

June 18, 2015

Mr. Mark Noël
Chair, District Education Council
Anglophone West School District
1135 Prospect Street
Fredericton, NB E3B 3B9

Mr. Noël:

Thank you for your letters on behalf of the District Education Council for the Anglophone West School District, all dated May 26, 2015, expressing the intention of the Anglophone West School District to conduct sustainability studies in the next year. Your letters also include requests for exemptions for schools identified as being the subject of sustainability studies, according to *Policy 409 - Multi-year planning of school infrastructure*.

Following the analysis presented by the District, I want to inform you of the decision of the Department of Education and Early Childhood Development for the exemption requests submitted:

- McAdam High School - *Exemption Approved (1 year)*
- Doaktown Elementary School - *Exemption Approved (1 year)*
- Upper Miramichi Elementary School - *Exemption Approved (1 year)*
- McAdam Avenue School - *Exemption Approved (1 year)*
- Gagetown School - *Exemption Approved (1 year)*
- Chipman Forest Avenue School - *Exemption Approved (1 year)*

While your initial letter requested an exemption for Burton Elementary School, you subsequently informed me, in a letter dated June 12, 2015, of your decisions to conduct a sustainability study on that school.

Thank you for your continued efforts in regards to the recent work involving the sustainability of schools.

Sincerely,



Hon. Serge Rousselle, Q.C.
Minister

C. Mr. David McTimoney, Superintendent, Anglophone West School District
Ms. Rachel Dion, Acting Director, Policy and Legislative Affairs

