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North Ayrshire Council Letter of 7 November 2016

North Ayrshire Council Education and Youth Employment

North Ayrshire Council recognises that a number of our children actively pursue careers within the forces. When forces take part in Careers Events and Fairs within our schools, the focus is firmly on the associated transferable skills that each young person can attain through a career in the forces. These events are not compulsory and care is taken by the schools to ensure that any forces stalls/displays are part of a wider event with many other employers contributing.

Prior to any partnership or careers event being entered into, each school will scope the purpose and seek advice and guidance from Education and Youth Employment at North Ayrshire Council when required.

Reference is made to National guidance including

- Developing the Young Workforce School/Employer Partnerships Guidance for DYW regional groups and local authorities September 2015
- Developing the Young Workforce School/Employer Partnerships Guidance for employers September 2015

North Ayrshire Council Events involving Armed Forces

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| • Auchenharvie Academy | 2/10/15 careers events |
| • Garnock Academy | 7/10/15 careers event |
| • Ardrossan Academy | 3/2/16 careers fair |
| • Irvine Royal | 18 /2/16 careers fair |
| • Greenwood | 23/2/16 careers fair |

In North Ayrshire events are limited to

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| Careers Fair | - Participation in multi-employer event |
| Careers events | - Official Army careers presentation within a multiple event |