

17<sup>th</sup> May 2023

Dear

## **ATISN 17407 National Transgender Guidance for Schools and Local Authorities**

### **Information requested**

Thank you for your request which I received on 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023. You asked for any information held by the Welsh Government which fits the following descriptions:

1. Information on which Welsh Government departments, groups, divisions or teams are involved in the development of the above guidance. (The Action Owner only is mentioned in the Action Plan).
2. Information on which external organisations, public bodies, groups and/or individuals are currently involved in the development of the above guidance.
3. Information on the process of consultation on the draft guidance, including which groups, organisations, bodies and/or individuals have been or are currently engaged in providing advice and commenting on the proposed content and scope of the proposed guidance.
4. Information on the proposed timetable for publication of the draft guidance, any proposed public consultation, and the publication and dissemination of the final guidance.
5. Information on Welsh Government's engagement on this issue with the Department for Education in England, which is developing counterpart guidance for English schools, as part of the process of developing the national guidance for Wales.

### **Our response**

A copy of the information I have decided to release is enclosed.

### **Next steps**

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,  
Welsh Government,  
Cathays Park,  
Cardiff,  
CF10 3NQ

or Email: [Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales](mailto:Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales)

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office,  
Wycliffe House,  
Water Lane,  
Wilmslow,  
Cheshire,  
SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely