



Ms Emma McKay 1 Giltspur Street London EC1A 9DD

Thursday 14th July 2016

Dear Emma,

The Federation of Holistic Therapists provides its support as a professional industry body within the beauty therapy and complementary healthcare sector, as we feel the following qualification is suitable for a young person studying between the ages of 16-19 and will give that young person an advantage when applying for a job.

We would like to provide our support to City and Guilds, as a Professional Association for beauty, nails, spa, hair, make-up and complementary therapies industry, we feel that the following qualification is suitable for a young person between the ages of 16-19 studying full time and will give that young person an advantage when going on to applying for a job or progressing onto further education or training.

## City and Guilds Level 2 Technical Certificate in Nail Treatments

We believe this qualification is suitable for someone wanting to work as a Nail Technician and as such is recognised by the industry.

As a qualified Nail Technician the industry will require that all the necessary level 2 skills are covered. The following qualification allows the learner to gain these essential skills and knowledge:

- Anatomy and Physiology for hands and feet
- Introduction to working in the Nail Industry
- Nail Enhancements (Clear)
- Nail Art services
- Manicure services
- Pedicure services
- Light cured gel polish

We feel that once the learner has gained this qualification which covers a sound understanding and key practical skills for the nail industry they could take the position as a:

Nail Technician

We confirm that we consent to our company name (and logo) being made publicly available on the DfE and City and Guilds websites.

Yours sincerely

Julie McFadden

Registrar and Compliance Manager

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For and on behalf of the Federation of Holistic Therapists