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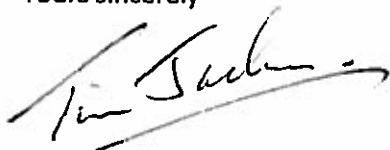
Dear Matt

It is come to my attention that the Level 4 Work Based Diploma in Agricultural Business Management qualification is likely to be discontinued. Whilst Sparsholt College does not currently offer this qualification, I firmly believe that it is a qualification which has a tremendous amount of relevance to the industry.

You will probably be aware that Sparsholt College, along with many other Landex colleges, is seeking to establish the National Land-Based College as an important entity within the continuing professional development of those who have completed their full-time study at a land-based college. It is likely that the provision will be on a part-time or block release basis and, as you can imagine, the Level 4 Work Based Diploma in Agricultural Business Management would appear to be an ideal component in supporting that ambition.

Consequently, I would be grateful if you could register my strong support for this qualification to be continued for the future.

Yours sincerely



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