

Undertaking given by ETC Awards Ltd (ETCAL) to the Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation (Ofqual), in accordance with Condition B8 of the General Conditions of Recognition, June 2016 (the Conditions).

In the context of:

- i. A change of control taking effect on 19 January 2018; and
- ii. An admission that ETCAL has failed to comply with Condition E7.1, because it has not assigned to each of the qualifications it makes available a number of hours for Total Qualification Time or Guided Learning,

And having agreed to the imposition of additional Conditions (Special Conditions) concerning the review of its arrangements to secure ongoing compliance with the Conditions,

ETCAL will:

1. Before 31 March 2018, assign a number of hours for Total Qualification Time and Guided Learning to each of the qualifications it makes available.

With a view to assuring Ofqual that it has complied with this Undertaking, ETCAL will:

2. On or before 1 April 2018 provide to Ofqual a Statement of Assurance, signed by the Chair of its Governing Body and the responsible officer, confirming that it has completed the actions set out at paragraph 1. of this Undertaking;

In giving this Undertaking, I acknowledge on behalf of ETCAL that:

- (1) Ofqual will publish this Undertaking; and
- (2) Ofqual may take enforcement action in respect of any failure to comply with an Undertaking given to it which may include the issue of a Direction, the imposition of a fine, costs or other such action as it deems appropriate.

Signed..... Date.....

Responsible Officer

Ofqual holds a signed copy of this undertaking dated 23 January 2018