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Miss Odelia Leung
Clerk to Panel
Panel on Education
Legislative Council
8 Jackson Road
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Dear Miss Leung,

Panel on Education
Recurrent Funding for the Hong Kong Institute of Education
For the 2008-09 roll-over year

Thank you for your letter of 11 December 2007.

As indicated in the letter, the recommended recurrent grants for our Institute for the 2008/09 roll-over year stands at \$479.8 million. This figure is slightly more than what we were allocated for 2007/08 and it is more than our planning estimate. We have been given to understand that this improvement is partly attributable to the Institute's improved performance in the Research Assessment Exercise conducted in 2006.

The Institute is grateful for this recognition based on its enhanced research capacity and we expect that the same consideration would apply to the allocation of recurrent funding in the next triennium.

Yours sincerely,

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Acting President