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Dear Chief Superintendent

I am writing to request your assistance. It has come to my attention that Mr R Hilton has now been released from prison and is again living in Bamford, Rochdale. Indeed he has recently been camping out on land at the rear of Knowl View School.

This obviously causes us grave concerns in respect of assuring the safety of the pupils at the school, the disruptive effect on the pupils and the increased security measures required to counteract his presence.

The Acting Borough Solicitor has applied for an injunction against Mr Hilton to prevent him from continuing to remain in the immediate vicinity of the school. However, I would be grateful for any assistance and advice you can give both to the Department and to the school on how to deal with the situation and how to ensure that the school is able to function effectively both in the short and long term.

Yours sincerely

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