



**MEMORANDUM**

**TO :** CLUSTER MANAGEMENT  
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**FROM :** DDG: EDUCATION DISTRICT COORDINATION & IOM  
**SUBJECT :** 1<sup>st</sup> TRANCHE 2022/23 NORMS & STANDARDS TRANSFER  
PAYMENTS TO INDEPENDENT SCHOOLS (IS)  
**DATE :** 17 MAY 2022

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Dear Colleagues,

1. The department started the process for effecting the 1<sup>st</sup> Tranche payments to Independent Schools (IS) in early April 2022. This communicate serves to inform the relevant stakeholders that plans are on track to make the final 1<sup>st</sup> tranche payments totaling R73 million in the BAS run scheduled for next Tuesday 24 May 2022. Schools can therefore expect its funds to be in the school bank accounts by latest 27 May 2022. Notwithstanding this, the department officials are pooling resources to expedite an earlier transfer date.
2. The main reason for the delay was caused by the reworking of the final calculations and preparation of the final indicative letters to schools which reflected the increase of the budget allocated to Independent schools from R 105 million to R 57 million as well as the logistical and administrative matters that accompanies this process.
3. Also note that EMIS will be sharing the final indicative letters to schools by latest 17 May 2022 and will also place these letters on the department's sharepoint drive. The path will be emailed to all relevant stakeholders.



4. Please note that schools are required to direct all enquiries on indicative allocations through the relevant circuit managers and district officials.

Yours sincerely,

  
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DDG: EDC & IOM (ACTING)

DATE: 18.05.2022