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To: Boards of Management, Principal Teachers and all Teaching Staff of Primary, Post Primary and VEC schools

Submission of Applications for Resources and Leavers for the 2013/14 School Year

Key Dates

- 18th January 2013: Schools to submit leavers form to SENO. A copy may be obtained from the NCSE website www.ncse.ie
- 15th March 2013: Schools to submit applications for teaching and SNA supports to SENO.

The NCSE is currently in discussions with the DES in relation to the detailed arrangements that will apply to the 2013/2014 allocation of teaching and SNA resources. A deadline of 15th March will apply for the receipt of applications from schools. Decisions for applications submitted by this date, will issue to schools before they close for the summer in order that schools can have certainty regarding the levels of supports allocated by the NCSE for the 2013/2014 school year. Schools may now commence submitting applications to their local SENO. Application forms are available on our website www.NCSE.ie

Children with SEN Leaving at the end of 2012/13 School Year

Schools should forward the list of children with SEN who they are aware will be leaving at the end of the school year as per Appendix 5 (copy attached). This will enable the SENO to determine the level of additional teaching and SNA supports, which will be freed up for reallocation as appropriate. In schools where no children with SEN are leaving, the school should complete the form signalling a NIL return. The leaver forms for Special Schools is also available on our website www.ncse.ie

The list of children leaving should be submitted to the SENO by Friday 18th January 2013

Applications for Resource Teaching Received From Schools since 5th October 2012

In early November, the NCSE processed valid applications for teaching supports received between June and the 5th October 2012 and issued the decisions to the schools concerned. Applications for resource teaching hours received by the NCSE after the 5th October 2012 will be processed and included in the level of supports allocated for the 2013/2014 school year. **There is no need for schools to re-submit these applications.** In the meantime, where a pupil meets the criteria for resource teaching hours, schools should support these pupils from the existing quantum of resource teaching hours, except in exceptional cases e.g. where the school does not have any allocation of resource teaching hours. In these cases, schools should contact the local SENO.

Please note that further information will issue as appropriate for the 13/14 allocations process.

Sé Goulding

Head of Operations



APPENDIX 5

School Name:				Koll No:		School Email Address:				
Puj	pils in receip	ot of resou	rces curre	ently enrolle	ed who wi	ll not be in the	e school in S	September	2013	
Pupil Name & Address						Disability	Support Accessed			
1st Name	Surname	Gender	DOB	PPS No	Current Class	Code (See Appendix 6)	SNA Access Individual /Shared	No of Resource Teaching Hours	Assist Tech	Transport
Address										
1st Name	Surname									
Address										
1st Name	Surname									
Address		ı		ı	1	1	1	1	-1	1
Signature	of School Prir	ncipal:					Date			

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