

**Friday 19 May 2017**

**COLLEGE STRIKES SUSPENDED**

College employers and the EIS have today reached a settlement that will see full implementation of the Agreement on pay and conditions reached in March 2016.

Commenting after today's talks with the EIS, a spokesperson for the Colleges Scotland Employers' Association said:

"We are pleased that we've reached an agreement, subject to ratification, which not only means an end to the strikes but also, crucially, ensures that colleges can return to business as usual. This is a positive step forward for everyone involved."

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