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Education Services Glasgow City Council City Chambers East Building 40 John Street Glasgow G1 1JL

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Dear Parent,

GMPE Assessment Request

Determination under Education (Scotland) Act 2016, Sections 9 and 10

I refer to the above request received on 25th February 2022. Education Services have now carried out our initial assessment and determined that we should proceed to a full assessment of demand for GMPE. We will now proceed immediately and have a 10 week window within which we will carry out this full assessment. We will send you a copy of our assessment response following our full assessment.

The reason for moving to a full assessment is based on the fact that there are 5 or more children in the same year group looking to enrol in GMPE for August 2022, which led to the determination that there is a potential need for GMPE in the assessment area. Furthermore over the last two sessions the number of families initially registering for enrolment for a place in primary GMPE has exceeded the number of places available across the now four GMPE primary establishments.

We have further determined that the area identified for the full assessment will be the entire Council area. We have arrived at this decision given that the initial request came from parents of 5 children living in two of the existing four catchment areas for primary GME, allied to the fact that we already have information on the level of demand across all four existing GMPE catchment areas of the city.

Education Services are writing to all parents whose names were provided as part of the initial request to confirm that we are carrying out a full assessment. We are also posting the outcome of the initial assessment on the Council's website in line with the statutory guidance.

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Yours sincerely

Donald A. Macleod Head of Service South