

Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2025

Dear Jason,

On behalf of Castle Climate Control Ltd, I am pleased to offer our endorsement for Northampton College's application to achieve recognition as a Construction Technical Excellence College (CTEC).

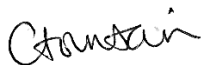
Northampton College has demonstrated remarkable growth and success in its Construction provision. The College's commitment to a comprehensive approach, including heritage skills and MMC, and its strategic location for both regional and national connections, positions it to significantly impact the Construction skills sector now and in the future.

The College collaborates with employers, including ourselves, and partners to design programmes that not only equip students with high-quality construction skills but also foster core transferrable skills. This holistic approach ensures that students can apply their knowledge to diverse projects and contexts.

By working with other colleges, community groups, and employers, the College provides a range of learning activities that prepare students to excel in the construction workforce. Notably, students achieve high success rates and progress to high-quality, valuable careers in the construction industry.

As such, we are pleased to endorse Northampton's College proposal to become a Construction Technical Excellence College and we have great confidence in its ability to be able to make a substantial contribution to the skills and workforce across the construction industry both regionally and nationally. We would be pleased to work with Northampton College, if successful, to support the objectives of the Construction Technical Excellence College programme.

Yours sincerely,



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