

London Regional Conference Programme 25 February 2010

8.45am to 9.30am	Registration and coffee. Exhibition open
9.30am to 9.45am	Welcome and opening comments – <i>William Simmonds, Chief Executive, NASBM</i>
9.45am to 10.30am	“Valuable Lessons” <i>Nigel Terrington and Ben Day, Audit Commission</i>
10.30am to 11.00am	Tea/Coffee. Exhibition open
11.00am to 11.45am	Workshop 1 –
	A “The Joys and Perils of Leasing” <i>Katherine Flannery, Investec & Kat Webster, Lease Direct Education</i>
	B “Challenging Local Authority Services and Achieving Best Value” <i>Kevin Jones, Schools Advisory Service.</i>
11.45am to 12.30pm	FMSiS <i>Bharti Vakharia, FMSiS Policy Lead, DCSF - School Funding & Technology Division, Efficiency and Value for Money Team</i>
12.30pm to 1.30pm	Lunch. Exhibition open
1.30pm to 2.15pm	Workshop 2–
	C “Open – the Education Procurement Website” <i>Ian Taylor, Commercial Director, DCSF</i>
	D “Corporate Manslaughter – Are There Any Implications for School Business Managers?.” <i>John Jenkins, Managing Director, Owen David Risk Management</i>
2.15pm to 3.15pm	“Child Protection – A Legal Update for Schools on Safeguarding” <i>Yvonne Spencer, Veale Wasbrough Vizards</i>
3.15pm to 3.30pm	“equote” <i>Hugh Taylor, Buyfocus</i>
3.30pm	Conference close