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Lynne Neagle MS Chair Children Young People and Education Committee Welsh Parliament Cardiff Bay Cardiff **CF99 1SN**

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Dear Lynne

I am writing to let you know that I corresponded with the First Minister last term indicating my wish to retire from my post as Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of Education and Training in Wales at the end of August 2021.

It has been pleasure and a great honour to lead Estyn and I have enjoyed working with you and with the Children, Young People and Education Committee members. I look forward to my CYPE Committee appearance next week and to continuing to work with you for my remaining time in post.

Best regards

Meilyr Rowlands

Her Majesty's Chief Inspector of **Education and Training in Wales**

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