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Modification History

Not applicable.

Performance Evidence

Evidence of the ability to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit in the context of the job role, and:

- manoeuvre, tow and site at least three different types of recreational vehicles as listed in the knowledge evidence using appropriate towing vehicle
- identify and avoid obstacles and hazards during above operations
- communicate safety directions to others in the vicinity of towing and siting above vehicles during above operations
- identify and calculate weight-to-vehicle towing ratios set by state and territory authorities and manufacturers for above operations
- complete above activities within commercial time constraints and deadlines determined by the customer or organisation.

Knowledge Evidence

Demonstrated knowledge required to complete the tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit:

- common types of recreational vehicles:
 - camper or tent trailer
 - cross-country or an off-road all-terrain caravan
 - expanda or slide out
 - five-wheeler
 - full van
 - pop top
 - slide-on camper or campervan
- types of vehicles that are used to tow recreational vehicles:
 - four wheel drive
 - specialised towing truck or unit
 - tractor
 - truck
 - two wheel drive
 - van
- pre-operational checks on towing and recreational vehicles:

- brakes
- fluid levels and topping up
- operation of vehicle lights and indicators
- tyre pressures
- visual inspection
- details of the site where recreational vehicles are to be positioned and suitable positions
- weight-to-vehicle towing ratios set by state and territory authorities and manufacturers
- pre-operational checks for the towing vehicle and for the recreational vehicle
- major hazards and obstacles associated with towing and siting recreational vehicles, and ways to address them.

Assessment Conditions

Skills must be demonstrated in an environment where recreational vehicles are towed and sited. This can be:

- an industry workplace; or
- a simulated industry environment set up for the purposes of assessment.

Assessment must ensure access to:

- off-road locations where recreational vehicles are towed and sited
- maps of sites
- different types of recreational vehicles
- towing vehicles appropriate to recreational vehicles being used
- current commercial manufacturer instructions
- current schedules of weight-to-vehicle towing ratios issued by government regulators.

Assessors must satisfy the Standards for Registered Training Organisations' requirements for assessors and have worked in industry for at least three years where they have applied the skills and knowledge of this unit of competency.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=68c40a93-e51d-4e0f-bc06-899dff092694>