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23rd October, 1992

Mrs. L. Dobie,  
R. M. B. C. Education Department,  
Municipal Offices,  
Smith Street,  
Rochdale.

Dear Ms. Dobie,

We the staff group at Knowl View School are very surprised and disappointed that you have not responded to the requests put to you at a staff meeting on 9th October, 1992.

You will be aware of the points that we asked you to clarify on our behalf. You will no doubt also be aware of the strong feelings we as a group held, and indeed still hold, with regard to working along side colleagues in whom we have no confidence. Due to their unwillingness to explain their position to us.

We feel we have not received the honesty we deserve in this matter, either from the department or the two members of staff in question.

Could you please explain to us why it has been deemed necessary to ignore the unanimous wishes of the Knowl View Staff whilst still expecting us to work alongside people in whom we have no trust or confidence, at the present.

You must be aware of the effect this matter is having on the morale of the staff group, also the uneasy atmosphere which has been created by unexplained partial return of these two members of staff, in what we are sure you will agree is a difficult period for Knowl View School.

We the majority of the staff are doing our up-most to ensure that the problems do not deflect from our aims and working practice with the children in our care.