



MEDINA HOUSE SCHOOL, NEWPORT – ENLARGEMENT

1. **Notice is hereby given**, in accordance with Section 19(1) of the Education and Inspections Act 2006, that Isle of Wight Council intends to make a prescribed alteration to MEDINA HOUSE SCHOOL, School Lane, Newport, PO30 2HS (category of school – community) by increasing the capacity of the school with effect from 1st September 2023.
2. The current capacity of Medina House School is for 83 pupils aged 2-11 years olds with complex learning difficulties including Autistic Spectrum Conditions, physical disabilities, hearing and visual impairment and behavioural difficulties. The current number of pupils registered at the school is 95 and the proposed agreed place number will be 104 from 1st September 2023.
3. These additional places are required following the conclusion of a review of the sufficiency of school places, that identified an increase in the proportion of Special Educational Needs children of Primary School age requiring a specialist school place on the Island.
4. This Notice is an extract from the complete proposal. Copies of the complete proposal may be obtained from Jade Kennett, Strategic Development, County Hall, Newport, IOW, PO30 1UD, telephone: 01983 821000 e-mail: jade.kennett@iow.gov.uk
5. Within six weeks from the date of publication of this proposal, any person may object or make comments on the proposal by sending them to Jade Kennett, Strategic Development, County Hall, Newport, IOW, PO30 1UD, telephone: 01983 821000, e-mail: jade.kennett@iow.gov.uk

Dated: 7th April 2023

Wendy Perera Chief Executive