## Terms of Reference for the FIRST/HEARINGS COMMITTEE of the Governing Body of Bow Community Primary School

<ul> <li>Membership:</li> <li>The Headteacher may not be a member</li> <li>It is not appropriate to include staff governors</li> <li>Associate members can serve on this committee and will form part of the quorum</li> </ul>	Melanie Bishop Richard Drake ANO Governor by agreement with the Chair of Governors Beth
Quorum:	3
Chair of Committee:	Mel Bishop
Clerk to Committee:	Natalie Chandler
Date of review*:	September 2024

Agreed at meeting of Full Governing Board on 19th September 2023

## Agreed Terms of Reference:

- To make any initial decision relating to staff (including headteacher) conduct, capability or a grievance (where this has not been delegated to the headteacher)
- To make a decision to suspend a member of staff (where this has not been delegated to the headteacher) or headteacher
- To make a decision to dismiss a member of staff or headteacher
- To make initial decisions in respect of staff redundancies
- To make any other initial decisions as are needed in respect of any staffing/HR procedures which are not covered by the Terms of Reference for the Resources Committee