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Dear Ms Bosworth,

Re: 603/0371/2 OCR Level 2 Cambridge Technical Certificate in IT &
603/0373/6 OCR Level 2 Cambridge Technical Diploma in IT

CompTIA is the voice of the world's information technology (IT) industry. As a non-profit trade association, we advance the global interests of IT professionals and IT channel organisations and enable them to be more successful with industry-leading IT certifications and IT business credentials, IT education, resources and the ability to connect with like-minded, leading IT industry experts. We have an active, vibrant membership community here in the UK and work across multiple initiatives to support the skills development of the IT workforce.

We support the submission of this qualification, as OCR continue to signpost to industry recognised certification within their qualifications to support the needs of learners seeking employment in the IT sector. I can confirm that you have consulted with CompTIA during the development of the qualification and the units making up the pathways listed below:

603/0371/2 OCR Level 2 Cambridge Technical Certificate in IT

- Digital Administrator Pathway

603/0373/6 OCR Level 2 Cambridge Technical Diploma in IT

- IT Technical Practitioner Pathway
- Digital Software Practitioner Pathway
- Digital Business Practitioner Pathway

We believe that these qualifications cover the required skills, understanding and knowledge expected of a 17/18-year-old entering employment in the IT industry and that the skills and knowledge the students will develop when taking these qualifications will act as a basis for progression.

We confirm that a student completing these qualifications would develop specialist knowledge and skills at a level expected for a 17/18-year-old starting work in the IT industry and would stand them in good stead when applying for relevant jobs or Apprenticeships in each pathway.

Yours sincerely,

Graham Hunter
Vice President, Skills Certification - Europe & Middle East