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Date: 15 April 2020

Dear Mayor Khan,

**Grant Determination Letter for Devolution of the Adult Education Budget for Academic Year 2020/21: DfE reference number GRx152**

This Determination is made between:

- (1) **The Secretary of State for Education** and
- (2) **The Mayor of London**

This letter sets out your delegated Adult Education Budget (AEB) for Academic Year (AY) 2020/21 to support devolution of adult education functions and associated AEB across the Greater London area. In addition, the letter confirms the amount of devolved AEB you will receive in the financial year 2020-21 (1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021).

Your delegated AEB for AY 2020/2021 will be transferred in accordance with Section 39A of the Greater London Authority Act 1999. The delegated AEB will be provided to the Greater London Authority on your behalf.

Amount and purpose of the grant

Your delegated AEB for AY 2020/21 is **£318,580,139** and has been allocated to you for the provision of relevant adult education functions in the Greater London Authority area for the period 1 August 2020 to 31 July 2021.

Payment arrangements

The AY 2020/21 spans two financial years. Therefore, £199,048,871 will be paid in April 2020 for the period 1 August 2020 to March 2021 and £119,531,268 will be paid in April 2021 for the period 1 April 2021 to July 31 2021.

In addition to the £199,048,871 that will be paid in April 2020, a further £114,457,161 will be paid in relation to the AY 2019/20 and for the period 1 April 2020 to July 31 2020.

The total amount of grant paid to the Greater London Authority in the financial year 2020-21 will be **£313,506,032** as set out below:

<b>DfE Payment Date</b>	<b>Amount</b>	<b>Period covered</b>
<b>April 2020</b>	<b>£313,506,032</b> of which:  £114,457,161 (Devolved AEB for AY 2019/20)  £199,048,871 (Devolved AEB for AY 2020/21)	<b>1 April 2020 to 31 March 2021</b>  1 April 2020 to 31 July 2020  1 August 2020 to 31 March 2021
April 2021	£119,531,268 (Devolved AEB for AY 2020/21)  This is not the final total for FY 2021-22, which will include an amount from the AY 2021/22. This will be confirmed in January 2021 and will be issued under a separate grant letter.	1 April 2021 to 31 July 2021  1 August 2021 to 31 March 2022

### Assurance arrangements

The delegation letter<sup>1</sup> agreed between you and the Secretary of State sets out what assurances should be in place when carrying out the adult education functions.

The Department for Education also has an associated memorandum of understanding<sup>2</sup> in place with you in relation to the devolution of adult education functions published on GOV.UK on 6 February 2019.

This letter has been copied to the Chief Finance Officer of the Greater London Authority.

### Enquiries

<sup>1</sup> <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/delegation-of-adult-education-letter-to-the-mayor-of-london>

<sup>2</sup> <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/devolution-of-adult-education-functions-mous>

Please contact [adult.skillsdevolution@education.gov.uk](mailto:adult.skillsdevolution@education.gov.uk) for further information.

Signed by authority of the Minister of State for Education

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D Hastings', written in a cursive style.

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### Devolved AEB payments to Mayoral Combined Authorities and the Greater London Authority

Combined Authority	FY 2020-21 payment <sup>1</sup>	FY 2021-22 payment <sup>2</sup>
Cambridgeshire and Peterborough	£11,778,338	£4,490,758
Greater London Authority (on behalf of the Mayor of London) <sup>3</sup>	£313,506,032	£119,531,268
Greater Manchester	£94,733,571	£36,119,317
Liverpool City Region	£52,564,143	£20,041,269
North of Tyne <sup>4</sup>	£14,460,976	£8,683,992
Tees Valley	£30,125,031	£11,485,849
West Midlands	£128,534,243	£49,006,588
West of England	£15,079,025	£5,749,220
<b>Total</b>	<b>£660,781,358</b>	<b>£255,108,261</b>

#### Notes:

1. Total payment for FY 2020-21 includes an amount for AY 2019/20 covering the period 1 April 2020 to 31 July 2020 and for AY 2020/21, covering the period 1 August 2020 to 31 March 2021.
2. This is not the total payment for FY 2021-22, which will include an amount for the AY 2021/22 covering the period 1 August 2021 to 31 March 2022. This amount will be confirmed in January 2021 and will be issued under a separate grant letter.
3. The Mayor of London's budget allocation for AY2020/21 will be transferred to the Greater London Authority (on behalf of the Mayor of London) in accordance with Section 39A of the Greater London Authority Act 1999.
4. Devolved AEB to the North of Tyne Combined Authority comes into effect from 1 August 2020. The above FY 2020-21 payment is for AY 2020/21 only, covering the period 1 August 2020 to 31 March 2021.