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CC: Palso Members

Pearson Test of English exam delivery

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Dear Palso Member,

I am writing to update you about our decision to withdraw from discussions with the PALSO Federation for delivery of our Pearson Test of English General examinations.

Pearson and our new PTE Partner for Greece were keen to find a mutually agreeable solution where all parties benefited. It is disappointing that the Federation have not been willing to participate with our new partner and agree terms consistent with previous arrangements.

For this reason, I confirm Universal Certification Solutions (Unicert), part of the established Europroodos Group and licensed by E.O.P.P.E.P, E.S.Y.D, EQA, ISO/IEC, as our exclusive partner for the distribution and delivery of Pearson Test of English General examinations in Greece. They will deliver our May exam series on 21st and 22nd of May without disruption.

We will of course make sure that all learner certificates are issued for the December 2015 exam session and that no learner is disadvantaged through this transition period.

On a general note, we appreciate the support offered by Palso and its members during the last 12 years. We would like to reassure you that both Pearson and Unicert are committed to continue working with every single school throughout the country, supporting you, your teachers and your learners.

With our dedicated teams from the Pearson Regional Office, Klairy Petraki & Ioanna Chalkia, as well as the Unicert team, we will engage directly with the regions, starting with our Seminar Tour organised for the 15th-19th of February 2016 (invitation attached).

Looking forward to working with you.

Yours sincerely

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