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Date: 27 March 2019

The Rt Hon Sadiq Khan
Mayor of London
City Hall
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Dear Sadiq,

**Grant Determination Letter for Devolution of the Adult Education
Budget: Notification of Adult Education Budget Allocation for Academic
year 2019/20, which spans Financial Years 2019-2020 and 2020-2021
(DfE reference number GR1000749)**

This Determination is made between:

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

I am pleased to be writing to you to confirm the Adult Education Budget (AEB) grant for the period 1 August 2019 to 31 July 2020, following devolution of adult education functions and the associated AEB to the Greater London Authority (GLA) from 1 August 2019.

The Secretary of State has delegated certain adult education functions to you under section 39A of the Greater London Authority Act 1999. This delegation of functions, and the transfer of those functions to certain Mayoral Combined Authorities (MCAs) are both referred to in this letter as the devolution of adult education functions.

Your budget allocation for 2019/20 following devolution of adult functions and the associated AEB from August 2019 will be transferred in accordance with Section 39A of the Greater London Authority Act 1999. The AEB will be provided to the GLA on your behalf.

Amount and purpose of the grant

The Department will allocate **£306,444,875** (£191,987,714 in FY 2019-20, £114,457,161 in FY 2010-21) to you for the provision of relevant adult education functions in relation to the Greater London area for the period 01 August 2019 to 31 July 2020.

Payment arrangements

| DfE Payment Date | Amount | Academic year period covered |
|----------------------------|--|--|
| April 2019 FY 2019-2020 | £191,987,714 (62.65% of total allocation 2019/20) | 01 August 2019 to 31 March 2020 |
| April 2020 FY 2020-2021 | £114,457,161 (37.35% of total allocation 2019/20) This is not the final total for FY 2020-21. To be added on to this figure is the actual amount for August 2020 to March 2021. This will be confirmed in January 2020. The proportion will be 62.65% of total allocation for 2020/21 and will be issued under a separate grant letter. | 01 April 2020 to 31 July 2020 01 August 2020 to 31 March 2021 |

Assurance arrangements

The delegation letter¹ agreed between you and the Secretary of State set out what assurances should be in place when carrying out the adult education functions.

The Department for Education also has an associated memorandum of understanding² 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 GLA.

Enquiries

For all enquiries please contact Adult.SkillsDevolution@education.gov.uk

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Education,

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

Dominic Hastings
Deputy Director, Further Education Funding

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

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

ANNEX A

AEB budget payments to Mayoral Combined Authorities and the Greater London Authority (on behalf of the Mayor of London)

| Combined Authority | FY 2019-20 payment | FY 2020-21 payment* |
|---|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| Cambridgeshire and Peterborough | £7,212,927 | £4,300,125 |
| Greater London Authority (on behalf of the Mayor of London)** | £191,987,714 | £114,457,161 |
| Greater Manchester | £58,013,818 | £34,586,051 |
| Liverpool City Region | £32,189,715 | £19,190,516 |
| Tees Valley | £18,448,244 | £10,998,275 |
| West of England | £9,234,233 | £5,505,165 |
| West Midlands | £78,712,985 | £46,926,257 |
| Total | £395,799,636 | £235,963,550 |

* This is not the final total for FY 2020-21. To be added on to this figure is the actual amount for August 2020 to March 2021. This will be confirmed in January 2020. The proportion will be 62.65% of total allocation for 2020/21 and will be issued under a separate grant letter.

** The Mayor of London's budget allocation for 2019/20 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.