

QUESTION PURSUANT TO RULE 11 OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE

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To	President, Committee <i>for</i> Education, Sport & Culture
Subject	Validation at the Grammar School & Sixth Form Centre
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Question 1

It is little understood by those who are not teachers exactly how much extra work, stress and anxiety are generated in the run up to and during a school validation.

In the context of the decision to carry out a validation at the Grammar School & Sixth Form Centre and given that the staff are already undergoing a period of increased tension and uncertainty brought about by the reorganisation which is under way; could the President please inform the States what extra resources, if any, have been allocated to allow for possible teaching staff counselling and/or sick-leave cover.