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Comment on the National Transition Training Fund

Commenting on the announcement of the National Transition Training Fund by the Minister for Business, Fair Work and Skills, Jamie Hepburn MSP, today (Friday, 27 November 2020), Shona Struthers, Chief Executive of Colleges Scotland, said:

“We welcome the announcement of a National Transition Training Fund which will help people over the age of 25 who are facing redundancy to retrain for a new career and support those looking to get jobs in growth areas. Colleges will play a key role in supporting the projects and will work closely with the Scottish Funding Council and Skills Development Scotland to deliver these and help people get into jobs as quickly as possible.

“Colleges will support the tens of thousands of our people who are going to have to change career, reskill and upskill as a result of the pandemic and contribute to economic recovery.”

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