

JOINT NEGOTIATING COUNCIL FOR THE EDUCATION AND LIBRARY BOARDS

7 September 2009

**To: Chief Executives
Council Members
MSO/TUSO**

Joint Negotiating Council Circular No. 27 (Revised)

Special Leave

The Joint Secretaries of the Joint Negotiating Council have agreed the following revisions in relation to Marriage Leave and Bereavement Leave. The special leave arrangements are set out below:-

Marriage or Civil Partnership¹ Leave – Five days' paid leave with effect from February 2006.

Bereavement leave –


Three days' paid leave where the bereavement occurs in one of the following relationships:-

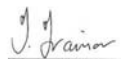
Mother/Father
Brother/Sister
Husband/Wife
Son/Daughter
Mother-in-law/Father-in-Law
Son-in-law/Daughter-in-law
Or equivalent in the case of a civil partnership


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¹ Civil partnership under the Civil Partnership Act 2004