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Dear Mike

Plymouth and South Devon Joint Local Plan

I am writing to further confirm the council's position in relation to the provision of secondary school places in addition to the agreed Statement of Common Ground between Devon County Council and the JLP Authorities (SCG2).

The identified residential development in the Plymouth Policy Area of the Joint Local Plan which is outside of the Plymouth city boundary, specifically at Woolwell (PLY44) and West Park Hill, Newnham (PLY52), is expected to generate additional secondary pupils. In pupil place planning terms, these pupils will be planned for by Plymouth City Council. This will be through the expansion of existing secondary schools where appropriate if there are insufficient places to accommodate the additional need arising from these development locations. Any requests for developer contributions from development will be dealt with by Plymouth City Council. As such, there will be no requirement on Devon County Council to provide or plan for secondary school places for these pupils.

I trust that this clarifies the matter to your satisfaction.

Yours Sincerely

Head of Access and Planning
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