

Australian Government

# UETTDRRT26 Maintain overhead rail traction configurations

Release: 1

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#### **Modification History**

Release 1. This is the first release of this unit of competency in the UET Transmission, Distribution and Rail Sector Training Package.

## Application

This unit involves the skills and knowledge required to maintain overhead rail traction configurations in the electricity supply industry (ESI).

It includes maintaining and repairing overlaps, cross-overs, turnouts and crossings whilst using safe working practices on or about running line/track. It also includes repairing and/or replacing electrical equipment and associated hardware, identifying and implementing traffic management plans, issuing/accepting electrical permits, isolation of systems and circuits, inspection and checks to confirm equipment and associated hardware are in a safe condition to test and/or return to service, re-commissioning tests to ensure the integrity of the traction system prior to return to service and updating of system data and/or maintenance records.

The application of the skills and knowledge described in this unit may require a licence/registration to practice in the workplace.

Other conditions may apply under state and territory legislative and regulatory licensing requirements which must be confirmed prior to commencing this unit.

# Pre-requisite Unit

Common Unit Group

UEENEEE101A Apply Occupational Health and Safety regulations, codes and practices in the workplace

UEENEEE102A Fabricate, assemble and dismantle utilities industry components

UEENEEE104A Solve problems in d.c. circuits

UEENEEE105A Fix and secure electrotechnology equipment

UEENEEE107A Use drawings, diagrams, schedules, standards, codes and specifications

UEENEEG101A Solve problems in electromagnetic devices and related circuits

UEENEEG102A Solve problems in low voltage a.c. circuits

UETTDREL11 Apply sustainable energy and environmental procedures

UETTDREL12 Operate plant and equipment near live electrical conductors and apparatus

UETTDREL16 Working safely near live electrical apparatus

UETTDRIS52 Install and maintain poles, structures and associated hardware

UETTDRIS54 Install and maintain poles, structures and overhead conductors and cables

- UETTDRRT21 Install traction overhead wiring systems
- UETTDRRT22 Maintain traction overhead wiring systems
- UETTDRRT23 Install rail traction bonds
- UETTDRRT25 Install overhead rail traction configurations
- UETTDRRT27 Install overhead traction components and equipment
- UETTDRRT28 Maintain overhead traction components and equipment

#### **Competency Field**

Rail Traction

## **Unit Sector**

Not applicable.

# **Elements and Performance Criteria**

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA	
Elements describe the essential outcomes.	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element.	
1 Prepare to maintain overhead traction configurations	1.1	Work schedules, construction plans, drawings, workplace procedures and material lists are received and confirmed
	1.2	Job requirements and workplace procedures are identified and communicated with relevant personnel
	1.3	Work health and safety (WHS)/occupational health and safety (OHS), environmental and workplace procedures for the maintenance of overhead traction configurations are obtained and confirmed for the purposes of the work to be performed
	1.4	Work is prioritised and sequenced for completion within acceptable timeframes following consultation with relevant personnel and in accordance with workplace procedures
	1.5	Hazards are identified, WHS/OHS risks assessed and control measures identified in accordance with

workplace procedures

- **1.6** Relevant work permits are obtained to access rail corridor, understood and signed in accordance with workplace procedures
- **1.7** Plant, equipment, tools and personal protective equipment (PPE) required for work are identified, obtained and confirmed in working order
- **1.8** Worksite is prepared to minimise risk, damage to property, commerce and individuals in accordance with workplace procedures
- **1.9** Traffic management plan is confirmed as being applied in accordance with workplace procedures
- **1.10** Environmental constraints applicable to work are identified and control measures applied
- of 2.1 WHS/OHS, sustainable energy and environmental principles and practices are monitored and followed to reduce incidents in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **2.2** Requirements for lifting and/or climbing and/or working at heights and the use of power tools/equipment are followed in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **2.3** Systems and circuits are checked, isolated and proved safe to work on in accordance with workplace procedures
  - 2.4 Maintenance of overhead traction configurations is completed in agreed timeframes, to quality standards and with minimum waste in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **2.5** Electrical equipment and associated hardware are tested in accordance with job requirements and workplace procedures
  - **2.6** Maintenance, including repair and/or replacement of overhead traction configurations, is completed in accordance with work schedule, job requirements and workplace procedures
  - **2.7** Unplanned events are responded to in accordance with workplace procedures

2 Perform maintenance of overhead traction configurations

- **2.8** Quality checks of work are undertaken in accordance with workplace procedures
- 3 Complete maintenance of 3.1 overhead traction configurations Completed work is checked against work schedule, construction plans and drawings for compliance and anomalies are reported in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **3.2** Worksite is rehabilitated, cleaned up and made safe in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **3.3** Tools, equipment and surplus resources and materials are, where appropriate, cleaned, checked and returned to storage in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **3.4** Relevant work permits are signed off after final inspections and recommissioning checks and the system is energised, tested and returned to service in accordance with workplace procedures
  - **3.5** Work records, reports and/or documentation are completed in accordance with workplace procedures

#### **Foundation Skills**

Foundation skills essential to performance are explicit in the performance criteria of this unit of competency.

## **Range of Conditions**

Range is restricted to essential operating conditions and any other variables essential to the work environment.

Non-essential conditions may be found in the Companion Volume Implementation Guide.

## **Unit Mapping Information**

This unit replaces and is equivalent to UETTDRRT26A Maintain overhead rail traction configurations.

## Links

UET Training Package Companion Volume Implementation Guide is found in VETNet - https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=229bace1-b7bc-4653-9300-dffb13ecfad7