## Shadow Board – Shetland Merger Project

Committee	Shadow Board		
Subject	Update on Consultation		
Action requested	Ser information only		
	□ For discussion		
	Special Resolution		
Brief summary of the paper	Summary of consultation activities		
Resource implications	No		
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Risk implications	No		
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Equality and diversity	No		
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Freedom of Information	Yes		
Can this paper be included in 'open' business?*			

## **Consultation Update for Shadow Board**

Key Dates 20<sup>th</sup> May (consultation opened) – 12th August (return to SFC)

From 29<sup>th</sup> May invites to respond went out

Questionnaire closes 3<sup>rd</sup> July to allow preparation and review of report

Both Colleges have been instructed to consult and Shadow Board approved recommendation for single consultation to take place with some groups as outlined in the table below.

**Stakeholder Questionnaire:** An online questionnaire is available on the merger website (<u>https://www.a-new-college-for-shetland.uhi.ac.uk/consultation/</u>).

## **Consultation approaches**

Group to be consulted	Approach	Responsibility	Notes
Students	Single	Jane	Forum planned; Invitation to
			complete questionnaire 29/05
Apprentices	Single	Kevin (TS)	To ensure inclusion of apprentices
			that are not students of the colleges;
			email 01/06
Staff	Dual	Jane	Series of workshops facilitated by
			staff reps underway; Invitation to
			complete questionnaire 29/05;
			invitation to workshops 01/06
			Staff reps approached
		Willie	
Key Industry sector	Dual	Jane	Stakeholder questionnaire; CH to
employers		Willie	feed in NAFC industry links
Shetland Islands Council	Single	Christine	Stakeholder questionnaire
Mareel	Single	Jane	Meeting with Mareel SMT
			Wider staff with Graeme
Service Providers	NAFC	Willie	Cleaning,
Tenants	NAFC	Willis	Café, SSQC
Universities	Single	Jane	Aberdeen, St Andrews; Stirling; Heriot
			Watt; Principals 01/06
UHI	Single	Jane	UHI Partner Principals 01/06
Scottish Parliament and	Single	Jane	List identified
Scottish MPs at			BW and AC 01/06
Westminster			All H&I MSPs 01/06
Trade Unions and Staff	Dual	Jane	HRPG to review MBC
Associations			JCCs to look at draft report,
		Willie	
Schools	Single		Stakeholder questionnaire
Community Councils	Single		Stakeholder questionnaire
Equality and diversity	Single		Stakeholder questionnaire
groups and charities	_		
General public	Single	Jane	Press release 01/06