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**To: the Chair of Governors of Hurworth School  
Darlington Local Authority**

### **ACADEMY ORDER**

1. This is an Academy Order made further to section 4 of the Academies Act 2010.
2. I hereby order that on the conversion date Hurworth School shall be converted into an Academy.
3. The conversion date shall be the date that the Academy opens as a school further to and as provided for in Academy arrangements made further to section 1 of the Academies Act 2010.
4. On the conversion date Darlington Local Authority shall cease to maintain Hurworth School.
5. The independent school standards (as defined in section 157(2) of the Education Act 2002) are to be treated as met in relation to the Academy on the conversion date.

Signed on behalf of the Secretary of State for Education by:

Signed:.....  ..... Date: 25 January 2011

**Lord Hill of Oareford**  
**Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Schools**