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Subject: RE: TQFE Determination

Hi [redacted]

I am well thank you, as I hope you are.

Thank you for your email, I am delighted to see that UHI is now listed as a provider of a TQFE programme.

Le Dùrachd / best wishes, [redacted]

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Subject: TQFE Determination

I hope my email finds you well.

We wanted to make you aware that the Determination required to give effect to the decision of the Scottish Ministers to approve the University of Highlands and Islands as a provider of the Teaching Qualification in Further Education, has now been published on the Scottish Government website:

Teaching Qualification (Further Education) (Scotland) Determination 2021 - gov.scot (www.gov.scot)

Kind regards,

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Cc: [redacted] < [redacted] @uhi.ac.uk>

Subject: RE: Outcome of UHI TQFE consultation

Dear [redacted]

Thank you. I am delighted to hear that the Minister has agreed that UHI can become a provider of TQFE. I appreciate that it may take some time to agree the formal wording. It is helpful to be able to tell those starting the programme next week that it has been approved for delivery.

The consultation process has provided us with some useful feedback that we will consider as we work through the first year of the programme.

best wishes, [redacted]

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Cc: [redacted] < [redacted] @uhi.ac.uk>

Subject: RE: Outcome of UHI TQFE consultation

Dear [redacted]

Thanks for your email. Apologies for not getting back to you sooner as I have been on leave.

Following the consultation, the Minister agreed that UHI can become a provider of TQFE. We are currently working on the legal determination part of the process to allow this to happen and hopefully we can get this signed off soon.

The responses that were received have already been published and you can find them here

Published responses for University of the Highlands and Islands Further Education Teaching Programme - Scottish Government - Citizen Space (consult.gov.scot)

The consultation analysis report can be found here

<u>University of the Highlands and Islands - further education teaching programme:</u>

consultation analysis - gov.scot (www.gov.scot)

I hope this answers your question. Let me know if you need anything else

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Cc: [redacted] < [redacted] @uhi.ac.uk>

Subject: Outcome of UHI TQFE consultation

Dear [redacted] and [redacted]

I hope you are both well.

I am picking up on TQFE as we get ready to teach the programme from the 6th of September. Can you let us know when the outcome of this consultation will be published?

best wishes, [redacted]

Cc [redacted], Dean of Faculty for information

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Sent: 02 July 2021 15:27

To: [redacted] <[redacted]@gov.scot>; [redacted] <[redacted]@uhi.ac.uk>

Subject: RE: Consultation

Hi [redacted] — many thanks for this. I hope it is possible to come to a conclusion on this process which for us is now fairly time critical. I met with [redacted] on Wednesday and on Thursday with the UHI-GTCS working group which is chaired by [redacted] and includes [redacted] and some of our college Principals. The group was pleased to see the supportive and positive comments made in the responses you sent us. The attached provides responses to some of the comments which were made. I hope this is useful but please get back with any queries. Many thanks

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Sent: 02 July 2021 11:40

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Subject: RE: Consultation

Dear [redacted]

Please find attached the summary report from the consultation which I hope will be useful. I understand GTCS are in the process of pulling together the analysis for this consultation

Regards

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From: [redacted] <[redacted] @uhi.ac.uk>

Sent: 01 July 2021 08:24

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Subject: RE: Consultation

Hi [redacted] – many thanks for these responses. [redacted] and I met yesterday and [redacted] has provided some written comments, having now gone on leave. We have an internal UHI-GTCS working group which by coincidence meets this morning. Can I ask, on providing some narrative in answer to respondent comments, what is the best way to do this? I can get some comments back to you in the next couple of days.

Many thanks Best wishes [redacted]

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Cc: [redacted]@gov.scot Subject: Consultation

Dear [redacted]

The consultation closed last night and the final number of responses are 14. I have enclosed a few that have given additional comments and are not just yes/no answers. These would probably require some narrative, answer to their comments. Grateful for any help you can provide

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Subject: Consultation - Now Live
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Dear Colleague

Please find below a link to a consultation which has now gone live. Under article 30 of the Public Services Reform (General Teaching Council for Scotland) Order 2011 (the "2011 Order"), it is for the Scottish Ministers to determine what constitutes a recognised teaching qualification for individuals seeking registration as a further education teacher with the General Teaching Council for Scotland.

Before making or changing a determination under article 30, the Scottish Ministers must consult further education institutions or their representatives, GTC Scotland and such other persons appearing to them to have an interest. They must have regard to any views expressed by those consulted in relation to any determination

The purpose of this consultation is to seek views on the proposed further education teaching programme (TQFE) to be delivered by the University of the Highlands and Islands (UHI). The Scottish Ministers are proposing to make a determination under article 30 of the 2011 Order to specify that the UHI course constitutes a recognised

teaching qualification for individuals seeking registration as a further education teacher.

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