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Dear Stephen,


Tailor-made: Improving adult careers services in London

Thank you for the letter earlier this year, setting out the London Assembly Economy Committee's recommendation for the London Enterprise Panel (LEP), following the publication of its report *Tailor-made: Improving adult careers services in London*.

We have read the report's findings with interest and are pleased to say that we accept fully the recommendation that the LEP's implementation planning process should champion effective adult careers services in London. We have asked Grant Hearn and Jack Morris as Co-chairs of the LEP's Skills and Employment Working Group to continue their on-going work with the Skills Funding Agency around the procurement of the new National Careers Service, and to ensure that a comprehensive service offer is developed for London through the forthcoming European Structural Investment Fund Strategy for 2014-2020, which LEP officers are in the process of drafting. I understand that Jack and Grant will be writing to you separately with further detail on their work to date.

It is heartening to see that the Committee's vision in this area is so well aligned with the work of the LEP and we look forward to working together to make a real difference to the adult careers services in London.

Yours sincerely,



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