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To City & Guilds,

We The British Association of Landscape Industries (BALI) is the UK's largest representative trade association for the landscaping sector. With a membership of over 770 members employing almost 90,000 staff and a combined turnover of £5bn BALI members make up a large section of the industry.

As a Professional Body within the Horticulture industry, we would like to provide our support to City & Guilds. We feel that the following qualification is suitable for a young person between the ages of 16-19 studying full time, and will give that young person an advantage when applying for a job or progressing onto an apprenticeship or further learning

We, BALI support the inclusion of:

- City & Guilds Level 2 Diploma in Practical Horticulture Skills 601/1070/3

on the DfE 2017 performance tables in the substantial vocational qualifications at level 2 category. We feel the progression opportunities into employment are

- Gardner
- Garden Centre Worker
- Nursery Worker
- Parks Worker

We confirm that we consent to our company name (and logo) being made publicly available on the DfE and City & Guilds websites.

Yours sincerely

Wayne Grills  
Chief Operations Officer  
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