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The Rt Hon Nicholas Edwards MP

*From The Secretary of State for Wales*

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Thank you for copying to me your letter of 21 February to Keith Joseph about an extension of TVEI from a pilot to a national scheme.

I agree that it is right to proceed on the basis you propose, particularly in the light of our White Paper on "Education and Training for Young People" from which you quote.

Like you, I consider that TVEI is helping to respond to a need for technical, practical and vocational studies for certain pupils and I welcome the suggested extension with MSC funding.

I agree too that details could be worked up by a group of officials and I am glad that the Welsh Office will be invited to participate.

Copies of this letter go to the Prime Minister, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the Chancellor of the Duchy, the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Secretary of State for Education and Science.

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