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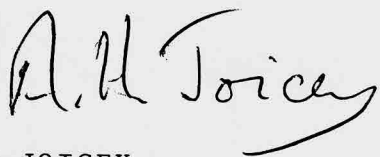
Iain A.Grieve, Painters and Decorators

I have known this firm for a number of years and they have done various work for me during that time. They have developed a good reputation for providing technical advice, quoting competitively and carrying out work to a high standard.

During the last six months they have completed two notable contracts for me. The first was to paint the exterior of a large farm steading here at New Etal. Despite some very difficult summer weather the job was completed properly and in good time. The preparation of the woodwork and guttering was thorough and the finished result was good.

The other contract was to repaint the interior of St. Mary's Church, Etal. This is a Nineteenth Century listed building with plastered walls, painted stonework and high ceilings with exposed stained wooden beams. The job was completed most satisfactorily and it has attracted much favourable comment.

Iain Grieve is straightforward to deal with, and his workforce are motivated and competent. Any problems or queries that arose during the course of the jobs were always speedily addressed and attended to, and I would therefore have no hesitation in recommending his services for any inside or outdoor work.



A.H. JOICEY

(Landowner, and Churchwarden of Etal Church)

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