

Minute of the meeting of the National Joint Negotiating Committee (NJNC) – Side Table (Lecturing) held on Thursday 6 May 2021 at 0930 hours, via Video Conference.

In Attendance	
Jackie Galbraith	Management Side
Debbie Kerr	“ “
Alex Linkston	“ “
Ross Martin	“ “
David Watt	“ “ (Chair)
Donny Gluckstein	Staff Side
Anne-Marie Harley	“ “
Eileen Imlah	“ “
John Kelly	“ “
Jim O’Donovan	“ “
Stuart Brown	Staff Side Secretary
Heather Stevenson	Management Side Secretary
Jillian Cheape	Secretariat
Catherine McCreath	Zoom Administrator

01/21 Welcome and Apologies

The Management Side was in the Chair for this meeting. The Chair welcomed all to the meeting. Apologies were noted from Charlie Montgomery, Staff Side.

02/21 Dispute Resolution

The Staff Side formally advised that the EIS-FELA Executive had unanimously ratified the Joint Statement as set out in Paper 1.

The Management Side advised that the Employers’ Association had unanimously ratified the Joint Statement.

As both sides had formally ratified the Joint Statement, the meeting formally agreed Paper 1 as a resolution to the National Dispute and it was agreed that the Joint Secretaries would prepare a Circular to be issued to the sector as a matter of priority.

03/21 Date of Next Meeting

The next scheduled meeting is due to take place on **Thursday 17 June 2021**. However, the Staff Side requested an earlier meeting to discuss COVID and the impact of guidance issued on National Bargaining matters.

It was agreed that the Joint Secretaries would discuss this out with the meeting.