Appendix 2

SPECIALIST INCLUSIVE LEARNING CENTRES

STRATEGIC DEVELOPMENT PLAN – 2006-07

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES

Strategic objective 1 – Funding and Resources

To develop and agree, following consultation, a revised funding and estate strategy for the SILCs to meet projected needs and demands.

Strategic objective 2 – Change Leadership and Governance

To build the capacity of the governance and leadership of SILCs at all levels to ensure the effective change management and implementation of all aspects of the SILC Strategy.

Strategic objective3 - Extended and Children's Services

To create collaborative working practice between the SILCs and other services (Education, Health and Children's Services and voluntary organisations) to meet the needs of all children and young people with more complex special educational needs within the future organisation and provision of Extended Services.

Strategic objective 4 – Outreach Services and the Capacity to meet the needs of pupils with Special Educational Needs

To provide an outreach service from the SILCs which develops the capacity of mainstream schools to make provision for learners with a wider range of additional needs

Strategic objective 5 – Children, Young People, Parents and Carers

To develop programmes and strategies to increase the engagement of children and young people and parents/carers so that they have the opportunity to be involved in decision making processes and feel empowered and valued as partners.