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To: Stakeholders of Hamilton School

c/o Hamilton School

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School Organisation Proposal: Alter Age Range & Increase Pupil Numbers

Dear Parents, Carers, Staff, Birmingham City Council and other stakeholders,

Further to the letter sent out from Birmingham City Council (the Council) on 6<sup>th</sup> June 2023, I am writing to inform you that, following clarification, it is the Governing Body of Hamilton School that is proposing the changes outlined below in partnership with the Council.

- Altering the age range from 4 11 years to 4 16 years.
- Increase pupil numbers from 108 to 287
- Effective from 1st September 2025.

The Council will continue to support the Governing Body with the consultation process.

There are approximately 4 weeks remaining for the current pre-publication period (informal consultation) which runs from 6<sup>th</sup> June 2023 to 18<sup>th</sup> July 2023. You can find the details of the proposal and submit your comment online via: <a href="https://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/people-1/schoolorganisationsot10191hamilton">https://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/people-1/schoolorganisationsot10191hamilton</a>

The Governing Body intend to publish a complete statutory proposal and commence the four-week formal consultation (known as the "representation period") in the autumn term 2023. I will write to you again at the end of the pre-publication period to let you know the outcome and to inform you about the next stage of the process.

Yours sincerely,

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Chair of Governors – Hamilton School

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