

NOTE FOR THE RECORD

cc Professor Griffiths

**SIX MONTHLY MONITORING MEETINGS ON EDUCATION**

Following my letter of 20 May to Tom Jeffery at DES we have discussed the arrangements for six monthly monitoring meetings on the progress achieved on admission of pupils to maintained schools and other key aspects of the education changes.

Kenneth Baker would much prefer these meetings to be on a bilateral basis with the Prime Minister without other colleagues present. I said I saw no objection to this, particularly if no other members of E(EP) expressed an interest. We agreed that the first meeting might be in the early autumn, and be preceded by Kenneth Baker sending in a paper.

*BFH*  
Could CF please arrange for this note to be brought forward in early September.

*AGG.*

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