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To: Heads of Department for MVRUS in Post-Primary Schools and Further & Higher Education Colleges

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GCSE Motor Vehicle & Road User Studies (MVRUS) Further information on the use of eCandidate Record Sheets in 2019

As communicated in June's circular (S/IF/34/18), GCSE MVRUS will be among those subjects using eCandidate Record Sheets (eCRS) to submit marks to CCEA for visiting moderated units in summer 2019. While most MVRUS departments may have prior experience of using eCRS, the visiting unit will work to different deadlines and information on this is provided below. Due to the nature of assessment for this unit, the closing date for submission of marks for this units will be after the visiting moderation period has concluded.

Using eCRS removes the requirement to fill in and submit hard copy TAC1 and TAC2 forms. Submission of marks, in addition to declarations of authentication and internal standardisation, will now be done online. Examinations officers must register users to appropriate units to allow eCRS to be accessed. Further details on the use of eCRS will be provided at the Agreement Trials, and attendance at these is therefore recommended.

In the grid below are the intended key dates (at time of publication) for eCRS in 2018-19. These will be confirmed at Agreement Trials. Closing dates will also be displayed within the eCRS application.

| Subject | eCRS Available to Centres | Visiting Moderation Period (Timetabled) | Closing date for eCRS Submission |
|---------------------|--------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| GCSE MVRUS GMR31 | 12 th November 2018 | 18 th March – 18 th April 2019 | 3 rd May 2019 |

There is a range of eCRS support available to teachers:

- CCEA staff will be at Agreement Trials to answer any questions you might have;
- The E-Moderation microsite contains support documents and a tutorial video. Go to http://ccea.org.uk/qualifications/e_moderation/application_details/ecandidate_record_sheet;
- You can contact the Operations Modernisation team using the details at the bottom of this circular.

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