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December 5, 2017

Hon. Brian Kenny  
Minister of Education and Early Childhood Development  
P.O. Box 6000  
Fredericton, NB E3B 5H1

Dear Minister Kenny:

At the November 8, 2017 meeting of the Anglophone South District Education Council, a motion was made and passed to request additional funds to support the continued roll out of Power School in ASD-S.

Our District implemented the administrative functions of Power School (including student attendance and scheduling) in the fall of 2016 and this year have implemented the provincial report card for K-8. ASD-S had six large high schools using "Ed Line", allowing parents to go on line and check their child's attendance and marks on a regular basis. These six schools have moved to the "Public Portal" of Power School and we have other schools that would like to implement the "Public Portal".

We currently have two lead teachers and one technical support person for the implementation of Power School across seventy schools. We need to keep these positions and if possible, add more resources for Power School support. The Power School program has many applications and we want to see its use enhanced across the District.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or our Superintendent, Zoë Watson.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'R. Fowler'.

Robert Fowler  
Chair

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Encl.

Copy: John McLaughlin, Deputy Minister, EECD  
Zoë Watson, Superintendent ASD-S  
John MacDonald, Director Finance & Administration ASD-S