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Dear Ms. Fagan,

Re: Support for the VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (QCF) (601/5791/4)

The British Association of Beauty Therapy and Cosmetology (BABTAC) is representative of the VTCT qualification mentioned below, we have reviewed this qualification and the outcome of our review is as follows:

BABTAC recognises that this qualification leads to the specific job role of:

- Hair and beauty apprentice assistant

The VTCT Level 2 Diploma in Hair and Beauty Skills (QCF) is suitable for preparing learners to progress to hair or beauty apprenticeships in an assisting role in the salon, as it helps to develop the basic techniques and skills that are required to work on clients when providing hairdressing and beauty therapy services. This qualification equips learners with basic knowledge and skills from both the hairdressing and beauty therapy sectors, enabling them to choose to progress to an apprenticeship in a hair and beauty salon.

BABTAC members value this qualification because they employ apprentices and are apprenticeship providers, BABTAC members will be assured that holders of this qualification will have the skills and knowledge required to progress to an apprenticeship in an assisting role in a hair and beauty salon.

BABTAC is of the view that this qualification is ideal for preparing learners for a hair and beauty apprenticeship and we strongly recommend that the SFA fund this qualification for adults for this purpose.

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BABTAC consents to the publication of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

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