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Dear Charlotte Bosworth

Letter of initial endorsement for the OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical

As the national academy for engineering, we endorse the qualifications listed below,

- 601/4600/X OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Foundation Diploma in Engineering (VRQ)
 - Electrical and Electronic Engineering pathway
 - Mechanical Engineering and Design pathway
 - Manufacturing pathway
 - Automation, Systems and Control pathway

- 601/4599/7 OCR Level 3 Cambridge Technical Diploma in Engineering (VRQ)
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We believe that these qualifications provide the right level of competence, meeting the needs of business in developing the next generation of engineering talent.

For our engineering businesses, these qualifications will play an important role in providing appropriate knowledge and skills in engineering technicians at the appropriate standard to meet the needs of 21st century industry. For 18 year olds, the qualifications also provide clear progression to higher level qualifications and employment opportunities, enabling them to develop their competencies, development and progression in the workplace.

We are happy for OCR to use this letter in support of its work with the relevant governmental departments and regulatory authorities, to ensure that these valuable qualifications can be offered.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, consisting of a stylized 'R' followed by a long horizontal line that tapers to the right.

Rhys Morgan
Director of Engineering and Education