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**LIST D SCHOOLS**

As discussed, Mr Peacock has seen the latest minute and draft correspondence in relation to List D schools. He has commented as follows;

"Sorry to come back on this again, however the minute does not acknowledge that Minister's - me, Cathy, Euan, Solicitor General unanimously concluded consideration of the merits of an inquiry last year. It was only when our recommendations went to FM that he was not content and suggested a single person considered. The minute needs to set out the sequence of events - this is not the first time the FM has considered the issues here."

I would be grateful if a revised response could be prepared - taking on board these - and Ms Jamieson's recent comments.

Thanks

David