

2 COLDSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL – EXTENSION TO FRANCES WRIGHT NURSERY (AN7-2018)

Reference is made to Article VI of the Minute of Meeting of the City Development Committee of 12th December, 2016 (Report No. 371-2016 refers), whereby Committee approved the acceptance of the tender from Wilmott Dixon Construction Ltd for the construction of the new Coldside Schools and Community project.

Due to the Scottish Government expanding Free Early Learning and Childcare provision to 1140 hours, additional resources are required and the nursery provision at the school was reviewed and revised to allow for these hours.

The works comprise the addition of a 163sqm extension to the nursery wing of the approved new primary school and nursery, presently under construction.

The additional costs of these integral works instructed through the above contract is £463,365 made up as £398,515 construction costs, professional fees of £39,850 and £25,000 for loose furniture.

The Executive Director of Corporate Services has confirmed that these additional costs can be met from the £809,000 in the 2017/18 Funding Allocation received from Scottish Government for the provision of 1140 Hours Expansion for Early Learning and Childcare.

The Committee is asked to note the foregoing information.