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Dear Susie

Test Valley Trout comprises 4 trout farms in Hampshire and Berkshire and has 14 employees. We regularly provide work placement opportunities for L3 Fish Management students and have recently recruited into permanent positions from our local land based college.

We would like to support the following City and Guilds qualification:

City & Guilds Level 3 Advanced Technical Extended Diploma in Land & Wildlife Management (Fisheries) (1080)

For the Fisheries pathway, we support the following skills and knowledge being provided by:

- Working safely in the fisheries industry
- · Work placement in a fisheries business
- · Prepare and operate land-based machinery
- Water quality
- Fish biology
- Fish health

The inclusion of optional units such as Salmonid farming, Freshwater and wetland management, River fishery management and Aquatic ecology ensure that potential employees entering our business have the appropriate level of understanding and practical skills that are required.

A young person with the above practical skills and knowledge could be at an advantage in applying for roles within the industry such as:

- Fish farm worker
- Fish health technician
- Progressing to Higher Education in Aquaculture to progress to employment in fish farm management, fish breeding and genetics, fish farm development.

We support the development of this City and Guilds Technical qualification and feel that it is fit for purpose across the Land & Wildlife industries.

We confirm that we consent to our companyname (and logo) being made publicly available on the City & Guilds website.

Yours sincerely,

C G Saunders-Davies

Director