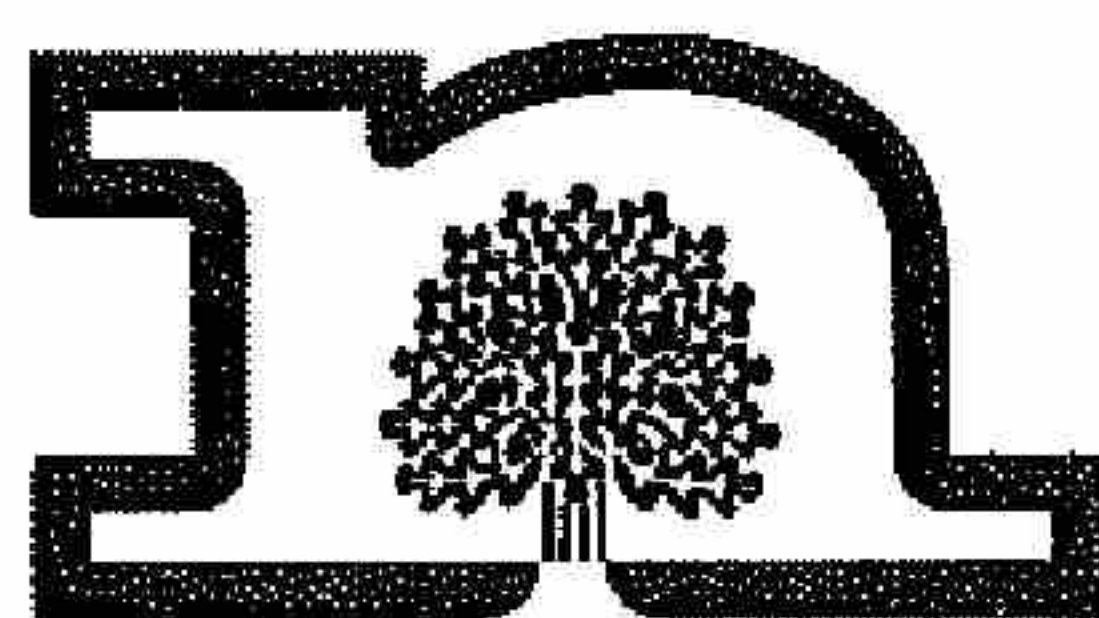


Nottinghamshire County Council

Clerk of the County Council
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PROTECTION OF CHILDREN: DISCLOSURE OF CRIMINAL BACKGROUND OF THOSE WITH ACCESS TO CHILDREN

With effect from 1st January 1988, this Authority has implemented the terms of a recent Home Office Circular, which allows local authorities to check with local police forces the possible criminal background of those who apply, or move, to work with children.

The post, for which you are considering applying, falls within this checking procedure and you should, therefore, be aware that if you do apply for this post and you are subsequently called for interview, you will be **required** to:-

- (i) Declare **all** previous criminal convictions.
- (ii) Agree in writing to a check being made with the Police to confirm the declaration above. (This check, however, will only be undertaken if you are the potentially successful candidate).

The Authority would stress at the outset that if you refuse to agree to such a check, or to declare previous convictions, you will not be considered further for this post. Equally, applicants are assured that any information disclosed will be treated in the strictest confidence.

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County Personnel Officer