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CECA thanks Trevor Walker for 'central role' in success of CSCS

The Civil Engineering Contractors Association has offered its thanks to Trevor Walker following his decision to step down as chairman of the Construction Skills Certification Scheme

Mr Walker announced his decision at the CSCS Annual General Meeting on 6 December 2011.

For more than a decade the Construction Skills Certification Scheme has helped ensure that those who enter the site gate have the competency and capability to do the job safely, helping to dramatically improve the image of the sector.

Since taking on the chairmanship of CSCS in 2006, Trevor Walker has played a hugely important role in moving the industry towards a fully qualified workforce.

The Civil Engineering Contractors Association would like to thank Trevor for this significant contribution over the past five years. With the massive challenges and changes that the industry has faced during his time as chairman of CSCS, CECA believes that Trevor's passion has helped ensure that the industry maintained course to improve worker capability and competence.

CECA managing director Mark Roper said: "With more than 1.7 million of the industry's workers holding CSCS cards, the scheme is an exemplar of what can be achieved when the whole industry works together to achieve a mutual objective.

"Trevor Walker has played a central role in this success as chairman of CSCS. I want to personally thank him for his contribution to this achievement.

"We hope that the industry can now raise the bar even higher, working together to drive further improvements to the scheme. CECA looks forward to playing an active part in this work."

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Notes to Editors

1. The Civil Engineering Contractors Association (CECA) represents over 300 contractors of all sizes, covering approximately 80% of the civil engineering market in Great Britain. Our members build infrastructure that provides the basis for economic sustainability and quality of life in communities across the country.

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