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- 1) Opening prayers.
- 2) Introduction
- 3) Reading of past minutes/confirmation
- 4) Matters arising
- 5) Updates/way forward
- 6) AOB
- 7) Closing Prayer

## I.P.C. MEETING

The meeting was held in a Restorative style.

Self introduction was done by all the counselors present and the secretary asked that the meeting be held in a restorative way. The Pupils Councilors were asked to do two things.

The first was that everyone in their introduction should tell the council about one thing they felt good about during the day (experience of the day) and one other thing they were not happy over during the day before they came to attend the meeting.

Every counselor was able to speak and give their contribution. The last minute was read and corrections done. Francis apologized for not having the UK minute but promised to distribute it when it comes from his counterpart Mr. Browning.

A representative of the Freetown Waste Management Committee of the Freetown City Council also introduced himself as Mr. Julious Kandeh Kanu (Assistant Human Resources Management). He told the Pupils Council meeting that he was coming from the Freetown Waste Management and was asked by his General Manager to represent him in the meeting.

He went on and gave a talk on the Freetown Waste Management (FWM) Company which was set up by the Government of Sierra Leone.

The role of this company is to collect garbage from the city. He further told the council that the Freetown City Council is responsible for payment of staff. He gave the staff number of Freetown Waste Management as 576. The Freetown City Council is also responsible to buy lubricant and fuel for Freetown Waste Management.

He spoke of some of the hazards filth can cause and that is why the Freetown Waste Management clears it from the city. He said the FWM is ready and willing to work with schools and institutions in doing their job. He sensitized children on the need to keep their environment clean. He gave the slogan for FWN as “fight dirty for good health”.

A Senior Admin Officer of Freetown City Council (FCC) Mrs. Fatmata M. Kanneh who was also present at the meeting addressed the International Pupils Council. She expressed how happy she was to be invited to the meeting and extended her greetings to the pupil’s counselors and the teachers present.

Speaking to her colleagues, she thanked them for looking after the pupils’ counselors and admonished them to continue the good work. She went on to say that she was a teacher before and so loves to work with children.

She gave good advice to the children to love one another and not to get involved in violence. As pupils’ counselors she said, you are to be an ambassador for the Freetown Waste Management campaign and continue to sensitize your colleagues, families and friends about the need to keep the environment clean. She also suggested that the Freetown City Council Student Council will like to have a collaboration partnership with the International Pupils Council.

She suggested that Freetown City Council will organize a meeting that will bring the two councils together so that they both can form a collaborative partnership.

The children in response thanked Mrs. Kanneh and said they would be very happy to meet with their colleagues in Freetown.

Joseph B. Palmer a class five pupil of Conforti Primary school asked Mr. Kanu if FCC could help them to clear the waste from around their school compound.

Martha Amadu a class pupil of Children in Crisis also asked Mr. Kanu if they could help all of their schools with trash bins and school materials.

Isata Diko a JSS one pupil of Oxford High school said she will like the Mayor of Freetown City Council to throw a party for I.P.C.

Alusine Kanu of Christ Church Primary asked if the Mayor could assist his school with trash bin as that will make him very happy.

Lovetta Harding of International Preparatory school also asked for similar assistance for her school.

Olwe Kamara of Children In Crisis said she will like Freetown I.P.C. to share pictures with their UK counterpart.

All agreed that the date for the lunching should be decided in our next I.P.C. meeting.

All agreed to the following meeting with the Local Student Council.

- To invite Ministry of Education to our next meeting.
  
- Every pupil councilor to explain to their entire school about the work of the I.P.C. and also learn to air out their view and comments.

All pupils' councilors decided to send a merry Christmas Greetings to their UK counterparts through Mr. Francis Mason and to wish their UK colleagues a Bright and Prosperous New year.

The meeting was adjourned to the 21<sup>st</sup> January 2011 at Christ Church Primary school Pademba Road, Freetown at 2: pm.

### Teachers Attendance List

NO	NAME	INSTITUTEION	CONTACT
1	Bernadette Clarke	Aberdeen Municipal Primary school	076-309351
2	Hannah Jauah	Evangelical Primary school	076-868835
3	Kadiatu Bangura	Conforti Primary school	076-922258
4	Fatmata T. Kargbo	Oxford International High school	077-954046
5	Cecilia John	Christ Church Primary school	077-800773
6	Ajara E. Deen	Freetown Cheshire Primary school	088-275685 078-456545
7	Momica I.Brandon	Hosseta Abdullah Memorial Special needs school	033-486115 076927149
9	Abdul Rahman Jalloh	Esteem International Preparatory school	088-933213
10	Hassan Conteh	W.K.W. Internatonal Preparatory school	077-534989
11	Mamusu Tarawali	Children In Crisis	077-801514
12	Ahmed L. Bah	United Mission Community Primary school	076-522535
13	Mariam A. Kamara	I.CO.P.S. Wellington	077-881141
14	Fatius K. Kanu	Freetown Waste Management	033-441321 077-940810
15	Fatmata M. Kanneh	Freetwon City Council	076-661749

### Pupils Attendance List

NO	NAME	INSTITUTEION	CLASS
1	Missie Tenabeh	Industrial primary school	5
2	Fudia Kamara	Aberdeen Municipal primary school	5
3	Mariama K. Kamara	Aberdeen Municipal primary school	5
4	Aminata Y. Fonneh	Conforti Primary school	5
5	Joseph B. Palmer	Conforti Primary school	5
6	Aminata Jalloh	Evangelical primary school	5
7	Osman Kamara	Evangelical primary school	4
8	Isata Diko	Oxford International High School	JSS 2
9	Mosema Kamara	Oxford International High School	JSS 1
10	Yeanie Turay	Christ Church primary school	5
11	Alusine Kanu	Christ Church primary school	5
12	Fatmata Bangura	Cheshire school	5
13	Thomas Mbayo	Cheshire school	5
14	Yayah Savage	Hosseta Abdullah Memorial special needs	Roses
15	Suliaman Kamara	Hosseta Abdullah Memorial special needs	Roses
16	Aliyorroh Jalloh	Esteem International Preparatory school	5
17	Samba Jalloh	Esteem International Preparatory school	5
18	Lovetta Handing	International Preparatory primary school	5
19	Michel C. John	International Preparatory primary school	5
20	Martha Amadu	Children In Crisis	5
21	Aliue Kamara	Children In Crisis	5
22	Patient Simbo	United Mission Committee	5
23	Tamba Pessima	United Mission Committee	5
24	Thomas Bowling	Industrial Co-operative primary school	5