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Mr Jerry Voinquel  
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Dear Jerry

### **Letter of recognition for City & Guilds qualifications**

Northern Gas delivers gas to 2.7 million homes and businesses in the North East, Northern Cumbria and much of Yorkshire through a vast network of underground pipes.

As an employer in the Industry we recognise the following qualifications as being suitable for someone who works or wants to work in the many specialist roles within the Gas Network industry. These are all based upon the National Occupational Standards developed by Industry.

600/1311/4 Level 1 Certificate in Network Construction Operations (Gas)  
600/1534/2 Level 2 Diploma in Network Construction Operations (Gas) - Main Layer  
600/1535/4 Level 2 Diploma in Network Construction Operations (Gas) - Service Layer  
601/2739/9 Level 3 Diploma in Gas Network Construction Operations

These qualifications provide the skills and knowledge required to gain a sound understanding and practical skills for the Gas Network Industry for the following roles:

Gas Main Layer – Self Lay  
Gas Main Layer – Distribution  
Gas Main Layer - Repair and Maintenance  
Gas Service Layer - Self Lay  
Gas Service Layer - Distribution  
Gas Service Layer - Repair and Maintenance  
Craftsperson  
Technician  
Network Technician  
Senior Network Technician  
Maintenance Engineer  
Network Service Engineer

Yours sincerely,

Dennis Langham

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