ARCHDIOCESE OF LIVERPOOL

School Number: 09023

INSTRUMENT OF GOVERNMENT: VOLUNTARY AIDED SCHOOL

1. The name of the school is St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Withnell

2. The school was founded by and is part of the Catholic Church. The school is to be conducted as a Catholic School in accordance with the canon law and teachings of the Catholic Church and in accordance with the Trust Deed of the Archdiocese of Liverpool and in particular:

   (a) religious education is to be in accordance with the doctrines, discipline and general and particular norms of the Catholic Church;

   (b) religious worship is to be in accordance with the liturgical norms of the Catholic Church;

   and at all times the school is to serve as a witness to the Catholic faith in Our Lord Jesus Christ.

3. The School is a voluntary aided school in the trusteeship of the Archdiocese of Liverpool and is an exempt charity for the advancement of the Catholic religion in the diocese in such ways being charitable as the Archbishop shall from time to time direct.

4. The name of the governing body is "The Governing Body of St Joseph's Catholic Primary School, Withnell"

5. The governing body shall consist of:

   (a) 2 parent governors

   (b) 1 local authority governor

   (c) 1 staff governor

   (d) 1 headteacher

   (e) 7 foundation governors

6. The total number of governors is: 12

7. Foundation governors are appointed and may be removed by the Archbishop of Liverpool (or any other person exercising Ordinary jurisdiction in his name including, where the See is vacant or impeded, the person or persons on whom the governance of the See has devolved).

8. This instrument of government comes into effect on 16 April 2018

9. This instrument was made by order of Lancashire local authority on 16 April 2018

10. A copy of the instrument must be supplied to every member of the governing body, (and the headteacher if not a governor), and to trustees and all bodies which appoint foundation governors.