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Modification History

Release	TP Version	Comment
1	AHCv1.0	Initial release

Performance Evidence

The candidate must be assessed on their ability to integrate and apply the performance requirements of this unit in a workplace setting. Performance must be demonstrated consistently over time and in a suitable range of contexts.

The candidate must provide evidence that they can:

- investigate suspected breaches of NRM legislation in accordance with legal and organisational protocols and guidelines
- carry out preliminary investigations into a reported or suspected breach of land use legislation using organisational processes and procedures and in accordance with legislative and regulatory requirements
- seek approval to proceed with a full investigation
- carry out a site investigation according to organisational guidelines
- interview witnesses and land owners following organisational protocols
- document records of interviews, proceedings and site details according to legal requirements and organisational protocols
- check accuracy of all data and information collected and ensure it is sufficient to make an informed judgement
- make recommendations based on information collected
- complete final report with supporting documentation in line with policy guidelines and legislative and regulatory standards
- apply work health and safety practices in the context of own work

Knowledge Evidence

The candidate must demonstrate knowledge of:

- application of Federal and State legislation and regulations to natural resource management issues
- types of breaches of natural resource management legislation
- organisational policies and procedures for investigating and reporting on breaches
- techniques for consulting with stakeholders, legal and agency policies and procedures

- assessment approaches for area of notification
- formats for compiling reports and submitting evidence

Assessment Conditions

Assessors must satisfy current standards for RTOs.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>