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30 July 2014

To: St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School

I am pleased to tell you that I have agreed to enter into a Funding Agreement with you to allow St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School to convert into an academy. My officials will forward a copy of the executed Funding Agreement to you.

Academies form an integral part of the Government's education policy to raise attainment for all children. I am delighted that St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School recognises the benefits academy status will bring.

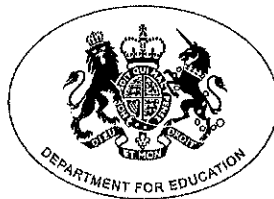
The date of conversion, when the school will open as an academy, will be 1 August 2014. I am writing to Bromley London Borough to instruct it to cease to maintain St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School from that date (copy of letter enclosed).

If you have notified the Department of any additional leases or subleases the Academy Trust wishes to grant on conversion, these will also require the consent of the Secretary of State (according to the terms of both the Funding Agreement and the relevant legislation), and we will shortly write separately in relation to this.

Your academy will now have the opportunity to use the freedoms and flexibilities of academy status, to share best practice and work with others to bring about sustained improvements to all schools in the area. I would like to thank you for your commitment and wish you every success in the future.

I am copying this letter to the head teacher. I also enclose the letters to the Governing Body of the St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School. Please pass on a copy to the Governing Body of the St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School.

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To: Terry Parkin, Executive Director, Education, Care and Health Services

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As you will be aware, academies form an integral part of the Government's education policy to raise attainment for all children and to bring about sustained improvements to all schools. I would like to thank you for your assistance with the academy process.

If you have provided publicly funded land for the academy, please also accept this letter as providing any necessary consent(s) pursuant to para 4(2) of Schedule 1 to the Academies Act 2010 (as substituted by Schedule 14 to the Education Act 2011) and section 77 to the School Standards and Framework Act 1998 for the authority to dispose of land, to the Academy Trust, that it is agreed the authority holds for the purpose of St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School.

I am copying this letter to the Academy Trust, the Governing Body of St Peter and St Paul Catholic Primary School and the head teacher.

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