
From:

Sent: 26 July 2022 09:09

To:

Cc:

Subject: Re: ELC - Pear Tree- West Road CASE TAG: RCN-27482-CS2018363682

Folks

Please keep me posted on any further correspondence on this and also can you ensure the CI are aware they are going to be invited to a meeting. Thanks.

Best Wishes

Executive Director of Education and Children's Services
East Lothian Council.

On 26 Jul 2022, at 08:34,

wrote:

FYI

From:
Sent: 25 July 2022 18:16
To:

Subject: FW: ELC - Pear Tree- West Road CASE TAG: RCN-27482-CS2018363682

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Hi

With reference to our recent communication regarding the Care Inspectorate response to the decision taken by Pear Tree Nurseries Limited to cease the placement for children. My understanding from the managing director is that their understanding is, an inspector from the Care Inspectorate supported the decision. As you are aware these decisions are for the provider to make and not for the Care Inspectorate.

We have been unable to have a discussion with the inspector to date, however plan to do so this week.

Please give me a call if you wish to discuss.

Team Manager (Inspection)
Early Learning and Childcare 5

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From:
Sent: 21 July 2022 15:42
To:
Cc:
Subject: RE: ELC - Pear Tree- West Road CASE TAG: RCN-27482-CS2018363682

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Hi
I met with representatives from Pear Tree Nurseries Limited this morning to discuss another matter. We would be grateful if you could keep us updated in relation to

the funding and if finding is removed or not continued the plans in place for the children affected.

Team Manager Inspection
Early Learning and Childcare 5

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From:
Sent: 21 July 2022 11:46
To:
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Subject: RE: ELC - Pear Tree- West Road

Thank you for responding and I am reassured with your action.

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Sent: 21 July 2022 11:43
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Thank you

I managed to speak with this morning as well as

I would like to take this opportunity to confirm the Care Inspectorate, at no point advised we were supportive of any child's placement being removed. I spoke with at 19:00 last night and advised I was concerned about the approach taken and highlighted the responsibility of staff and the provider to meet the individual needs of children.

I have arranged a meeting with the director today regarding another matter and I will raise this with

Team Manager (Inspection)
Early Learning and Childcare 5

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From:
Sent: 21 July 2022 11:36
To:
Cc:
Subject: ELC - Pear Tree- West Road
Importance: High

Dear

I know you have spoken to my colleague [redacted] regarding our partner provider Pear Tree [redacted]. I have become involved in the absence of [redacted] is who on annual leave.

It is my opinion that they have been discriminated against as a result of their disability.

I wish to share this email trail with you to highlight the claim by the managing director of the organisation regarding the Care Inspectorates support of this action.

Kind regards,

Education Service Manager - Inclusion & Wellbeing
Principal Educational Psychologist

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