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## Fulcrum Scaffold Safety Training Gain Approval to Deliver CISRS COTS at HMP Berwyn

Following a successful audit earlier in the month, Fulcrum Scaffold Safety Training have added HMP Berwyn to their already successful COTS delivery programme in prison establishments.

The COTS only accreditation will allow prisoners to undertake an industry recognised qualification which will give them a good understanding of the role and will result in a CISRS Labourer card which will provide a boost towards fulltime, sustainable employment on their release.

David Abraham of Fulcrum Scaffold Safety Training said – "We are delighted to have gained CISRS Accreditation in HMP Berwyn where we will be delivering the CISRS COTS course in partnership with Procure Plus through CITB and the OSE Hub.

During our next course at HMP Berwyn, on 15th June, scaffolding companies will be invited to an employer event, where they will have the opportunity to meet with



prisoners who have completed or have registered an interest in attending our scaffolding training course.

We understand the challenges that employers face in finding suitable candidates for their business needs. Therefore, we have organised this open day to bridge the gap between employers and potential employees. This event is an excellent opportunity for employers to meet with the prisoners face-to-face, assess their skills and knowledge, and discuss potential employment opportunities. Any employers that are interested in attending should contact info@fulcrumscaffoldsafety.com or simon.odonnell@procure-plus.com"

Dave Mosley CISRS Managing Director said "Fulcrum are an experienced and well established CISRS training provider who are making a really positive impact with this initiative. We wish them, their partners and this going through the programme every success in the future "