

THE LIBRARY ASSOCIATION 1999

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Investment powers, which are set out in full in the bye-laws, are wide-ranging, subject to conditions about delegating to investment managers or obtaining independent professional advice.

The Library Association holds reserves, the level of which is set out in the accounts, to cover periods when income might be particularly low or when adjustment to lower Membership might occur and to have sums available for important expenditure not within normal expectations. Council has reviewed the level of reserves held by the Association and agreed that these should be reduced somewhat by keeping Membership subscription increases at a lower level than would otherwise be the case.

Principal Officers 1999

Chief Executive:		Ross Shimmon FLA
	From September:	Bob McKee PhD MIIInfSc FRSA ALA
Director, Communications:		Sherry Jespersen BA MBA FLA
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Director, Scottish Library Association:		Robert Craig BA MA ALA
Executive Officer, Welsh Library Association:		Huw Evans BSc DipLib ALA
Executive Officer, Northern Ireland Branch:		Elga Logue BLS ALA

Method of Election of Council

In accordance with the bye-laws of the Association, The President, Honorary Treasurer and National Councillors were elected by postal ballot of all personal Members. Branch Councillors were elected by postal ballot of personal Members of the appropriate Branch. Group Councillors were elected by postal ballot of personal Members of the appropriate Group. Affiliated Members Councillors were elected by postal ballot by the Affiliated Members. Representatives of the Career Development Group were elected by Members of the Career Development Group, a Group of The Library Association.

Members of Council are Trustees of the Charity.

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LIBRARY ASSOCIATION COUNCIL

Listed with full-time employers where applicable.

President

Mrs V L Taylor MSc BA MILAM ALA (Northamptonshire CC)

President-Elect

Rev G P Cornish BA FIInfSc FLA (British Library Document Supply Centre)

Immediate Past Presidents

Ms S M Parker BA DMS FLA (University of Northumbria at Newcastle)

Prof R C Usherwood BA PhD FIInfSc HonFLA ALA (University of Sheffield)

Honorary Treasurer

Mrs J G Cropley BA DipLib MIInfSc ALA

Chair of Council

Mr M P Stone BA ALA (Calderdale Council)

National Councillors

Until December 1999

Ms M Auckland BSc MSc ALA (University of London)

Prof J C Elkin BA MIMgt MIInfSc FLA (University of Central England at Birmingham)

Mrs A E Minns BA DipLib FLA (University of Brighton)

Mrs V L Taylor MSc BA MILAM ALA (Northamptonshire CC)

Until December 2000

Ms S M Burge BA ALA (Office of the Parliamentary Commissioner for Administration)

Ms S Levett BA CertEd ALA (Bournemouth Council)

Mr M P Stone BA ALA (Calderdale MDC)

Mr J P Willson BA MA (Manchester Metropolitan University)

Until December 2001

Ms E A Chapman BA MA DipLib FLA (Taylor Institution, University of Oxford)

Mr T McSean FLA (British Medical Association)

Ms G J Pachent BA DLIS ALA (Suffolk CC)

Mrs M E Smith ALA (Cambridgeshire CC)

Elected by Groups of the Association

Until December 1999

Branch and Mobile Libraries: Mr B Cropper MA DipLib MIMgt ALA (Corporation of London)

Cataloguing and Indexing: Mrs S Woodhouse MA DipLib ALA (EARL)

Community Services: vacancy

Education Librarians: Mr R W Kirk BA ALA (University of Leicester)

Government Libraries: Mr I Snowley BA MBA MIInfSc MIMgt ALA (Department of Health)

Health Libraries: Dr J M P Palmer BSc PhD MIInfSc FLA (Oxford University)

International: vacancy

Library History: Mr J Bengtson BA MPhil MA (Queen's College, University of Oxford)

Public Libraries: Mr M Curtis MA FRSA ALA

University College and Research: Prof A C McDonald BSc ALA (University of Sunderland)

Youth Libraries: Mrs A M Everall BA ALA (Birmingham MDC)

Until December 2000

Colleges of Further and Higher Education: Ms G S Platt BA DipLib ALA (John Rylands Library, University of Manchester)

Industrial and Commercial Libraries: Mr A J Basker BSc MA MIMgt ALA

Information Services: Mrs A J Duffy BA ALA (Westminster LB)

Local Studies: Mr A Hartley MA ALA (Warrington BC)

Multimedia Information and Technology: Mr D K Sharp BA ALA (British Film Institute)

Personnel Training and Education: Mr I M Johnson BA MIMgt MIInfSc FLA (Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen)

Prison Libraries: Mrs C K Evans ALA (Worcester Council)

Publicity and Public Relations: vacancy

Rare Books: Mr G P Lilley MA DipLib FLA

School Libraries: Ms S Ward ALA (Nottinghamshire CC)

Elected by Branches of the Association

Until December 2001

Berkshire, Buckinghamshire and Oxfordshire: vacancy

Eastern: Ms D Bickerton BA ALA (Suffolk CC)

East Midlands: Mrs M E Hicken MLS ALA

London and Home Counties: Mr M Lunt FLA

Northern: vacancy

Northern Ireland: Mrs R A Adams BA DipLib ALA (Western Education and Library Board)

North Western: Mrs K C Ryan BA MBA FLA (Bolton MBC)

Scottish Library Association: Dr A M Marchbank MA PhD (National Library of Scotland)

South Western: Mr G M Langridge MA MLS ALA (Torbay Council)

Welsh Library Association: Mrs E A Mitcheson BA DipLib ALA (Isle of Anglesey CC)

West Midland: Mrs P Beech ALA (Shropshire CC)

Yorkshire and Humberside: Revd G P Cornish BA FIInfSc FLA (British Library)

Elected by Affiliated Members

Until December 2000

Mrs D D Walker (Coventry MDC)

Until December 2001

Mrs H Hedges (Shropshire CC)

Elected by the Career Development Group

For 1999 only

Ms J Bennett BA(Hons) ALA (Engineering Employers' Federation)

Ms E C Jolly BA DipILS ALA (South Bank University)

Disciplinary Committee

Ms J Bennett BA(Hons) ALA
Revd G P Cornish BA FIInfSc FLA
Ms E A Chapman BA MA DipLib FLA
Mrs M E Hicken MLS ALA
Ms S Levett BA CERT ED ALA
Mr M Lunt FLA
Mr T McSean BA DipLib FLA
Mrs A E Minns BA DipLib FLA
Mrs K C Ryan BA MBA FLA
Mr M P Stone BA ALA
Mrs V L Taylor MSc BA MILAM ALA
Prof R C Usherwood BA PhD FIInfSc ALA
HonFLA
Mrs S Woodhouse MA DipLib ALA
Chair of Policy and Resources Committee
The Honorary Treasurer

Registration Appeals Panel

Ms D Bickerton BA ALA
Ms S M Burge BA(Hons) FLA
Mrs A J Duffy BA ALA
Mrs A M Overall BA ALA
Mr A Hartley MA ALA
Ms S Levett BA CERT ED ALA
Mrs A E Minns BA DipLib FLA
Mrs E A Mitcheson BA DipLib ALA
Ms G J Pachent BA DLIS MILAM MIMgt
ALA
Ms G S Platt BA DipLib ALA
Mrs K C Ryan BA MBA FLA
Ms S Ward ALA
Mrs S Woodhouse MA DipLib ALA

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE COUNCIL 1999

Observers and Co-options are made to some Standing Committees. These are excluded from this list. Honorary Officers (President, Treasurer, Chair of Council, Chair of Policy and Resources Committee) are, ex-officio, members of all Standing Committees.

Policy and Resources Committee

Mr B Cropper MA DipLib MIMgt ALA (Chair)
Mrs P Beech ALA (Member elected by Council)
Ms S M Burge BA(Hons) FLA (Chair, Special Libraries Committee)
Mrs J G Cropley BA(Hons) DipLib MIInfSc ALA (Vice Chair and Honorary Treasurer)
Prof A C McDonald BSc ALA (Chair, Academic and Research Libraries Committee)
Mr T McSean BA DipLib FLA (Chair, Enterprise Board)
Mrs E A Mitcheson BA DipLib ALA (Chair, Youth Libraries Committee)
Ms G J Pachent BA DLIS MILAM MIMgt ALA (Chair, Public Libraries Committee)
Mrs K C Ryan BA MBA FLA (Chair, Education and Personal Membership Committee)
Mr M P Stone BA ALA (Chair of Council)
Prof R C Usherwood BA PhD FIInfSc HonFLA ALA(Immediate Past President)
Mr J Willson BA MA (Chair, Institutional Services Committee)

Subordinate bodies: Regionalism Working Party

Education and Personal Membership Services Committee

Mrs K C Ryan BA MBA FLA (Chair)
Ms H Hedges
Ms M Hicken MLS ALA
Mr I M Johnson BA MIInfSC MIMgt FLA
Mr M Lunt FLA
Ms S M Parker BA DMS FLA

Subordinate bodies: Accreditation Board; Equal Opportunities Sub-Committee; Registration Board

Institutional Services Committee

Mr J P Willson BA MA (Chair)
Mr J Bengtson BA Mphil MA
Ms J Bennett BA(Hons) ALA (CDG)
Revd G P Cornish BA FIInf FLA
Mrs A J Duffy BA ALA
Mrs S Woodhouse MA DipLib ALA

Subordinate bodies: Adult Learning and Libraries Sub-Committee; Dewey Decimal Classification Committee; International Sub-Committee; Preservation, Conservation Security and Heritage Sub-Committee

Academic and Research Libraries Committee

Mr A C McDonald BSc ALA (UC&R) (Chair)

Ms E A Chapman BA MA DipLib FLA

Prof J C Elkin BA MIMgt MIIInfSc FLA

Mr R W Kirk BA ALA(ELG)

Ms E C Jolly DipILS ALA (CDG)

Dr A M Marchbank MA PhD

Ms G S Platt BA DipLib ALA (CoFHE)

Mr D K Sharp BA ALA

Subordinate bodies: None

Public Libraries Committee

Ms G J Pachent BA DLIS MILAM MIMgt ALA (Chair)

Mrs R A Adams BA DipLib ALA

Mrs P Beech ALA

Mr B Cropper MA DipLib MIMgt ALA (B&MLG)

Mr M Curtis MA ALA (PLG)

Mrs C K Evans ALA (PrLG)

Mr G M Langridge MA MLS ALA

Ms S E Levett BA CERT ED ALA

Prof R C Usherwood BA PhD HonFLA FIIInfSc ALA

Mrs D D Walker

Subordinate bodies: Libraries and Arts Implementation Group; 150 Years of Public Libraries Working Party

Special Libraries Committee

Ms S M Burge BA(Hons) FLA (Chair)

Mr J Basker BSc MA MIMgt ALA (ICLG)

Mr G P Lilley MA DipLib FLA

Dr J M P Palmer BSc DipLib PhD MIIInfSci FLA

Mr I Snowley BA MBA MIIInfSc MIMgt ALA (GLG)

Subordinate bodies: Special Library Directory Panel; Workplace Libraries '99 Panel

Youth Libraries Committee

Mrs E A Mitcheson BA DipLib ALA (Chair)

Ms D Bickerton BA ALA

Mrs A M Overall BA ALA (YLG)

Mr A Hartley MA ALA

Mrs M Smith ALA

Ms S Ward ALA

Subordinate bodies: Joint LA/SLA Standing Committee and Forum; Primary School Guidelines Working Party

Enterprise Board

Mr T McSean BA DipLib FLA (Chair)

Mr M Curtis MA ALA

Mrs A E Minns BA DipLib FLA

Subordinate bodies: International Congress on Medical Librarianship 2000 Planning Committee; International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions 2002 Conference Planning Committee; Library Association Publishing Board; *Record* Editorial Board; UmbreILA Planning Sub-Committee