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**Release: 1**

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## Modification History

**Release 1.** This is the first release of this unit of competency in the UEG Gas Industry Training Package.

## Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria on at least two separate occasions and include:

- applying relevant industry standards, guidelines, codes of practice and regulations
- applying relevant workplace safety requirements, including:
  - applying sustainable energy and environmental principles and practices
  - ensuring emergency response procedures are in place
  - identifying and reporting hazards
  - implementing risk control measures
  - selecting and using correct personal protective equipment (PPE)
  - working safely with hazardous materials and equipment (e.g., pipelines coated with asbestos)
- carrying out correct venting, purging and pressurising procedures
- carrying out sign-off procedures
- communicating instructions/schedules
- communicating with other authorities and relevant stakeholders
- completing relevant reports, records documentation and drawings
- conducting briefings
- conducting final inspections of repairs/modifications
- conducting quality and safety checks
- coordinating repairs or modifications for gas transmission pipelines
- dealing with unplanned events/situations in accordance with workplace procedures in a manner that minimises risk to personnel and equipment
- following workplace procedures
- identifying repairs/modifications
- inspecting and testing equipment
- interpreting technical drawings, plans and materials lists
- isolating/de-energising systems
- liaising and communicating with relevant parties
- monitoring pipeline system during repair work
- obtaining approvals from relevant authorities

- obtaining relevant work permits
- operating gas detector
- planning for the coordination of repairs and modifications of gas transmission pipeline
- positioning road signs, barriers and warning devices
- recommissioning/re-establishing pipeline, including re-establishing transmission pipeline to operational condition
- removing, repairing and testing pipeline coating
- rehabilitating/reinstating worksite
- checking/completing testing of repairs
- updating drawings/plans to reflect repairs/modifications.

## Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence in this unit must be relevant to and satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria and include knowledge of:

- appropriate tools and equipment to inspect and test the pipeline system
- hazardous activities, including lifting, climbing, working in confined spaces and aloft
- information relevant to pipeline repair and modification
- inspecting and testing procedures
- preparation for testing and inspection of pipeline system
- preparation of worksite for repairs/modifications work
- problem-solving techniques
- record maintenance procedures
- venting, purging and pressurising techniques
- relevant industry standards, guidelines, codes of practice and regulations
- relevant manufacturer specifications
- relevant safe work method statements (SWMS)/job safety analysis (JSA) or risk mitigation processes
- relevant technical drawings, plans, material lists or specifications
- relevant workplace safety requirements, including:
  - legislated work health and safety (WHS)/occupational health and safety (OHS) requirements
  - legislated industry/technical specific requirements
  - workplace safety procedures
  - manufacturer requirements
- relevant workplace documentation
- relevant workplace policies and procedures
- repair work and amendments or modifications
- requirements for recording and interpreting test data
- site inspection procedures
- traffic management plans
- transmission pipeline repairs and modifications.

## Assessment Conditions

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Assessment must occur in workplace operational situations where it is appropriate to do so; where this is not appropriate, assessment must occur in simulated workplace operational situations that replicate workplace conditions.

Assessment processes and techniques must be appropriate to the language, literacy and numeracy requirements of the work being performed and the needs of the candidate.

Resources for assessment must include access to:

- a range of relevant exercises, case studies and/or other simulations
- relevant and appropriate materials, tools, equipment and PPE currently used in industry
- applicable documentation, including workplace procedures, equipment specifications, regulations, codes of practice and operation manuals.

## Links

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=6a6c032e-ffcb-4f3d-8063-415efbd261e8>