

**Federation of Piling Specialists**

**CSCS Policy**

**Registration of Site Based Personnel**

The FPS supports:-

- The need for a competent and qualified workforce with appropriate safety training.
- The registration of the workforce through a recognised scheme
- The development of a multi-skilled workforce

In order to achieve these objectives the Members have agreed:-

- NVQ Level 2: Piling should be developed to cover all aspects of piling, foundation and ground improvement work, including the operation of plant so that all operatives and plant operators will be able to obtain a CSCS card.
- In order to renew a CSCS card that includes the operation of plant the holder will be required to demonstrate continued experience in the operation of that plant and discussion will be opened with CSCS in order to agree a way of implementing this that is satisfactory to all parties.

(The FPS recognises that alternative certified schemes operate within Northern Ireland and Eire and supports its Members in the use of those schemes).