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#### **Modification History**

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version first released with FNS Financial Services Training Package Version 6.0.

# **Performance Evidence**

The candidate must demonstrate the ability to complete the tasks outlined in the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit, including evidence of the ability to:

• determine the financial requirements of at least one small business.

In the course of the above, the candidate must:

- determine a range of income and expense budgets based on the worst and likely case scenarios
- · determine a realistic cashflow scenario and evaluate if that meets liquidity requirements
- establish the required sales or income levels to maintain the financial viability of the business to cover taxation and depreciation obligations.

# **Knowledge Evidence**

The candidate must be able to demonstrate knowledge to complete the tasks outlined in the elements, performance criteria and foundation skills of this unit, including knowledge of:

- key business registration and licensing requirements, including:
  - Australian Securities and Investments Commission (ASIC) Connect business names and registration
  - registration for Australian business number (ABN), tax file number (TFN) and goods and services tax (GST)
- trade and occupational licensing
- key types of regulatory, legislative and licensing requirements affecting operations of a business
- methods to identify and calculate start-up and key costs associated with running a business, including:
  - labour hire
  - employee entitlements
  - compliance with occupational licensing and other legislation as required

- cash flow management
- liquidity management
- key aspects of business plans, including:
  - key components of business plans
  - risks to be included in business plans
  - benefits of business planning
  - financial requirements of business plans
  - documentation requirements
- key sources of assistance for micro and small business operators
- key taxation responsibilities for small and micro business, including:
  - record keeping, invoicing and GST
  - preparing the return, lodgement and payment of business activity statements (BAS)
- employee and contractor payroll and pay as you go (PAYG) taxation
- education, training and development opportunities and how they support business objectives.

### **Assessment Conditions**

Skills in this unit must be demonstrated in a workplace or simulated environment where the conditions are typical of those in a working environment in this industry.

This includes access to:

- office equipment, technology, software and consumables
- financial services product information.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards.

#### Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guide is found on VETNet https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c7200cc8-0566-4f04-b76f-e89fd6f102fe