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NATIONAL PRIORITIES:**LOCAL IMPROVEMENT OBJECTIVES 2005/06 - CONSULTATION**

The Standards in Scotland's Schools etc Act 2000 requires the Education Authority, subsequent to appropriate consultation with representative groups, to prepare and publish an annual statement of education improvement objectives. The objectives are expected to be set with due regard for the national priorities and with reference to appropriate measures of performance.

In order to assist with the task of drafting the LIOs for 2005/6 it would be helpful if you could indicate possible initiatives relating to your own area of work which you would identify as suitable for inclusion in the LIOs for 2005/6. (This is another way of saying 'Are you planning anything for next year which you would want to include in the LIOs'.) You may care to use the attached pro-forma to facilitate your response to this consultation. However, should you wish to respond in another way please feel free to do so. This request has also gone out to all schools.

Please contact me if you wish to have more information on this. It would be helpful to have your response to this consultation by **24TH September 2004**.

Leis gach dùrachd

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