

Item no 5.3

QUESTION NO 3

By Councillor Main for answer by the Convener of the Education, Children and Families Committee at a meeting of the Council on 27 April 2017

The opening of the new Boroughmuir High School Originally scheduled in August 2016, has been delayed for a sixth time, to January 2018.

At the Governance, Risk Best Value Committee on 24 October 2016 serious concerns were raised about continuing delays and an Assurance Review of the new Boroughmuir High School was requested and oversight of the project increased. However Boroughmuir High School's contractors, O'Hare & McGovern, have recently informed the Council that they are now unable to achieve the handover date of 16 June and are proposing a new date of 11 August just six days before the start of term.

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| Question | (1) What was the reason given by the contractor for each of the delays? |
| Answer | (1) |
| Question | (2) For each of the delays, what penalty or changes to fees have been agreed with the contractor as the result of the delay? |
| Answer | (2) |
| Question | (3) What are the detailed additional costs associated with keeping the school on the current site and fit for purpose until 2018, and who will bear those costs? |
| Answer | (3) |