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Modification History

Release 1. Updated unit code. Changes to elements and performance criteria. Range of conditions removed. Assessment requirements amended. Equivalent outcome.

Performance Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has completed the tasks outlined in the elements and performance criteria of this unit, and:

- interpreted workplace information, including at least 1 of the following types of information: legislative, employment, security, confidentiality and reporting requirements; site agreements and protocols; and work instructions
- communicated effectively with customers, contractors and stakeholders on at least 2 occasions.

Knowledge Evidence

There must be evidence the candidate has knowledge of:

- key features of Australia's environmental management framework; legislation, industry codes of practice and Australian Standards relevant to job role
- organisation's business objectives, sites, product and service range, structure and reporting lines
- role of the organisation's environmental function (including services, products, technology and compliance)
- features of job role statements and position descriptions for environmental technicians
- rights and responsibilities of employer and employees
- ethical values and principles, including respect for the law, responsibility, courtesy, diligence and confidentiality
- name and function of equipment, materials and other resources used to perform environmental technical tasks in job role
- workplace policies and procedures that govern own employment and personal work; health, safety and environment
- hazards, safe work practices and use of personal protective equipment (PPE) for job role
- communication strategies and techniques to give and receive information, address differing opinions and avoid or resolve work conflicts

Assessment Conditions

Skills must have been demonstrated in the workplace or in a simulated environment that reflects workplace conditions, contingencies, facilities, equipment and resources.

Assessors must satisfy the NVR/AQTF mandatory competency requirements for assessors.

Links

The MSS Sustainability Companion Volume implementation Guides are available from VETNet: -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5b04f318-804f-4dc0-9463-c3fb9a3fe998>