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Transmittal Certificate



Ms Yvette Berry MLA
Minister for Early Childhood Development
Minister for Education and Youth Affairs
ACT Legislative Assembly
London Circuit
Canberra ACT 2601

Dear Minister

2019-20 Education Directorate Annual Report

This report has been prepared in accordance with section 6 of the *Annual Reports (Government Agencies) Act 2004* and in accordance with the requirements under the *Annual Reports (Government Agencies) Directions 2019*.

I certify that the information in the attached report and information provided for whole of government reporting, is an honest and accurate account and that all material information on the operations of the Education Directorate has been included for the period 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020.

I hereby certify that fraud and prevention has been managed in accordance with Part 2.3 of the *Public Sector Management Standards 2006* (see section 113 of the *Public Sector Management Standards 2016*).

Section 13 of the *Annual Reports (Government Agencies) Act 2004* requires that you present the report to the Legislative Assembly within 15 weeks after the end of the reporting year. However, under section 14, the Chief Minister has granted an extension of the time when the report must be presented by you to the Legislative Assembly. The Chief Minister has granted the extension to 18 December 2020.

The annual reports of the following public sector bodies are included as annexed reports:

- The ACT Board of Senior Secondary Studies; and
- The ACT Teacher Quality Institute.

The annual report must be provided to the Speaker on 18 December 2020 for distribution to each Member of the Legislative Assembly. The annual report must then be tabled in the Legislative Assembly on the next sitting day.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Katy Haire'.

Katy Haire
Director-General
Education Directorate

3 December 2020