Westminster SEN EHE FOI Response February 2013

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - INFORMATION REQUEST

a/the total number of children in your authority with a statement of SEN: **850**b/the number of home educated children in your authority with a statement of SEN: **TWO**c/the number of home educated children of primary age with a statement of SEN: **ONE**d/the number of home educated children of secondary age with a statement of SEN: **ONE**e/the number of statements for home educated children categorised as having "moderate learning difficulty" (if the authority has a banding system, please could you indicate the number of home educated children within the relevant statement bands) **NONE**f/the number of statements for home educated children with physical disabilities: **NONE**g/the number of statements for home educated children with speech, language and communication needs: **NONE**

h/the number of statements for home educated children with autism spectrum disorders **TWO**

i/the number of statements for home educated children with severe or complex learning difficulties (if the authority has a banding system, please could you indicate the number of home educated children within the relevant statement bands) **NONE**

j/the number of home educated children with a statement of SEN who formerly attended a special school (if known) **TWO**

k/the number of children with a statement of SEN who started home education during the calendar year 2012 **ONE**

I/the number of children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 2 years **NONE**

m/the number of home educated children with a statement of SEN who have been home educated for more than 5 years **NONE**

n/the number of children with a statement of SEN who ceased to be home educated during the calendar year 2012 because they started to attend school **NONE**

2/Within your authority - not including the provision of assessments/reports for the annual review of the statement of SEN - do home educated children have access to any of the following:

a/educational psychology service No, nor specifically to other pupils unless undergoing statutory assessment

b/occupational therapy services and equipment Yes, if stated in Part 3 of the statement c/speech and language therapy Yes, if stated in Part 5 of the statement d/CAMHS Yes

3/Does the authority have a specific policy with regard to provision of services and support listed in Part 3 of the statement when a child with a statement of SEN is home educated? If yes, could you please summarise the policy, for example if the authority does not make provision available when a child is home educated **No**

4/How many home educated children with a statement of SEN will be entered on the Alternative Provision Census under the category Not a School, for SEN support (deadline Thursday January 17th **NONE**