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Amanda Spielman
Her Majesty's Chief Inspector

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Dear Mr. Keen,

I am writing following your recent section 5 inspection. Although your college was judged to require improvement overall, I was pleased to see that your leadership and management were judged to be good.

It is clear from the inspection report that, together with your leadership team and governors, you are becoming increasingly successful in driving forward improvements in the school. I am pleased to note that a more effective training regime has contributed to better teaching across most subjects. It is also encouraging to see that careful spending of funding is helping pupils, particularly the disadvantaged, to raise their achievement.

I know that you and your team will be continuing your good work. I hope this will be reflected in your next inspection outcome, probably in two years' time or so.

In the meantime I have asked Andrew Cook HMI, Regional Director, North West, and his Senior HMI to be available if you wish to discuss your progress.

Yours sincerely

Amanda Spielman

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