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Dear Michael

In accordance with section 8 of the Education Act 2005, I write to request that you carry out a monitoring inspection of Discovery New School at the earliest opportunity.

The school was judged to require special measures in May. Since that time those running the school have failed to secure any external support to improve the school. At the first monitoring inspection on 11 September you found the Statement of Action to be not fit for purpose.

In accordance with my powers under section 8 of the Education Act 2005, I would be grateful if you could schedule this inspection and let my officials know when it takes place.

MICHAEL GOVE