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Dear Ms Rittie

In response to the letter from Ms Sandra Pattison dated 28 March 2011 regarding the Review of the Survey of Employer Use and Views of the VET System, thank you for the opportunity to provide comments and feedback.

Please find attached the Department's response to the discussion paper using the feedback form provided by NCVER. I trust that the Department's comments will help shape the development and redesign of the 2013 and future survey/s.

I look forward to receiving the report on the outcomes from the discussion paper when it is released.

Please contact Paul Dean, Senior Policy Officer, DFEEST on 8226 8850 or paul.dean@sa.gov.au if you require any further information.

Yours sincerely

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