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Dear Georgina

INTERIM EXECUTIVE BOARD FOR Middle Street Primary School [Brighton and Hove]

Thank you for your recent application to the Secretary of State seeking consent to the appointment of an Interim Executive Board (IEB) at Middle Street Primary School.

This application has been approved and the proposed members as noted below may formally take up their responsibilities, with immediate effect:

- 1. Anne Allison
- 2. Ashley Seymour-Williams
- 3. Rachel Burstow
- 4. Shellev Baker
- 5. Rachel Kershaw
- 6. Louise Hoten
- 7. Kate Vallance

We would recommend that the IEB is in place for no longer than a year and suggest reviewing the arrangements in the spring term 2025 with a view to moving to a long-term governance option once the school's long-term viability is assured. I am copying this letter to Deb Austen, Director of Families, Children & Learning Services, Richard Barker, Head of Education, Anne Alison, Chair of the IEB and Ofsted.

Yours sincerely,

Dame Kate Dethridge

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