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Your Ref:  
Our Ref: RM/LB  
Date: 15, July 2011

Dear

**CONSULTATION REPORT ON THE PROPOSAL TO CHANGE EDUCATION PROVISION AT BANAVIE PRIMARY SCHOOL BY DISCONTINUING THE DEDICATED ADDITIONAL SUPPORT NEEDS FACILITIES**

Thank you for your letter/email received in relation to the above consultation. Under the terms of the Schools (Consultation) (Scotland) Act 2010 the Highland Council is obliged to publish a report that includes the following information in relation to the consultation:-

- Background
- Consultation process
- Responses received
- Issues raised
- Highland Council's response to the written and oral representations
- Summary of the issues raised by HMIE and the response offered by the Council
- Review of proposals following consultation period
- Alleged omissions or inaccuracies
- Procedures for ministerial call-in
- Legal issues
- Conclusion
- Recommendation

I would advise you that the above Consultation Report will be available on the Highland Council web-site on the 18<sup>th</sup> July 2011 via [www.highland.gov.uk/schoolconsultations](http://www.highland.gov.uk/schoolconsultations) . In addition hard copies of this report are available for inspection at the Fort William Service Point, Fort William and Caol Libraries and the Area Education Culture & Sport Office, Camaghael Hostel, Camaghael, Fort William PH33 7NE from the same date.

If you have any comments in relation to this Consultation Report please either e-mail them to:-

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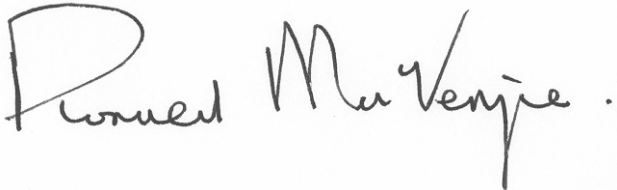
or alternatively in writing to: -

Rosemary Bridge,  
Acting Area ECS Manager,  
Area ECS Office,

Camaghael Hostel,  
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All comments received will be summarised and made available to Elected Members who will consider this Consultation Report at the Education Culture & Sport Committee on the 9<sup>th</sup> August 2011.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Ron Mackenzie". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial 'R' and a period at the end.

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