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Learning Directorate

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Dr Desmond Bermingham
Chief Executive
ACER UK
By e-mail

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Dear Desmond,

Thank you for your e-mail of 10 July. I believe we have now agreed upon 8 August for our next meeting. My office is arranging the next sequence of meetings for a mutually agreeable date and time covering the next 3 months. Due to other commitments it not possible to have a set date and time every month.

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I found our meeting of 28 June with [Redacted] very interesting. I welcome these opportunities to discuss areas of mutual interest. I thought it would be helpful to note some of the areas we discussed. [Redacted - 1 sentence - exemption applies]

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In relation to the national level report I am aware ACER are unable to make our preferred date of end of September and have proposed end October. While I accept the reasons for this I must stress that there can be no slippage on the October date. This report will feed into wider Directorate work that have immovable deadlines. It is therefore essential that we have a finalised report by the October deadline.

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We also discussed the Horizon roadmap and this was something [Redacted] was going to consider. I know my team would be very interested to see this. I can assure you that we have no desire to see anything that would compromise ACER's commercial responsibilities, however, it would be beneficial to understand the direction of travel for Horizon and where we fit into that.

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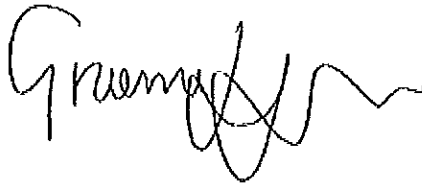
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I note that [redacted] will be taking on contract management responsibilities for ACER UK once [redacted] goes back to ACER Australia. In addition to the contract management role [redacted] contribution on the content and development of the SNSA has been integral to the success of the project. Can you provide some further clarity on how this aspect of work will be delivered in future?

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I look forward to our next catch up on 8 August.

Yours sincerely



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