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To Whom it May Concern

Dear Sir/Madam

As a membership organisation with members who are employers within the sector I would like to offer my support for the following qualifications as meeting the sector needs and expectations for learners in the 16-19 age range:

Qualification Accreditation Number (QAN)	Qualification Title
600/4644/1	BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Vehicle Technology
600/4644/1	BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma in Vehicle Technology (Motorsports)
600/4646/X	BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Technology
600/4646/X	BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Vehicle Technology (Motorsports)
600/4328/3	BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Vehicle Technology
600/4328/3	BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma in Vehicle Technology (Motorsports)
501/0193/6	BTEC Level 3 Diploma in Light Vehicle Maintenance & Repair Principles

The content within these qualifications prepares the learners for a career in our sector by providing the core competencies of the role alongside a range of options.

The qualifications develop many of the skills needed in the workplace and I support them for inclusion in the school and college performance tables for 16-19 year olds.

Yours sincerely



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