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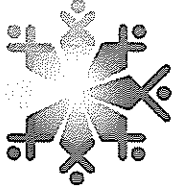
**LETTER CIRCULAR**

**Information:** X **Date:** 20 February 2014  
**Action Required:** X **Ref:** DES 12/2014  
**To:** All Heads of School (State and Non-State) and Sections  
**From:** Director General, Educational Services **Tel:** 2598 2404  
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**Subject: Children as promoters of Children's Rights**

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Kindly view attached communication regarding Children as promoters of Children's Rights from Mrs Helen D'Amato, Commissioner for Children.

**George Borg**  
**Director General**  
**Directorate for Educational Services**



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Office of the Commissioner for Children

20<sup>th</sup> February 2014

To: **All Heads of School (State and Non-State)**

From: **The Office of the Commissioner for Children**

Subject: **Children as promoters of Children's Rights**

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In recent years, the Office of the Commissioner for Children has set up a prize that aims at highlighting the efforts of the children themselves in standing up to defend the rights of other children.

This prize will again be awarded to a student in Year 4, 5 or 6 of each participating Primary School and to a student in any Form of the participating Secondary Schools. The students that are chosen to receive this prize would have distinguished themselves as promoters of Children's Rights, which means that they would have helped other children to attain or safeguard their rights.

It would be greatly appreciated if the Heads of Schools would inform this Office of their interest in awarding such a prize at the annual celebration/prize day of their School. The book prize will be provided by this Office and the only requisite is that, during the ceremony, the reason why the prize is being awarded, would be read out. This would help further promote Children's Rights among children, parents and educators.

Those interested may contact Ms Cynthia Sammut by phone on 21485180 or by emailing her at [cynthia.sammut@gov.mt](mailto:cynthia.sammut@gov.mt) at least one month prior to Celebration/Prize Day.

Thank you for your collaboration

*Helen D'Amato*

Mrs Helen D'Amato  
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