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To whom it may concern

Application for a Significant Change to an Academy

Further to our 6 week consultation from 3rd September to 16th October 2018 for the proposed change to our admissions, by adding and teaching A-Level students in the new campus in the Northern Quarter, I would like to confirm that the consultation has now ceased and the following is an outline of the responses.

1. Gloucester County Council confirmed that our consultation was in line with statutory guidelines.
2. A letter of support was received from Mitcheldean Endowed Primary School.
3. There was opposition from John Kyrle High School and Sixth Form which has been acknowledged and replied to.

You will be aware that this 6 week consultation involved a tremendous amount of work prior to this to establish the need and desire for the proposed sixth form. We have considered each and every response and these have informed our journey throughout this process.

We are passionate about this project and feel that there is overwhelming support from the Forest of Dean for this to happen, therefore, we will be submitting our full business case to the South West Regional Commissioner to make a significant change to an academy.

We would like to extend our thanks for your comments and support during this lengthy process.

Yours faithfully

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