

Executive Headteacher: Ms Sarah Jane Bellerby

Mulberry Wood Wharf Primary Jack Dash House 2 Lawn House Close London E14 9YO

T 020 8713 0183

mulberrywoodwharf@mulberryschoolstrust.org www.mulberrywoodwharf.org

3rd March 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

I follow on from my earlier communication on 24th February 2023 regarding the incident which took place on Wednesday 22nd February 2023. Mulberry Wood Wharf Primary takes any incident in the school seriously, and always puts the welfare and safeguarding of our pupils first. We fully acknowledge the concerns that have been raised by some of you since. This event was a highly unusual situation, as such requires a review on for which we have taken independent advice from the appropriate body.

The school has taken immediate measures in reviewing our safeguarding protocols in relation to the temporary school site. We have also reviewed our internal practices maintaining the safety of your children. The school has sought independent advice and recommendations of specialised advisors, and additional processes have been put in place to ensure the continual safeguarding of all our pupils.

A review is now being managed independently and so we are unable to comment further on the incident. I wish to assure you that our top priority will remain your children, and by regularly reviewing our practices, I hope that you will be assured that we will continue to provide the best care and education for them all.

We will provide further information once a review has concluded, should it be necessary.

Yours sincerely,

S. Seur

Sarah Jane Bellerby Executive Headteacher

