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Publication of the T level Action Plan

I last wrote to you following the speech on 6 July by the Secretary of State for Education, Justine Greening, to the British Chambers of Commerce Education Summit.

I'm really pleased to be writing to you again to tell you that we have published the T level Action Plan today. This will give you more detail on our plans for introducing technical education reform, and T levels in particular. I really look forward to working with you to develop and deliver the reforms. The plan sets out opportunities for those who want to be involved and contribute.

You can access the Action Plan via the following link:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/post-16-skills-plan-and-independent-report-on-technical-education>

It sets out recent progress and our plans for the coming months, specifically:

- How T levels fit within the wider education landscape, what they are and who they are for. It confirms that T levels will be offered at level 3.
- A high level timetable for implementation, confirming which T level routes and pathways will be delivered when, and by whom
- Next steps on the development of key elements of the programme
- Confirmation that qualifications will be offered under exclusive licensing
- An announcement that we have formally convened T level Panels, made up of employers, professional bodies and providers, to develop outline content for the new qualifications

I would like to encourage you to consider how you can respond to the reforms to technical education and what the implications will be for you – whether you are an employer, provider, awarding organisation or any other organisation with an interest.

We will continue to keep in touch with you frequently, through events and

activities outlined in the Action Plan and monthly newsletters. If you have any questions, please contact us at technical.education@education.gov.uk.

Many thanks for your continued interest and involvement with the technical education reforms; as I said in July we are looking forward to working with you on the development of T levels and their implementation to make sure they are a success.

With best wishes,

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