Appendix 13
(Mandatory)

Eligibility Confirmation for Modern Apprenticeship Enhanced Funding (Disabled/Care Experienced MAs 20-29 years)

The Modern Apprenticeship Programme (MA Programme) is funded by The Skills Development Scotland Co. Ltd (“SDS”).

SDS recognises that disabled people and/or those who are care experienced can face challenges on their career journeys therefore MA Programme Training Providers recruiting disabled people and/or care experienced young people aged 20 to 29 years will receive the highest level of MA Programme funding contribution for the framework chosen. For the Provider to be able to claim this funding they require the MAs they are claiming this for to be first time entrants to the MA Programme. Participants must complete this form and Providers must upload the completed form to FIPS. The Enhanced Funding for MA - Guidance document is available on apprenticeships.scot.

If you believe that you would describe yourself as disabled &/or care experienced as described in Part A and/or in part B, please initial the relevant boxes and sign Part C. If you are not sure whether or not to complete it or you do not understand something ask your Provider for more details and help or contact SDS at MAEquality@sds.co.uk

Part A: Disability

Do you have a disability, health condition or learning difficulty expected to last 12 months or more? Please initial Yes or No below:

| Yes | Initials | No | Initials |

If you initialled “Yes” please complete the table below.
If you initialled “No” you should move on to Part B, Care Experienced

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<th>Please initial if any of the categories below apply to you</th>
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<td>a. You have a social/communication impairment such as a speech and language impairment or Asperger's syndrome/other autistic spectrum disorder, or cognitive impairment</td>
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<td>b. You are blind or have a visual impairment uncorrected by glasses</td>
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<td>c. You are deaf or have a hearing impairment</td>
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<td>d. You have a long standing illness or health condition such as cancer, HIV, diabetes, chronic heart disease, or epilepsy</td>
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<td>e. You have a mental health difficulty, such as depression, schizophrenia or anxiety disorder</td>
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f. You have a specific learning difficulty such as dyslexia, dyspraxia or AD(H)D
h. You have a disability, impairment or medical condition that is not listed above. Please state the condition _________________
i. Prefer not to say

g. You have a physical impairment or mobility issues, such as difficulty using your arms or use a wheelchair or crutches

Part B: Care Experience

In care means: you are or were in the past, formally looked after by a local authority, in the family home (with support from social services or a social worker) or elsewhere, for example, in foster care, residential/secure care, or kinship care (with family friends or relatives).

Have you ever been in care? Please initial Yes or No below:

Yes Initials No Initials

Part C: By completing and signing this form, you confirm you have read and understood the contents of this form and hereby:-

a) agree to the content of this form (including without limitation, your personal details) being held by your MA Programme Training Provider as evidence to verify any claim from your MA Programme Training Provider for enhanced funding, and to any or all of SDS and SDS Partners for audit purposes; and
b) confirm the details on this form are correct; and
c) agree that the information contained in the form may be disclosed to SDS (and/or its agents), the Scottish Government, as the Managing Authority for the 2014-2020 Structural Funds Programme and any other formally appointed public authority auditors (collectively, “SDS Partners”), to verify any claim from your training provider for enhanced funding, and for audit purposes.
d) More information on how we collect, handle and protect your data can be found at www.sds.co.uk/privacy

MA Signature: Date: MA Print Name:

MA is progressing to a higher level. The above criteria still applies.

MA Signature: Date: MA Print Name:
Training Provider Signature: Date: Training Provider Print Name:

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