Greater Glasgow NHS Board

Board Meeting
Tuesday 21 April 2004

Head of Board Administration, GGNHSB
Convener, Local Health Council

Membership of the Greater Glasgow Health Council

Background

Currently Health Councils in Scotland are under review and developments are now underway to establish the Scottish Health Council which will become operational at 1 April 2005. Extension to membership has had to be granted for a further year as the above changes did not arise this year as previously envisaged. The Scottish Executive have advised that the current practices remain up until 1 April 2005.

Recommendation:

Members are asked to:

(i) To approve offering the following five Members whose appointment is to 31 March 2004 a further 12 month extension to 31 March 2005:

   Patricia Bryson (Convener)
   Suzanne Clark
   Caroline McCalman
   Margaret McNaughton
   William May

(ii) To note that the remaining Members already have terms of office to 31 March 2005:

   John McMeekin (Vice Chairman)
   Stewart Daniels
   Anne Jarvis
   Cynthia Mendelsohn
   Williamina Shields
   Gordon Connel
   Patricia Munro
   Maureen O’Neill

   All the above Members have intimated to the Chief Officer of the Local Health Council that they wish to continue until 31 March 2005.

(iii) Given that the Local Health Council should have a full compliment of twenty Members, Members are asked to approve and provide authority to the Head of Board Administration to make appointments to the seven casual vacancies which have now arisen utilising the usual methods of recruitment that have been adopted in the past.