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Declaration of School Governor/Trustee Pecuniary and Business Interests

Name of Governor/Trustee:	RACHAEL GREGSON
School:	**Tintwistle Primary School**

Governors, trustees and staff have a responsibility to avoid any conflict between their business and personal interests and the interests of the school. This is essential for the effective and accountable management of the school.

What should be declared:

All business interests should be declared that could result in a conflict of interest:

1. **Financial** - interests in a contract or proposed contract by direct or family connection
2. **Appointment** - interests in the provision for sponsor governors or interests in someone's appointment, reappointment or suspension from office as a governor, trustee or clerk to the Trust or Local Governing Body
3. **Pay and performance** - interests in the pay or appraisal of someone working at the school in cases where the governor, trustee or staff member is also paid to work at the school.

Full details can be found in Schedule 1, Regulation 16 of The School Governance (Roles, Procedures and Allowances) (England) Regulations 2013

Governors and trustees are advised to include interests of both themselves and any member of their immediate family (including partners). Details of governance roles in other educational establishments and any material interests arising from relationships between governors/trustees and school staff should also be recorded.

A. I have read the guidelines regarding Register of Pecuniary or Business Interests and I declare that **I do not have any interest(s)** which may conflict with my duties as a governor/trustee/employee of the school.	✓
B. I have read the guidelines regarding Register of Pecuniary or Business Interests and I declare that **I have the following interest(s)** which may conflict with my duties as a governor/trustee/employee of the school:	✓
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(Please insert all details)

I agree that any interests arising after making this declaration will be declared to the trust/local governing body and I will submit a further form. I understand that completion of this register does not remove the legal duty placed upon me to declare personal interest in any item of business at a meeting and I will withdraw whilst the matter is considered.

Signed: ..... Date: 8/11/16

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Pecuniary interests

1.—(1) For the purposes of regulation 16(b), a pecuniary interest includes an interest in a contract or a proposed contract where—

(a)a relevant person was nominated or appointed to office by a person with whom the contract was made or is proposed to be made;

(b)a relevant person is a business partner of a person with whom the contract was made; or

(c)a relative of a relevant person (including the relevant person's spouse, civil partner or someone living with the relevant person as if the other person were the relevant person's spouse or civil partner), to the knowledge of the relevant person had, or would be treated as having, such an interest.

(2) For the purposes of regulation 16(b), a relevant person will not be treated as having a pecuniary interest in any matter—

(a)provided that the value of the relevant person's pecuniary interest is no greater than that of the pecuniary interest commonly held by those paid to work at the school;

(b)by reason only of the fact that the relevant person was nominated or appointed to office by, is a member of, or is employed by, any public authority; or

(c)by reason only of the fact that the relevant person is a member of a corporation or other body if the relevant person has no financial interests in any securities of that corporation or other body.

(3) For the purposes of this paragraph "public authority" includes any person who performs functions which are of a public nature.

(4) Governors are not, by reason of their pecuniary interest in the matter, prevented from considering and voting upon proposals for the governing body to take out insurance protecting their members against liabilities incurred by them arising out of their office and the governing body is not, by reason of the pecuniary interest of their members, prevented from obtaining such insurance and paying the premiums.

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