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2nd February 2017

Dear Directors

Termination Warning Notice to the Members and Trustees of the CWA Academy Trust in respect of King's Lynn Academy

In accordance with section 2A of the Academies Act 2010ⁱ any funding agreement of an academy may be terminated by the Secretary of State where special measures are required to be taken by the academy or the academy requires significant improvement and the Chief Inspector of Ofsted has given notice of that under section 13(3)(a) of the Education Act 2005.

I received an Ofsted notification dated 27 January 2017 confirming that King's Lynn Academy was judged to be inadequate.

In making the decision on whether to terminate the funding agreement, I will consider any written representations you wish to make. I have also recently written to you regarding King's Lynn Academy meeting the coasting definition. Please provide your response to this letter and to the coasting notification in either one or two letters, whichever is easiest for you.

Please provide me with any representations you have by 24 February.

I am copying this letter to Sir David Carter, National Schools Commissioner.

Yours sincerely,

T. J. Calon

Tim Coulson

Regional Schools Commissioner for East of England and North East London

cc Sir David Carter (National Schools Commissioner), Michael Rosen (Director of Children's Services, Norfolk LA) and (DfE Project Lead)

¹ Inserted by section 14 of the Education and Adoption Act 2016