

Adviser for Special Needs	(until until) H Shaw then vacant M Simpson appointed
Principal EWO	M Kazi	
Principal Educational Psychologist	B Flatman	
Acting:	R Flammer (during Mr Flatman's lengthy periods of illness.)	

Outside Agencies

- 21 Information about homosexual activity at the Smith Street Toilets between boys (some from Knowl View) and adult males was known to both Police and Social Services. The period of activity seems to have ended by the Summer of 1990 when Police surveillance failed to detect any activity at that site.
- 22 There is no record of this information being passed to the Education Service, either the Education Psychological Service, the school or the Department. Dr Alison Frazer of the Health Authority passed information concerning boys in her clinic to D Edmonds, Senior Educational Psychologist in December 1990. This information was passed to the Interim Head at Knowl View School.
- 23 The report of the Chief Adviser and EO (Special) : June 1992 complements the report by the Director of Education to the Governors in October 1990 on the 'Hilton Incident' in September 1990 and the reports and sources listed in paragraph 3.

MAJOR ISSUES

- 24 All the reports raised similar issues and the responses provided in interviews in May/June 1992 confirm and amplify the conclusions of the two previous reports. The central issues are outlined below:
- 25 **Why did Knowl View staff not report what was happening?**

Several explanations have been suggested:

- (a) Some staff reported specific incidents which they had observed eg. one of the cleaners reported
 - (i) 'discovering two boys in bed together engaged in sexual activity'
 - (ii) finding a used condom in one of the dormitories

The report did not lead to any action with the obvious inference that 'it was unimportant'. Indeed it was a well-known saying among staff that there were 'no problems' on the Norden Unit.