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Delegated Representative  
The Canberra Montessori Society Inc.  
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Dear Mr ██████████

**Notification of suspension of assessment and rating**

SERVICE NAME	Canberra Montessori School
SERVICE APPROVAL NUMBER	SE-00009761

Children's Education and Care Assurance has commenced the assessment and rating process with your service in accordance with regulation 63 of the *Education and Care Services National Regulations (National Regulations)*.

As a result of actions outlined in the decision to issue a compliance notice, issued on 23 November 2020, the rating assessment has been suspended under Section 137 of the National Law. This Section states: -

**137 Suspension of rating assessment**

- (1) This section applies in respect of a rating assessment of an approved education and care service if the assessment has not been completed and—
- (a) the provider approval or the service approval for the service is suspended or cancelled; or
  - (b) a compliance notice has been given to the approved provider in respect of the service; or
  - (c) a notice has been given under section 179 in respect of the service; or
  - (d) an action has been taken under section 189 in respect of a child or children being educated and cared for by the service.

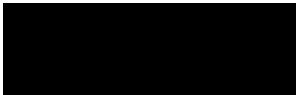
In this case the provider – The Canberra Montessori Society Incorporated - has been served a compliance notice in respect of the service Canberra Montessori School (SE-00009761).

The Regulatory Authority will provide notice of the outcome of the rating assessment under Section 136 of the National Law within 60 days after—

- (a) the end of the final period for review of the decision or action referred to in subsection (1); or
- (b) if that review is sought, the determination of the review.

If you have any questions about the suspension of the assessment and rating process, please contact Children’s Education and Care Assurance on (02) 6207 1114.

Yours sincerely



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