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Dear Derek,

Many thanks for hosting me on my visit to Glasgow Kelvin College on 13 June 2022. It was a pleasure to meet with you, the Chair of College Board, Ian Patrick, and a number of your other colleagues.

The visit gave me a very useful insight into the great work being carried out at your College and I very much enjoyed the opportunity to engage with lecturers, apprentices and senior phase students in the Engineering workshops. The opportunity to see first-hand how the College is supporting the transition to net zero and economic regeneration was particularly welcome.

It was hugely inspiring to hear from your colleagues and members of the local community about the impact the Glasgow Kelvin College Community Hub is having locally. I greatly enjoyed the opportunity to hear about the range of courses and activities on offer and how these are equipping people from the local community with vital skills and progression routes.

I also valued the opportunity to hear from you and Ian Patrick about the College's vision and priorities, as well as some the challenges the College is facing, and I look forward to continued discussion on these issues.

Once again, thank you for the opportunity for this enjoyable and informative visit and I wish you and Glasgow Kelvin College all the best wishes for the future.

I am copying this correspondence to Bob Doris MSP for his awareness.

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