

# NORTHERN EDUCATION TRUST



## Declaration of Business Interests

Name: Chris Walton

Role on Governing body: **Trust Appointment / Staff Governor / Parent Governor / Other\*** (\*Delete as appropriate)

Please indicate whether your interest involves self or member of family (inc a spouse or civil partner, child, parent, grandchild, grandparent, brother or sister) or relationship to any key management personnel within NET including Trustees.

Please also indicate if you are a governor at another school, academy or educational institute.

| Name of Employment and/or Business Relation | Nature of Business | Nature of Interest | Self/Family Member | Date of Appointment or Acquisition | Date of Cessation of Interest | Date of Entry to academy |
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| <u>None</u>                                 |                    |                    |                    |                                    |                               |                          |
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I certify that I have declared all beneficial interests which I or any person closely connected with me have with businesses or other organisations which may have dealings with the Academy or Trust.

Signed [Signature] Date 20/9/17

### 3.1.16 Register of interests

3.1.17 The academy trust's register of interests **must** capture relevant business and pecuniary interests of members, trustees, local governors of academies within a multi-academy trust and senior employees, including:

- directorships, partnerships and employments with businesses
- trusteeships and governorships at other educational institutions and charities
- for each interest: the name of the business; the nature of the business; the nature of the interest; and the date the interest began

3.1.18 The register **must** identify any relevant material interests arising from close family relationships between the academy trust's members, trustees or local governors. It **must** also identify relevant material interests arising from close family relationships between those individuals and employees. Close family relationships is defined in section 3.2.2<sup>1</sup>.

3.1.19 Trusts should consider carefully whether any other interests should be registered. Boards of trustees should keep their register of interests up-to-date through regular review.

3.1.20 Trusts **must** publish on their websites relevant business and pecuniary interests of members, trustees, local governors and accounting officers. Trusts have discretion over the publication of the interests of any other individual named on the register. The Charity Commission offers guidance on managing potential conflicts of interest in: [CC29: Conflicts of interest: a guide for charity trustees](#).

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<sup>1</sup>A relative is defined in the Charities SORP as:

'Close member of a person's family' refers to:

- that person's children or spouse;
- the children, stepchildren or illegitimate children of that person's spouse or domestic partner;
- dependents of that person; and
- that person's domestic partner who lives with them as husband or wife or in an equivalent same-sex relationship.