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18th December 1992  
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Dear Mr Marais,

Further to your letter of 14th October regarding the request from the IEB that the Government make available suitable facilities for necessary office and other accommodation

for the IEB, we were very grateful to receive Dr H J F Stone's letter of 8th December in which he informed us of the decision to make the Hoerskool D F Malan available to other educational institutions, according to prescribed procedures. We would very much like to consider occupying the D F Malan premises.

At the request of the Committee of University Principals we have now taken over the examining functions of the Joint Matriculation Board and will be conducting our first Std 10

examination at the end of 1993. Work with regard to the setting and moderating of these papers is now at an advanced stage.

We will also be setting an adult basic and a comprehensive Std 7 examination in 1994. The conducting of these examinations has been carefully and thoroughly discussed between Dr Johan Garbers and Mr David Adler (the National Director of the IEB). We note that with regard to the D F Malan premises we are required to deal with the Department of Local Government, Housing and Works, and I have therefore asked David Adler to contact Mr Gordon Verster of that Department.

Dr. Stonels letter also lists four schools that are still under consideration by the Department

of Education and Training for Model D status. Of these schools I have a particular interest

in Edith Hinds and the Bramley Primary schools, in both cases in my capacity as Chairman of the Batlagae Trust.

You will recall that I wrote to you recently asking you to meet members of the Batlagae Trust to discuss the use of the Edith Hinds buildings as a commercial-technical high school.

We are looking forward to meeting with you in this regard.

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Concerning Bramley Primary School, the Batlagae Trust is particularly interested in adapting this school to the use of children from nearby Alexandra Township. We would be particularly interested in setting up a Model D community school. Thank you for the consideration shown us both with regard to the IE3 and the Batlagae Trust. We are looking forward to working with you and your colleagues and your continued active support in promoting important educational initiatives for the children of our country.

With best wishes  
; Yours sincerely  
M A S Corke  
CHAIRMAN