renfrewshire Joint Negotiating Committee for Teachers

On: 13 November 2018

Scottish Government/Cosla Letter

Report by **Joint Secretary (Teachers' Side)**

Background

The Scottish Government and Cosla made the decision to contact teachers directly regarding the latest salary offer arising from SNCT negotiations undermining the agreed SNCT protocols around pay negotiations. Notwithstanding the fact that the Teachers' Side of the Renfrewshire JNC pointed out to Renfrewshire Council that the decision to issue this letter was contrary to the agreed protocols of the SNCT, Renfrewshire Council issued the letter directly to Renfrewshire teachers.

Action

The Teachers' Side of Renfrewshire JNC wishes to lodge its dissent at the Council's decision to contact teachers directly around pay negotiations thereby undermining the agreed SNCT protocols.