BIRMINGHAM CITY COUNCIL

Alteration of the Upper Age Limit from 16 to 18 years to provide a Sixth Form Turves Green Boys' School

Notice is given in accordance with section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006 that Birmingham City Council proposes to make prescribed alterations to Turves Green Boys' School (a Community school), Turves Green, Northfield, Birmingham B31 4BS, namely alteration of the upper age limit from 16 to 18 years in order to add Sixth Form Provision with effect from 1st September 2016. The proposed number of Sixth Form places is 100 across Years 12 and 13. Turves Green Boys' School is being rebuilt and expanded following a successful bid to the Education Funding Agency under the Priority Schools Building Programme to renew its buildings. The rebuild is forecast for completion in Spring 2016. The Governing Body of the school will be expanding the school with effect from September 2016. The current net capacity of the school for years 7 – 11 is 625. The current number of pupils registered at the school is 522. The current admission number for Year 7 at the school is 125 and from 2016 will be 150. The proposed net capacity of the school is 850 including 100 places across Years 12 and 13. This notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal can be found at www.Birmingham.gov.uk/schools/turvesgreenboys. If you require a hardcopy this can be obtained by writing to: School Organisation Team, Education and Skills Infrastructure, PO Box 15843, Birmingham B2 2RT, or by requesting at the school.

Within four weeks after the date of publication of this proposal, anyone who wishes to make representations about this proposal should either make comments through the web site or by writing to the School Organisation Team at the above postal address.

Signed: Peter Hay, Strategic Director, People Directorate Dated: 22nd May 2014

Explanatory Notes:

1. Birmingham City Council is publishing this proposal following consultation with pupils, staff, governors and other stakeholders.

2. Birmingham City Council is proposing to alter the upper age limit of the school to 18 so as to provide a Sixth Form. Should this be approved, the proposal, once implemented, will result in the school eventually being able to accommodate up to 100 pupils across Years 12 and 13.