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Comment on SCDI's Manifesto for Clean Growth

Commenting on the Scottish Council for Development and Industry's (SCDI) Manifesto for Clean Growth, published today (Thursday, 3 December 2020), a spokesperson for Colleges Scotland, said:

"Colleges Scotland was pleased to contribute to the Manifesto for Clean Growth as colleges will be important in ensuring that people have the appropriate skills and training and that industry has the workforce it needs to deliver on this agenda.

"Colleges have always been flexible and responsive to business and economic need and are already delivering green skills such as wind turbine training, smart meter installation and electric vehicle maintenance.

"Our buildings too are also working towards low carbon, with some new college campuses being net zero, and overall, the sector reduced its absolute emissions by 7% from 2017/18 to 2018/19."

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A copy of SCDI's report can be found at <https://www.scdi.org.uk/news-item/scdi-publish-clean-growth-manifesto/>