

Committee for Education

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Dear Veronica

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At its meeting on 27 November 2013, the Committee received a briefing from representatives of the Irish Medium Education sector, as part of its Inquiry into the Education and Training Inspectorate and the School Improvement Process.

The Committee agreed to write to the Department to seek:

- information on the number of Education and Training Inspectorate staff who are trained to assess Irish Medium Education schools:
- 2. information on how training for ETI staff with regards to Irish Medium Education is accessed; and
- 3. a copy of the template Management and Reporting System (MARS) report used as part of the inspection process in all schools.

A response by 13 December 2013 would be appreciated.

Yours sincerely

Peter McCallion Committee Clerk