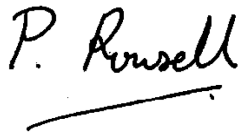


NOMINATION UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1999 (DIRECTIONS UNDER SECTION 15(5) AND (6) OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1999 AND SECTION 497A(4B) OF THE EDUCATION ACT 1996 TO ROTHERHAM METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL, 2015)

The Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government in exercise of his powers under section 15 of the Local Government Act 1999 and in accordance with the Directions to Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council dated 26 February 2015 nominates Mary Ney as Commissioner to act jointly or severally with the other Commissioners for the period beginning on the date of the Directions and ending on 31 March 2019 or such earlier time as the Secretary of State determines.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "P. Rowsell". The signature is written in a cursive style and is underlined with a single horizontal stroke.

Paul Rowsell

A Senior Civil Servant in the Department for Communities and Local Government

Date: 26 February 2015