



Australian Government

NWPTRD011 Investigate and report on breaches of water industry legislation

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Modification History

Release	Comments
1	This unit was released in NWP Water Training Package release 1.0 and meets the Standards for Training Packages. This unit supersedes and is equivalent to NWP315B Investigate and report breaches of water industry legislation. • Unit code updated • Content and formatting updated to comply with the new standards • All PC transitioned from passive to active voice • Unit title changed to better reflect unit outcomes • PC 2.3 revised

Application

This unit describes the skills required to investigate breaches of legislation relevant to the water industry, including conducting interviews and preparing reports for use in court proceedings.

This unit applies to those working in the water industry with a specific responsibility for enforcing water industry legislation, including local by-laws and the Water Act.

The skills and knowledge described in this unit must be applied within the legislative, regulatory and policy environment in which they are carried out. Organisational policies and procedures must be consulted and adhered to, particularly those related to water industry legislation.

Those undertaking this unit would work independently, while performing complex tasks, in a broad range of contexts.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to unit at the time of publication.

Competency Field

Trade waste

Elements and Performance Criteria

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
Elements describe the essential outcomes	Performance criteria describe the performance needed to demonstrate achievement of the element. Where bold italicised text is used, further information is detailed in the range of conditions section.
1. Investigate breach of legislation	1.1 Identify and investigate breaches of legislation. 1.2 Collect and collate information about breach of legislation.
2. Notify breaches to relevant parties	2.1 Issue notification of breach of legislation to subjects. 2.2 Interview subjects and recommend remedial action or further action. 2.3 Record and collate interview notes and information.
3. Prepare reports and records	3.1 Prepare clear and concise reports for use in court proceedings according to stakeholder and organisational requirements. 3.2 Recommend action according to design specifications and organisational requirements.

Foundation Skills

The foundation skills demands of this unit have been mapped for alignment with the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF). The following tables outline the performance levels indicated for successful attainment of the unit.

ACSF levels indicative of performance:

1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Learning NA					Reading					Writing					Oral communication					Numeracy				

Performance variables:

1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
Support					Context					Text complexity					Task complexity				

Further information on ACSF and the foundation skills underpinning this unit can be found in the Foundation Skills Guide on the GSA website.

Unit Mapping Information

This unit supersedes and is equivalent to NWP315B Investigate and report breaches of water industry legislation.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

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Assessment Requirements for NWPTRD011 Investigate and report on breaches of water industry legislation

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1	These Assessment Requirements were released in NWP Water Training Package release 1.0 and meet the Standards for Training Packages. Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit

Performance Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the candidate must demonstrate evidence of performance of the following on at least one occasion.

- using photographic and video cameras
- identifying and investigating the source of infiltration and inflows
- investigating illegal inflows and discharges
- monitoring inflows
- identifying control system faults
- investigating breaches of specific legislation
- identifying and reporting faults
- issuing correct notification of the breach to the offender
- conducting interviews with offenders and taking notes
- reporting all evidence to appropriate organisational personnel with recommendations for action

Knowledge Evidence

Evidence required to demonstrate competence must satisfy all of the requirements of the elements and performance criteria. If not otherwise specified the depth of knowledge demonstrated must be appropriate to the job context of the candidate.

- investigation processes
- court protocols
- relevant by-laws
- environmental aspects of systems and infrastructure
- infiltration and inflow sources

- illegal inflows and discharges
- illegal diversions
- risk management principles

Assessment Conditions

Competency should be assessed in an actual workplace or in a simulated environment, with access to equipment and infrastructure appropriate to the outcome. Competency should be demonstrated over time to ensure the candidate is assessed across a variety of situations.

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

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