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Dear Mr Hewens

As an employer in the landbased sector, supporting the rural economy we recognise the following qualifications as being fit for purpose:

500/9449/X	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)
500/9448/8	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)
500/9450/6	Pearson BTEC Level 3 Certificate in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)
51870	Pearson BTEC Level 3 90-credit Diploma in Forestry and Arboriculture (QCF)

We recognise these qualifications as developing and confirming specialist knowledge and skills in the sector, to a standard that can be reasonably expected of an 18 year old in full time education. The qualifications will give students an advantage when applying for related jobs, apprenticeships or training.

Yours sincerely

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BTEC National Diploma in Forestry (Newton Rigg College 1994-1996)

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