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Dear Carolyn

Re: Oldham Council Resolution – School Places

Thank you for your recent letter regarding the resolution that was moved at full Council on the 23 March. I was in attendance at the meeting and obviously agree wholeheartedly with the Council's stance. Please be assured that I will write to the Education Secretary as requested, as it is common sense to allow local authorities to open new schools and to demand that academies expand to meet local need.

I will get back to you as soon as I receive a response.

Best wishes

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Jim".

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