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REPORT TO CABINET

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REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION

NEW OPPORTUNITIES FUND – SOUTH WIGSTON

BRIEFING NOTE OF THE COUNTY SOLICITOR

Paragraph 12 of the above Report deals with contingency liabilities in the event of a breach of terms and conditions of the grant made by NOF. That paragraph accurately sets out the view of officers of the Authority, based on the fact that the school as a foundation school owns the land and would be expected to enter into contractual arrangements. However, it is understood that NOF may be of the view that the County Council would carry contingency liabilities but that arrangements may be made between the Authority and the school to transfer liabilities. Discussions are ongoing between officers and NOF to clarify the position.

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