CHARTERED COLLEGE OF TEACHING COMMENT ON THE TEACHER WELLBEING INDEX FROM EDUCATION SUPPORT Under strict embargo until 00.01 Tuesday 29 November 2022

Responding to the annual Teacher Wellbeing Index from Education Support, Dame Alison Peacock, CEO of the Chartered College, said:

"At its best, teaching is one of the most rewarding and valuable careers, supporting pupils to learn and to grow, influencing their love for subjects and their enthusiasm to keep learning through their lives. Unfortunately, as this report shows, education staff are increasingly stressed and exhausted as they face continuing growth in workload and declining resources.

"The Chartered College supports the call for ambitious plans to improve staff wellbeing and workload. In particular, we know that high quality professional development and sharing expertise is vital to developing the positive cultures that keep staff in the profession. We call on the Government to ensure that all staff have the time and resources to take part in collaborative, research-informed development opportunities."

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Notes to editors:

About the Chartered College of Teaching:

The Chartered College of Teaching is the professional body for teachers. We are working to celebrate, support and connect teachers to take pride in their profession and provide the best possible education for children and young people. We are dedicated to bridging the gap between practice and research and equipping teachers from the second they enter the classroom with the knowledge and confidence to make the best decisions for their pupils.

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