

Belfast City Council

Report to: Strategic Policy and Resources

Subject: Post 19 Lobby Group – Request to Make Presentation

Date: Friday 7th December 2012

Reporting Officer: Mr Stephen McCrory, Democratic Services Manager ext 6314

Contact Officer: Mr Jim Hanna, Senior Democratic Services Officer ext 6313

1.0	Relevant Background Information
1.1	To advise the Committee of correspondence (copy letter attached) which has been received from the Post 19 Lobby Group requesting an opportunity to make a presentation to the Committee to highlight its work (copy attached).

2.0	Key Issues
2.1	The Post 19 Lobby Group is made up of parents and carers of children and young people with severe learning disabilities and 21 special schools across Northern Ireland.
2.2	The Group would like to raise awareness of some of the issues surrounding transition from childhood for those children with severe learning difficulties.

3.0	Resource Implications
3.1	None associated with this report.

4.0	Equality Implications
4.1	None associated with this report.

5.0	Recommendations
5.1	The Committee is asked to consider the request and to take such action as may be determined.

6.0 Decision Tracking

Office responsible – Jim Hanna.

7.0 Documents Attached

Copy of correspondence from Post 19 Lobby Group.