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Assessment Requirements for PSPTRP005 Pilot or escort oversize and/or over-mass vehicles

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Modification History

Release	Comments
1	These Assessment Requirements were released in PSP Public Sector 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 Assessment Requirements created drawing upon specified assessment information from superseded unit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.

- receiving and transmitting messages during operations
- using required communication protocols
- working collaboratively with others in the convoy when piloting or escorting vehicles
- addressing problems arising during pilot or escort operations
- implementing contingency plans for unexpected events during pilot or escort operations
- preparing vehicles for escort
- keeping to planned schedule of operations
- reading and interpreting permits, signs, procedures and manufacturers specifications
- completing documentation and records relating to the movement of oversize and over mass vehicles
- interpreting and following instructions
- minimising, controlling or eliminating hazards that may exist in pilot or escort operations
- modifying activities depending on operational contingencies, risk situations and environments
- complying with regulatory requirements, organisational policies and procedures
- operating electronic communication equipment
- operating communication signage and other communication resources required during pilot or escort operations
- piloting and escorting oversize and over-mass vehicles on at least three separate occasions or in three different situations (actual or simulated)

- communicating clearly and precisely using required protocols, including at least one instance where alternative strategies are required in response to communication failures and problems
- adhering to legal, ethical and organisational requirements relating to pilot and escort duties

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.

- road rules, regulations, permit and licence requirements of state/territory roads and traffic authorities pertaining to the piloting and escorting of oversize and over-mass loads
- safe, low-risk driving strategies
- situational awareness
- pre-departure checks required for vehicles, communication equipment and procedures, and signage
- factors which may cause traffic delays and diversions and related action that can be taken by a driver
- pre-departure planning for delays and diversions
- fatigue management
- procedures to be followed in the event of a driving and/or piloting and/or escort emergency
- documentation requirements for piloting and escorting oversize and or over-mass vehicles

Assessment Conditions

Some components of this unit require assessment in a workplace environment (real or simulated) therefore the unit is not suitable for fully external or electronic based assessment.

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

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -
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