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Dear Convenor,

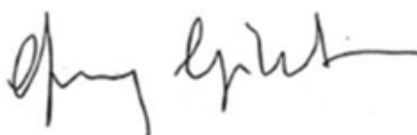
Upcoming Meeting of the Education Ministers Council – Notification under the Intergovernmental Relations (IGR) Reporting Agreement

I am writing to inform the Committee that on 13 November 2025, I will attend the sixth meeting of the Education Ministers Council (EMC), one of the Interministerial Groups (IMGs) established following the Intergovernmental Relations review.

This meeting will be hosted by the Welsh Government in Cardiff. The agenda for the meeting is expected to include the use of artificial intelligence in schools, approaches to behaviour in schools, and developments in curriculum reform across the UK.

In line with the agreed reporting arrangements, I will write again following the meeting to provide the Committee with a summary including information on the attendees, the discussions held and their outcomes. This will include details of the next host government and any relevant points from the meeting communiqué.

Yours sincerely,



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