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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 1	This version released with Agriculture, Horticulture and Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 9.0.

Performance Evidence

An individual demonstrating competency must satisfy all of the elements and performance criteria in this unit.

There must be evidence that the individual has developed strategies for on Country management for a specified area at least once and has:

- consulted local Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Communities and Cultural Authorities
- researched cultural and contemporary on Country management practices
- developed management strategies based on cultural and contemporary Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander on Country management practices
- identified appropriate source of funding and applied for funds according to organisational requirements
- consulted with local Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Communities and Authorities on strategies, priorities and project works
- developed an on Country management plan according to local Community, organisational and funding standards
- applied work health and safety practices in the context of own work
- applied biosecurity measures in the management strategies
- applied appropriate sustainability practices in the management strategies
- developed staff training relevant to management strategies
- complied with funding requirements.

Knowledge Evidence

An individual must be able to demonstrate the knowledge required to perform the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit. This includes knowledge of:

- local cultural and contemporary Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander on Country management practices
- funding applications and submission requirements
- project development requirements, including:

- projected budget
- legislation and funding compliance
- developing timelines
- management of staff and site
- environmental and sustainability practices
- local Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural protocols
- key components of legislation relevant to Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander on Country management
- staff training processes for new procedures
- relationship between natural and cultural management processes.

Assessment Conditions

Assessment of the skills in this unit of competency must take place under the following conditions:

- physical conditions:
 - skills must be demonstrated on Country and/or within an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Community or an environment that accurately represents workplace conditions
- specifications:
 - specific legislation/codes of practice relevant to developing strategies for on Country management
- relationships:
 - local Community Elders and/or Custodians.

Assessors of this unit must satisfy the requirements for assessors in applicable vocational education and training legislation, frameworks and/or standards. In addition, the following specific assessor requirements apply to this unit:

- Assessment must be undertaken by a workplace assessor who has expertise in this unit of competency and who is:

an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Elder and/or Custodian or:

- accompanied by, and/or in communication with, an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person who is a recognised member of the community with experience and knowledge of local cultural protocols.

Links

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