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Dear Janet

Thank you for your letter of 16 December regarding home education and correspondence received by committee members about the recent consultation on statutory guidance for local authorities on home education.

In relation to the clarification you request in your letter, my officials are currently considering and analysing over 400 consultation responses, including those that raise matters regarding points of legal interpretation and clarification. My [ministerial statement](#) of the 11 December outlines the intended timescales for the publication of the guidance and coming into force date for the regulations.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kirsty Williams', written in a cursive style.

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