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Dear Colleague

SALARY PROGRESSION FOR EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGIST TRAINEES

The Joint Secretaries have been asked to clarify salary progression for educational psychologists who have completed the probationary period.

During probation educational psychologists are placed on the Inductee point of the educational psychologists salary scale. Following successful completion of probation the educational psychologists shall:

- (i) seek Chartered Educational Psychologist status from the British Psychological Society, based on evidence from the Principal Educational Psychologist
- (ii) assume the full range of duties of an educational psychologist.

In accordance with the provisions of SNCT/19 the educational psychologist cannot move to Scale Point 1 until chartered by BPS. However salary should be backdated to the date on which, the probationary period having been signed off by the Principal Educational Psychologist, the educational psychologist assumes the full range of duties of the post.

Yours sincerely

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