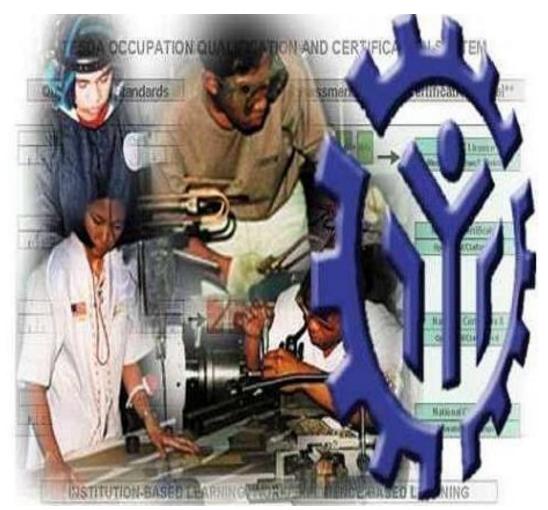
TRAINING REGULATIONS



MASONRY NC I

CIVIL WORKS (CONSTRUCTION SECTOR)

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TRAINING REGULATIONS FOR MASONRY NC I

SECTION 1 MASONRY NC I QUALIFICATION

The MASONRY NC I Qualification consists of competencies that a person must achieve that will enable him/her to prepare masonry materials and perform basic masonry works.

This Qualification is packaged from the competency map of Construction -Civil Works sub-sector as shown in Annex A.

The Units of Competency comprising this Qualification include the following:

CODE NO.	BASIC COMPETENCIES Units of Competency
500311101 500311102 500311103 500311104	Receive and respond to workplace communication Work with others Demonstrate work values Practice basic housekeeping procedures
CODE NO.	COMMON COMPETENCIES Units of Competency
CON931201 CON311201 CON311203 CON311204	Prepare construction materials and tools Observe procedures, specifications and manuals of instruction Perform mensurations and calculations Maintain tools and equipment
CODE NO.	CORE COMPETENCIES Units of Competency
CON712301 CON712302	Prepare masonry materials Perform basic masonry works

A person who has achieved this Qualification is competent to be a:

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SECTION 2 COMPETENCY STANDARDS

This section gives the details of the contents of the basic, common and core units of competency required in MASONRY NC I.

BASIC COMPETENCIES

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: RECEIVE AND RESPOND TO WORKPLACE

COMMUNICATION

: 500311101 UNIT CODE

UNIT DESCRIPTOR : This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes required

to receive, respond and act on verbal and written

communication.

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Follow routine spoken messages	 1.1. Required information is gathered by listening attentively and correctly interpreting or understanding information/instructions 1.2. Instructions/information are properly recorded 1.3. Instructions are acted upon immediately in accordance with information received 1.4. Clarification is sought from workplace supervisor on all occasions when any instruction/information is not clear
Perform workplace duties following written notices	 2.1 Written notices and instructions are read and interpreted correctly in accordance with organizational guidelines 2.2 Routine written instruction are followed in sequence 2.3 Feedback is given to workplace supervisor based on the instructions/information received

VARIABLE	RANGE
Written notices and instructions	It refers to: 1.1. Handwritten and printed material 1.2. Internal memos 1.3. External communications 1.4. Electronic mail 1.5. Briefing notes 1.6. General correspondence 1.7. Marketing materials 1.8. Journal articles
2. Organizational Guidelines	It may include: 2.1. Information documentation procedures 2.2. Company policies and procedures 2.3. Organization manuals 2.4. Service manual

1.	Critical aspects of Competency	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1. Demonstrated knowledge of organizational procedures for handling verbal and written communications 1.2. Received and acted on verbal messages and instructions 1.3. Demonstrated competency in recording instructions/information
2.	Underpinning Knowledge and Attitudes	2.1. Knowledge of organizational policies/guidelines in regard to processing internal/external information2.2. Ethical work practices in handling communications2.3. Communication process
3.	Underpinning Skills	3.1. Conciseness in receiving and clarifying messages/information/communication3.2. Accuracy in recording messages/information
4.	Resource Implications	The following resources MUST be provided: 4.1. Pens 4.2. Note pad
5.	Methods of Assessment	Competency may be assessed through: 5.1. Direct Observation 5.2. Oral interview 5.3. Written Evaluation 5.4. Third Party Report
6.	Context of Assessment	6.1. Competency may be assessed individually in the actual workplace or simulation environment in TESDA accredited institutions

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: WORK WITH OTHERS

UNIT CODE : 500311102

: This unit covers the skills, knowledge and attitudes required **UNIT DESCRIPTOR**

to develop workplace relationship and contribute in

workplace activities

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Develop effective workplace relationship	 1.1 Duties and responsibilities are done in a positive manner to promote cooperation and good relationship 1.2 Assistance is sought from workgroup when difficulties arise and addressed through discussions 1.3 Feedback provided by others in the team is encouraged, acknowledged and acted upon 1.4 Differences in personal values and beliefs are respected and acknowledged in the development
Contribute to work group activities	 2.1 Support is provided to team members to ensure workgroup goals are met 2.2 Constructive contributions to workgroup goals and tasks are made according to organizational requirements 2.3 Information relevant to work is shared with team members to ensure designated goals are met

VARIABLE	RANGE
Duties and responsibilities	 1.1 Job description and employment arrangements 1.2 Organization's policy relevant to work role 1.3 Organizational structures 1.4 Supervision and accountability requirements including OHS 1.5 Code of conduct
2. Work group	2.1 Supervisor or manager2.2 Peers/work colleagues2.3 Other members of the organization
3. Feedback on performance	 3.1 Formal/Informal performance appraisal 3.2 Obtaining feedback from supervisors and colleagues and clients 3.3 Personal, reflective behavior strategies 3.4 Routine organizational methods for monitoring service delivery
Providing support to team members	 4.1 Explaining/clarifying 4.2 Helping colleagues 4.3 Providing encouragement 4.4 Providing feedback to another team member 4.5 Undertaking extra tasks if necessary
5. Organizational requirements	 5.1 Goals, objectives, plans, system and processes 5.2 Legal and organization policy/guidelines 5.3 OHS policies, procedures and programs 5.4 Ethical standards 5.5 Defined resources parameters 5.6 Quality and continuous improvement processes and standards

Critical aspects of competency	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1. Provided support to team members to ensure goals are met 1.2. Acted on feedback from clients and colleagues 1.3. Accessed learning opportunities to extend own personal work competencies to enhance team goals and outcomes
2. Underpinning Knowledge	 2.1. The relevant legislation that affects operations, especially with regards to safety 2.2. Reasons why cooperation and good relationships are important 2.3. Knowledge of the organization's policies, plans and procedures 2.4. Understanding how to elicit and interpret feedback 2.5. Knowledge of workgroup member's responsibilities and duties 2.6. Importance of demonstrating respect and empathy in dealings with colleagues 2.7. Understanding of how to identify and prioritize personal development opportunities and options
3. Underpinning Skills	 3.1. Ability to read and understand the organization's policies and work procedures 3.2. Write simple instructions for particular routine tasks 3.3. Interpret information gained from correspondence 3.4. Communication skills to request advice, receive feedback and work with a team 3.5. Planning skills to organized work priorities and arrangement 3.6. Technology skills including the ability to select and use technology appropriate to a task 3.7. Ability to relate to people from a range of social, cultural and ethnic backgrounds.

4. Resource Implications	The following resources MUST be provided: 4.1. Access to relevant workplace or appropriately simulated environment where assessment can take place 4.2. Materials relevant to the proposed activity or task
5. Methods of Assessment	 Competency may be assessed through: 5.1. Direct observations of work activities of the individual member in relation to the work activities of the group 5.2. Observation of simulation and/or role play involving the participation of individual member to the attainment of organizational goal 5.3. Case studies and scenarios as a basis for discussion of issues and strategies
6. Context for Assessment	 6.1. Competency assessment may occur in workplace or any appropriately simulated environment 6.2. Assessment shall be observed while task are being undertaken whether individually or in group

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: DEMONSTRATE WORK VALUES

UNIT CODE 50031103

: This unit covers the knowledge, skills, and attitude in **UNIT DESCRIPTOR**

demonstrating proper work values.

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Define the purpose of work	1.1 One's unique sense of purpose for working and the why's of work are identified, reflected on and clearly defined for one's development as a person and as a member of society. 1.2 Personal mission is in harmony with company's values
2. Apply work values/ethics	 2.1 Work values/ethics/concepts are classified and reaffirmed in accordance with the transparent company ethical standards, policies and guidelines. 2.2 Work practices are undertaken in compliance with industry work ethical standards, organizational policy and guidelines 2.3 Personal behavior and relationships with co-workers and/or clients are conducted in accordance with ethical standards, policy and guidelines. 2.4 Company resources are used in accordance with transparent company ethical standard, policies and guidelines.
3. Deal with ethical problems	 3.1 Company ethical standards, organizational policy and guidelines on the prevention and reporting of unethical conduct are accessed and applied in accordance with transparent company ethical standard, policies and guidelines. 3.2 Work incidents/situations are reported and/or resolved in accordance with company protocol/guidelines. 3.3 Resolution and/or referral of ethical problems identified are used as learning opportunities.
Maintain integrity of conduct in the workplace	 4.1 Personal work practices and values are demonstrated consistently with acceptable ethical conduct and company's core values. 4.2 <i>Instructions</i> to co-workers are provided based on ethical, lawful and reasonable directives. 4.3 Company values/practices are shared with co-workers using appropriate behavior and language.

VARIABLE	RANGE
Work values / ethics / concepts	May include but are not limited to: 1.1 Commitment/ Dedication 1.2 Sense of urgency 1.3 Sense of purpose 1.4 Love for work 1.5 High motivation 1.6 Orderliness 1.7 Reliability 1.8 Competence 1.9 Dependability 1.10 Goal-oriented 1.11 Sense of responsibility 1.12 Being knowledgeable 1.13 Loyalty to work/company 1.14 Sensitivity to others 1.15 Compassion/Caring attitude 1.16 Balancing between family and work 1.17 Pakikisama 1.18 Bayanihan spirit/teamwork 1.19 Sense of nationalism
2. Work practices	2.1 Quality of work 2.2 Punctuality 2.3 Efficiency 2.4 Effectiveness 2.5 Productivity 2.6 Resourcefulness 2.7 Innovativeness/Creativity 2.8 Cost conciousness 2.9 5S 2.10 Attention to details
3. Incidents/situations	3.1 Violent/intensed dispute or argument 3.2 Gambling 3.3 Use of prohibited substances 3.4 Pilferages 3.5 Damage to person or property 3.6 Vandalism 3.7 Falsification 3.8 Bribery 3.9 Sexual Harassment 3.10 Blackmail

VARIABLE	RANGE
4. Company resources	4.1 Consumable materials 4.2 Equipment/Machineries 4.3 Human 4.4 Time 4.5 Financial resources
5. Instructions	5.1 Verbal 5.2 Written

EVIDENCE GUIDE	
Critical Aspects of Competency	 Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1 Defined one's unique sense of purpose for working 1.2 Clarified and affirmed work values/ethics/concepts consistently in the workplace 1.3 Demonstrated work practices satisfactorily and consistently in compliance with industry work ethical standards, organizational policy and guidelines 1.4 Demonstrated personal behavior and relationships with coworkers and/or clients consistent with ethical standards, policy and guidelines 1.5 Used company resources in accordance with company ethical standard, policies and guidelines. 1.6 Followed company ethical standards, organizational policy and guidelines on the prevention and reporting of unethical conduct/behavior
2. Underpinning Knowledge	 2.1 Occupational health and safety 2.2 Work values and ethics 2.3 Company performance and ethical standards 2.4 Company policies and guidelines 2.5 Fundamental rights at work including gender sensitivity 2.6 Work responsibilities/job functions 2.7 Corporate social responsibilities 2.8 Company code of conduct/values 2.9 Balancing work and family responsibilities
Underpinning Skills 4. Resource	3.1 Interpersonal skills 3.2 Communication skills 3.3 Self awareness, understanding and acceptance 3.4 Application of good manners and right conduct The following resources MUST be provided: 4.1 Workplace or assessment location
5. Methods of Assessment	 4.1 Workplace or assessment location 4.2 Case studies/Scenarios Competency may be assessed through: 5.1 Portfolio Assessment 5.2 Interview 5.3 Third Party Reports
6. Context of Assessment	6.1 Competency may be assessed in the work place or in a simulated work place setting

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: PRACTICE HOUSEKEEPING PROCEDURES

UNIT CODE 500311104

This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes required to apply the basic housekeeping procedures. **UNIT DESCRIPTOR**

	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
ELEMENT	Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Sort and remove unnecessary items	 1.1 Reusable, recyclable materials are sorted in accordance with company/office procedures 1.2 <i>Unnecessary items</i> are removed and disposed of in accordance with company or office procedures
2. Arrange items	 2.1 Items are arranged in accordance with company/office housekeeping procedures 2.2 Work area is arranged according to job requirements 2.3 Activities are prioritized based on instructions. 2.4 Items are provided with clear and visible identification marks based on procedure 2.4 Safety equipment and evacuation passages are kept clear and accessible based on instructions
3. Maintain work area, tools and equipment	 3.1 Cleanliness and orderliness of work area is maintained in accordance with company/office procedures 3.2 Tools and equipment are cleaned in accordance with manufacturer's instructions/manual 3.3 <i>Minor repairs</i> are performed on tools and equipment in accordance with manufacturer's instruction/manual 3.4 Defective tools and equipment are reported to immediate supervisor
Follow standardized work process and procedures	 4.1 Materials for common use are maintained in designated area based on procedures 4.2 Work is performed according to standard work procedures 4.3 Abnormal incidents are reported to immediate supervisor
5. Perform work spontaneously	 5.1 Work is performed as per instruction 5.2 Company and office <i>decorum</i> are followed and complied with 5.3 Work is performed in accordance with occupational health and safety (OHS) requirements

VARIABLE	RANGE
1. Unnecessary items	May include but are not limited to: 1.1 Non-recyclable materials 1.2 Unserviceable tools and equipment 1.3 Pictures, posters and other materials not related to work activity 1.4 Waste materials
2. Identification marks	2.1 Labels 2.2 Tags 2.3 Color coding
3. Decorum	3.1 Company/ office rules and regulations3.2 Company/ office uniform3.3 Behavior
4. Minor repair	Minor repair include but not limited to: 4.1 Replacement of parts 4.2 Application of lubricants 4.3 Sharpening of tools 4.4 Tightening of nuts, bolts and screws

Critical aspects of competency	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1 Practiced the basic procedures of 5S
Underpinning Knowledge and Attitudes	2.1 Principles of 5S 2.2 Work process and procedures 2.3 Safety signs and symbols 2.4 General OH&S principles and legislation 2.5 Environmental requirements relative to work safety 2.6 Accident/Hazard reporting procedures
3. Underpinning Skills	 3.1 Basic communication skills 3.2 Interpersonal skills 3.3 Reading skills required to interpret instructions 3.4 Reporting/recording accidents and potential hazards
4. Resource Implications	The following resources MUST be provided: 4.1 Facilities, materials tools and equipment necessary for the activity
5. Methods of Assessment	Competency must be assessed through: 5.1 Third party report 5.2 Interview 5.3 Demonstration with questioning
6. Context for Assessment	6.1 Competency may be assessed in the work place or in a simulated work place setting

COMMON COMPETENCIES

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: PREPARE CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS AND TOOLS

UNIT CODE CON931201

UNIT DESCRIPTOR This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes on

identifying, requesting and receiving construction materials and tools based on the required performance standards.

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variable
1. Identify materials	 1.1 <i>Materials</i> are listed as per job requirements 1.2 Quantity and <i>description of materials</i> conform with the job requirements 1.3 Tools and accessories are identified according to job requirements
2. Requisition materials	 2.1 Materials and tools needed are requested according to the list prepared 2.2 Request is done as per <i>company standard operating procedures (SOP)</i> 2.3 Substitute materials and tools are provided without sacrificing cost and quality of work
Receive and inspect materials	 3.1 Materials and tools issued are inspected as per quantity and specification 3.2 Tools, accessories and materials are checked for damages according to enterprise procedures 3.3 Materials and tools are set aside to appropriate location nearest to the workplace

VARIABLE	RANGE
Materials and Tools	1.1 Electrical supplies1.2 Structural1.3 Plumbing1.4 Welding/pipefitting
	1.5 Carpentry 1.6 Masonry
Description of Materials and Tools	2.1 Brand name2.2 Size2.3 Capacity2.4 Kind of application
Company standard procedures	3.1 Job order3.2 Requisition slip3.3 Borrower slip

EVIDENCE GOID	-
Critical aspects of competency	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1 Listed materials and tools according to quantity and job requirements 1.2 Requested materials and tools according to the list prepared and as per company SOP 1.3 Inspected issued materials and tools as per quantity and job specifications 1.4 Tools provided with appropriate safety devices
2. Underpinning knowledge	2.1 Types and uses of construction materials and tools 2.2 Different forms 2.3 Requisition procedures
3. Underpinning skills	3.1 Preparing materials and tools 3.2 Proper handling of tools and equipment 3.3 Following instructions
4. Resource implications	The following resources should be provided: 4.1 Workplace location 4.2 Materials relevant to the unit of competency 4.3 Technical plans, drawings and specifications relevant to the activities
5. Methods of assessment	Competency in this unit must be assessed through: 5.1 Direct observation and oral questioning
6. Context of assessment	6.1 Competency may be assessed in the workplace or in a simulated workplace6.2 Competency assessment must be undertaken in accordance with the endorsed TESDA assessment guidelines

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: OBSERVE PROCEDURES, SPECIFICATIONS AND

MANUALS OF INSTRUCTIONS

: CON311201 UNIT CODE

: This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes on **UNIT DESCRIPTOR**

identifying, interpreting, applying services to specifications

and manuals and storing manuals.

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Identify and access specification/manuals	Appropriate manuals are identified and accessed as per job requirements Version and date of manual are checked to ensure that correct specification and procedures are identified
2. Interpret manuals	 2.1 Relevant sections, chapters of specifications/ manuals are located in relation to the work to be conducted 2.2 Information and procedure in the manual are interpreted in accordance with industry practices
3. Apply information in manual	 3.1 <i>Manual</i> is interpreted according to job requirements 3.2 Work steps are correctly identified in accordance with manufacturer's specification 3.3 Manual data are applied according to the given task 3.4 All correct sequencing and adjustments are interpreted in accordance with information contained on the manual or specifications
4. Store manuals	4.1 Manual or specification is stored appropriately to prevent damage, ready access and updating of information when required in accordance with company requirements

VARIABLE	RANGE
Procedures, Specifications and Manuals of Instructions	Kinds of manuals: 1.1 Manufacturer's Specification Manual 1.2 Repair Manual 1.3 Maintenance Procedure Manual 1.4 Periodic Maintenance Manual

EVIDENCE GUIDE	
Critical aspects of competency	Assessment requires that the candidate: 1.1 Identified and accessed specification/manuals as per job requirements 1.2 Interpreted manuals in accordance with industry practices 1.3 Applied information in manuals according to the given task 1.4 Stored manuals in accordance with company requirements
Underpinning knowledge	 2.1 Types of manuals used in construction sector 2.2 Identification of symbols used in the manuals 2.3 Identification of units of measurements 2.4 Unit conversion
3. Underpinning skills	3.1 Reading and comprehension skills required to identify and interpret construction manuals and specifications3.2 Accessing information and data
Resource implications	The following resources should be provided: 4.1 All manuals/catalogues relative to construction sector
5. Methods of assessment	Competency should be assessed through: 5.1 Direct observation 5.2 Questions/interview Assessment of underpinning knowledge and practical skills may be combined
6. Context of assessment	 6.1 Competency assessment must be undertaken in accordance with the endorsed TESDA assessment guidelines 6.2 Assessment may be conducted in the workplace or a simulated environment

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: PERFORM MENSURATIONS AND CALCULATIONS

UNIT CODE : CON311203

UNIT DESCRIPTOR : This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes on

identifying and measuring objects based on the required

performance standards.

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA
	Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variable
Select measuring instruments	 1.1 Object or component to be measured is identified, classified and interpreted according to the appropriate regular <i>geometric shape</i> 1.2 Measuring tools are selected/identified as per object to be measured or job requirements 1.3 Correct specifications are obtained from relevant sources 1.4 Appropriate measuring instruments are selected according to job requirements 1.5 Alternative measuring tools are used without sacrificing cost and quality of work
Carry out measurements and calculations	 2.1 Accurate measurements are obtained according to job requirements 2.2 Alternative measuring tools are used without sacrificing cost and quality of work 2.3 Calculation needed to complete work tasks are performed using the four basic process of addition (+), subtraction (-), multiplication (x) and division (/) including but not limited to: trigonometric functions, algebraic computations 2.4 Calculations involving fractions, percentages and mixed numbers are used to complete workplace tasks 2.5 Numerical computation is self-checked and corrected for accuracy 2.6 Instruments are read to the limit of accuracy of the tool 2.7 Systems of measurement identified and converted according to job requirements/ISO 2.7 Workpieces are measured according to job requirements

VARIABLE	RANGE
1. Geometric shape	Including but is not limited to: 1.1 Round 1.2 Square 1.3 Rectangular 1.4 Triangle 1.5 Sphere 1.6 Conical
2. Measuring instruments	Including but not limited to: 2.1 Micrometer (In-out, depth) 2.2 Vernier caliper (out, inside) 2.3 Dial gauge with mag, std. 2.4 Straight edge 2.5 Thickness gauge 2.6 Torque gauge 2.7 Small hole gauge 2.8 Telescopic gauge 2.9 Try-square 2.10 Protractor 2.11 Combination gauge 2.12 Steel rule 2.13 Voltmeter 2.14 Ammeter 2.15 Mega-ohmeter 2.16 Kilowatt hour meter 2.17 Gauges 2.18 Thermometers
3. Measurements and calculations	3.1 Linear 3.2 Volume 3.3 Area 3.4 Wattage 3.5 Voltage 3.6 Resistance 3.7 Amperage 3.8 Frequency 3.9 Impedance

VARIABLE	RANGE
	3.10 Conductance
	3.11 Capacitance
	3.12 Displacement
	3.16 Inside diameter
	3.17 Circumference
	3.18 Length
	3.19 Thickness
	3.20 Outside diameter
	3.21 Taper
	3.22 Out of roundness
	3.23 Oil clearance
	3.24 End play/Thrust clearance

EVIDENCE GUIDE	
Critical aspects of competency	Assessment requires that the candidate: 1.1 Selected and prepared appropriate measuring instruments in accordance with job requirements 1.2 Performed measurements and calculations according to job requirements/ ISO
2. Underpinning knowledge	TRADE MATHEMATICS / MENSURATION 2.1 Four fundamental operation 2.2 Linear measurement 2.3 Dimensions 2.4 Unit conversion 2.5 Ratio and proportion 2.6 Trigonometric functions 2.8 Algebraic equations
3. Underpinning skills	 3.1 Performing calculation by addition, subtraction, multiplication and division; trigonometric functions and algebraic equations 3.2 Visualizing objects and shapes 3.3 Interpreting formulas for volume, areas, perimeters of plane and geometric figures 3.4 Proper handling of measuring instruments
4. Resource implications	The following resources should be provided: 4.1 Workplace location 4.2 Problems to solve 4.3 Measuring instrument appropriate to carry out tasks 4.4 Instructional materials relevant to the propose activity Assessment of underpinning knowledge and practical skills may be combined
5. Methods of assessment	Competency should be assessed through: 5.1 Actual demonstration 5.2 Direct observation 5.3 Written test/questioning related to underpinning knowledge
6. Context of assessment	 6.1 Competency assessment may occur in workplace or any appropriate simulated environment 6.2 Assessment shall be observed while task are being undertaken whether individually or in group 6.3 Competency assessment must be undertaken in accordance with the TESDA assessment guidelines

UNIT OF COMPETENCY: MAINTAIN TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

UNIT CODE : CON311204

UNIT DESCRIPTOR : This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes on

checking condition, performing preventive maintenance and storing of tools and equipment based on the required

performance standards.

ELEMENTS	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Check condition of tools and equipment	 1.1 <i>Materials, tools and equipmen</i>t are identified according to classification and job requirements 1.2 Non-functional tools and equipment are segregated and labeled according to classification 1.3 Safety of tools and equipment are observed in accordance with manufacturer's instructions 1.4 Condition of <i>PPE</i> are checked in accordance with manufacturer's instructions
Perform basic preventive maintenance	 2.1 Appropriate lubricants are identified according to types of equipment 2.2 Tools and equipment are lubricated according to preventive maintenance schedule or manufacturer's specifications 2.3 Measuring instruments are checked and calibrated in accordance with manufacturer's instructions 2.4 Tools are cleaned and lubricated according to standard procedures 2.5 Defective instruments, equipment and accessories are inspected and replaced according to manufacturer's specifications 2.6 Tools are inspected, repaired and replaced after use 2.7 Work place is cleaned and kept in safe state in line with OHSA regulations
3. Store tools and equipment	 3.1 Inventory of tools, instruments and equipment are conducted and recorded as per company practices 3.2 Tools and equipment are stored safely in appropriate locations in accordance with manufacturer's specifications or company procedures

VARIABLE	RANGE
1. Materials	Including but not limited to: 1.1 Lubricants 1.2 Cleaning materials 1.3 Rust remover 1.4 Rugs 1.5 Spare parts
2. Tools and equipment	Including but not limited to: 2.1 Tools Cutting tools - hacksaw, crosscut saw, rip saw Boring tools - auger, brace, grinlet, hand drill Holding tools - vise grip, C-clamp, bench vise Threading tools - die and stock, taps 2.2 Measuring instruments/equipment
3. PPE	Including but not limited to: 3.1 Goggles 3.2 Gloves 3.3 Safety shoes 3.4 Aprons/Coveralls
4. Forms	4.1 Maintenance schedule forms4.2 Requisition slip4.3 Inventory Form4.4 Inspection Form4.5 Procedures

EVIDENCE GUIDE	
Critical aspects of competency	 Assessment requires that the candidate: 1.1 Selected and used appropriate processes, tools and equipment to carry out task 1.2 Identified functional and non-functional tools and equipment 1.3 Checked, lubricated and calibrated tools, equipment and instruments according to manufacturer's specifications 1.4 Replaced defective tools, equipment and their accessories 1.5 Observed and applied safe handling of tools and equipment and safety work practices 1.6 Prepared and submitted inventory report, where applicable 1.7 Maintained workplace in accordance with OHSA regulations 1.8 Stored tools and equipment safely in appropriate locations and in accordance with company practices
2. Underpinning knowledge	 2.1 SAFETY PRACTICES 2.1.1 Use of PPE2.1.2 Handling of tools and equipment2.1.3 Good housekeeping 2.2 MATERIALS, TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT 2.2.1 Types and uses of lubricants2.2.2 Types and uses of cleaning materials2.2.3 Types and uses of measuring instruments and equipment 2.3 PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE 2.3.1 Methods and techniques2.3.2 Procedures
3. Underpinning skills	 3.1 Preparing maintenance materials, tools and equipment 3.2 Proper handling of tools and equipment 3.3 Performing preventive maintenance 3.4 Following instructions
4. Resource implications	The following resources should be provided: 4.1 Workplace 4.2 Maintenance schedule 4.3 Maintenance materials, tools and equipment relevant to the proposed activity/task
5. Methods of assessment	Competency should be assessed through: 5.1 Direct observation 5.2 Written test/questioning relevant to Underpinning knowledge
6. Context of assessment	 6.1 Competency assessment may occur in workplace or any appropriate simulated environment 6.2 Competency assessment must be undertaken in accordance with the endorsed TESDA assessment guidelines

CORE COMPETENCIES

UNIT OF COMPETENCY UNIT CODE UNIT DESCRIPTOR

: PREPARE MASONRY MATERIALS

: CON712301

: This unit covers the knowledge, skills and attitudes in preparing mixtures used for masonry laying and surface plastering under supervision by a higher-level mason.

ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Select materials to be hauled	 1.1 Appropriate <i>personal protective equipment</i> (<i>PPE</i>) is selected and used according to job requirements. 1.2 Work instruction is secured from immediate superior 1.3 Quantity of materials to be hauled is determined according to the instruction of immediate superior 1.4 Correct quantity and type of materials to be used are secured
2. Haul materials	 2.1 Availability and serviceability of appropriate hauling equipment are checked as specified by the immediate superior 2.2 Materials are hauled based on work schedule as specified 2.3 Required materials are stockpiled based on instructions
3. Mix mortar/concrete	 3.1 <i>Mixing tools and equipment</i> to be used are checked according to job requirements 3.2 Concrete or mortar mix and quantity is determined according to the instructions 3.3 Concrete or mortar is mixed according to the instructions 3.4 Mixed concrete or mortar is supplied to the appropriate personnel based on job requirements

VARIABLE	RANGE
1. PPE	1.1 Helmet 1.2 Safety shoes 1.3 Proper uniform 1.4 Gloves 1.5 Dust mask 1.6 Safety glass
2. Materials	May include but are not limited to: 2.1 Concrete hollow blocks 2.2 Bricks 2.3 Cement 2.4 Sand 2.5 Water 2.6 Reinforcing bars / GI wires 2.7 Concrete / CW nails 2.8 Lumber 2.9 Baluster 2.10 Lime 2.11 Fly ash
3. Hauling equipment	May include but not limited to: 3.1 Skid loader 3.2 Dumper 3.3 Material hoist 3.4 Pallet 3.5 Wheel borrow 3.6 Buggy
4. Mixing tools and equipment	4.1 One bagger mixer 4.2 Two bagger mixer 4.3 Mixing board 4.4 Shovel 4.5 Pails 4.6 Screen wire (2-3mm mesh) 4.7 Mixing box 4.8 Mortar bucket

EVIDENCE GUIDE	
Critical aspects of competency	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1 Demonstrated ability to identify correct quantity and type of materials and tools / equipment used in hauling 1.2 Demonstrated ability to proper hauling and timely delivery of correct quantity of and type of materials 1.3 Demonstrated ability to identify correct quantity and type of materials and tools / equipment used in mixing 1.4 Demonstrated ability to use PPEs appropriately
2. Underpinning Knowledge	 2.1 Knowledge of basic linear measurement and simple arithmetic 2.2 Interpret and follow instructions properly 2.3 Prevention of accidents 2.4 Safe handling of materials, tools and equipment 2.5 Housekeeping for safety 2.6 Safety signs and symbols 2.7 Types of concrete blocks, bricks, cement and aggregates 2.8 Uses and types of mortar 2.9 Types of masonry anchors, ties and reinforcements
3. Underpinning Skills	3.1 Working safely 3.2 Organizing materials to be used 3.3 Mixing mortar 3.4 Proper handling and use of tools and equipment 3.5 Communicating effectively 3.6 Using basic arithmetic
4. Resource Implications	The following resources must be provided: 4.1 Workplace location 4.2 Tools, and equipment appropriate to masonry jobs 4.3 Materials relevant to the masonry works
5. Methods of Assessment	Competency must be assessed through: 5.1 Direct Observation on actual workplace 5.2 Questions related to underpinning knowledge 5.3 Third party report 5.4 Demonstration on simulated situation 5.5 Oral interview
6. Context for Assessment	6.1 Competency may be assessed in the workplace or in a simulated workplace setting

UNIT OF COMPETENCY **UNIT CODE UNIT DESCRIPTOR**

PERFORM BASIC MASONRY WORKS

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This unit deals with the outcomes required to perform basic masonry work under supervision by a higherlevel mason. It covers the skills required to perform basic re-bar fabrication such as cutting and bending, erecting and dismantling scaffolds (1.8m and below) perform for fabrication, and stripping, excavating, backfilling and compacting.

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ELEMENT	PERFORMANCE CRITERIA Italicized terms are elaborated in the Range of Variables
Perform basic re-bar fabrication	 1.1 appropriate PPE is selected and used according to job requirements 1.2 Steel bars are identified, measured, cut and bent as required 1.3 Cut and bent steel bars are segregated according to steel type and size 1.4 Basic fabrication of steel bars into wall footing, stiffener columns and lintel beams is performed following the re-bar cutting and bending schedule.
2. Erect and dismantle scaffolding (limited height)	 2.1 Components of scaffolding are checked and verified based on job requirements 2.2 Scaffolding is erected in accordance with safety practices 2.3 Scaffolding is dismantled in accordance with safety practices 2.4 Components are inventoried and returned to stockpile area based on company rules and procedures
3. Fabricate and strip form works	 3.1 Form works materials are identified, measured, cut and fabricated as required 3.2 Cut materials are segregated according to size 3.3 Basic fabrication of materials into forms for stiffener columns and lintel beams is performed following work instructions. 3.4 Form works are stripped following established procedures

Perform excavation and back filling / compaction	 4.1 Excavation work is performed based on <i>job specifications</i> 4.2 Excavated portion is filled with gravel base coarse 4.3 Back filling and compaction are performed after concreting of wall footing.
5. Perform concreting work	5.1 Concreting of wall footing, columns and lintel beam based on line and grade is performed5.2 Consolidation of concrete by vibration is performed (use of vibrator, optional)
6. Perform housekeeping	 6.1 Materials such as excess re-bars, scaffolding and form works are recovered and stockpiled according to company rules and procedures 6.2 Flooring is protected by covering it during concrete hollow blocks / bricks laying and plastering 6.3 Flooring is protected by using mixing board during manual mixing work. 6.4 Workplace is cleaned and cleared of any obstructions and hazards before, during and after work 6.5 Tools, equipment and other materials are cleaned after use

VARIABLE	RANGE
1. Steel type and size	1.1 Bar diameter (10, 12, 16 mm) 1.2 Grade of re-bar (40) 1.3 Type of bend
2. Components of scaffolding	May include but not limited to: 2.1 Steel 2.1.1 A/H frame 2.1.2 Cross brace 2.1.3 Joint pin 2.1.4 Base jack 2.1.5 Walking board 2.1.6 Toe board 2.1.7 Railing 2.1.8 Tubular pipe 2.1.9 Arm lock 2.2 Wood 2.2.1 2 x 4 rough lumber 2.2.2 2 x 2 rough lumber 2.2.3 Wood planks 2.2.4 Nails
3. Safety practices	3.1 Standard PPE3.2 Check the condition of the scaffold components3.3 Provision of appropriate safety signs3.4 Sufficient lighting for the workplace3.5 Good housekeeping
4. Form work materials	4.1 Plywood 4.2 Rough lumber 4.3 Nails 4.4 Tie wire 4.5 Form oil 4.6 Tie rod / form tie
5. Job specifications	May include but not limited to: 5.1 Established lay-out 5.2 Soil condition 5.3 Required depth and width

EVIDENCE GUIDE

EVIDENCE GUIDE	
Critical aspects of competency	 Assessment requires evidence that the candidate: 1.1 Demonstrated ability to produce the required quantity and quality of fabricated re-bars 1.2 Demonstrated ability to produce the required quantity and quality of fabricated form panels through correct cutting of form work materials 1.3 Demonstrated ability to erect and dismantle scaffold based on standard safety practices 1.4 Demonstrated ability to excavate, backfill and compact soil according to the required width and depth 1.5 Demonstrated ability to mix concrete, mortar and grout that conform with the quality requirements 1.6 Demonstrated knowledge on the importance of proper housekeeping by cleaning and clearing the work place from any obstructions and safety hazards
2. Underpinning Knowledge	 2.1 Basic linear measurement and simple arithmetic 2.2 Interpret and follow instructions 2.3 Prevention of accidents 2.4 Safe handling of materials, tools and equipment 2.5 Housekeeping for safety 2.6 Safety signs and symbols 2.7 Rules on safe erection, use and dismantling of scaffolds (1.8 m and below) 2.8 Types of masonry anchors, ties and reinforcements 2.9 Form works and platforms 2.10 Scaffoldings construction elements and materials 2.11 Fabrication of form works and re-bars 2.12 Concrete, mortar and grout mix 2.13 Excavation, back filling and compaction
3. Underpinning Skills	3.1 Working safely 3.2 Organizing materials to be used 3.3 Installing and dismantling scaffolds 3.4 Proper handling and use of tools and equipment 3.5 Communicating effectively 3.5 Applying basic arithmetic 3.6 Using PPE 3.7 Basic concreting

4. Resource Implications	The following resources must be provided: 4.1 Workplace location 4.2 Tools, and equipment appropriate to scaffold, re-bars and form works 4.3 Materials relevant to scaffold, re-bars and form works
5. Methods of Assessment	Competency must be assessed through: 5.1 Direct Observation on actual workplace 5.2 Questions related to underpinning knowledge 5.3 Third party report 5.4 Demonstration on simulated situation 5.5 Interview
6. Context for Assessment	6.4 Competency may be assessed in the workplace or in a simulated workplace setting

SECTION 3 TRAINING STANDARDS

These guidelines are set to provide the Technical and Vocational Education and Training (TVET) providers with information and other important requirements to consider when designing training programs for Masonry NC Level I.

3.1 **CURRICULUM DESIGN**

NC Level: I Course Title: Masonry

Nominal Training Hours: 28 hours (basic) 20 hours (common)

56 hours (core)

Course Description:

This course is designed to enhance the knowledge, skills and attitudes of mason in accordance with industry standards. It covers the basic, common and core competencies in Masonry NC I.

BASIC COMPETENCIES

Unit of Competency	Learning Outcomes	Methodology	Assessment Approach
Receive and respond to workplace communication	1.1 Explain routinary speaking & messages in a	Group discussion Interaction	Interviews/ questioning
	workplace		Observation
	1.2 Follow routinary speaking & message		
	1.3 Perform work duties following written notices		

2. Work with others	2.1 Develop effective workplace relationship2.2 Contribute to work group activities	Group discussion Interaction	Interviews/ questioning Demonstration Observation
3. Demonstrate work values	 3.1 Define the purpose of work 3.1 Apply work values / ethics 3.2 Deal with ethical problems 3.3 Maintain integrity of conduct in the workplace 	Group discussion Interaction	Demonstration Observation Interviews / questioning
4. Practice housekeeping procedures	 4.1 Sort and remove unnecessary items 4.2 Arrange items 4.3 Maintain work areas, tools and equipment 4.4 Follow standardize work process and procedures 4.4 Perform work spontaneously 	Group discussion Interaction	Demonstration Observation Interviews / questioning

COMMON COMPETENCIES

Unit of Competency	Learning Outcomes	Methodology	Assessment Approach
1. Prepare	1.1 Identify Materials	Audio Visual	Direct
construction materials and tools	1.2 Requisition	Simulation	observation
	Materials	Discussion	Questions or interview
	1.3 Receive and inspect materials	Practical Exercise	Portfolio
		Demonstration	(credentials)
			Written / Oral Test
			Demonstration
2. Observe	2.1 Identify and access	Audio Visual	Direct
procedures, Specifications and	specification/ manuals	Simulation	observation
Manuals of Instructions		Discussion	Oral questioning
		Practical Lab	
		Demonstration	Written test or examination
			Third party report
			Demonstration (able to impart knowledge and
			skills)

3.	Perform mensuration and calculation				Select measuring instruments	Audio Visual Simulation	Direct observation
		3.2	Carry out measurements and calculations	Discussion Practical Lab Demonstration	Oral questioning Written test or examination Third party report Demonstration (able to impart knowledge and		
4.	Maintain tools and equipment	4.1 4.2 4.3 4.4	Check condition of tools and equipment Perform basic preventive maintenance Sharpen edge and tooth cutting tools Store tools and equipment	Audio Visual Simulation Discussion Practical Lab Demonstration	skills) Direct observation of application of tasks Oral questioning Written test or examination Third party report Demonstration		

CORE COMPETENCIES

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Unit of Competency	Learning Outcomes		Methodology	Assessment Approach
Prepare masonry materials	1.1	Identify and explain the uses of tools and equipment in basic masonry works.	Lecture Demonstration On-the-Job Dual training	Observation and oral questioning Demonstration and oral questioning
	1.2	Identify and explain the composition, properties, uses and types of masonry materials.	Project-based instruction	Written test
	1.3	Enumerate and explain the basic methods and processes in masonry construction.		
	1.4	Identify and Interpret drawing symbols and plans		
	1.5	Perform trade mathematics and mensuration.		
	1.6	Perform 5S.		
	1.7	Identify and describe safework practices and first aid regulations.		
	1.8	Perform safe work practices and respond to emergency situations.		

Unit of Competency	Learning Outcomes	Methodology	Assessment Approach
2. Perform basic masonry works	 2.1 Identify and explain the uses of tools and equipment in basic masonry works. 2.2 Identify and explain the materials used in basic masonry works 2.3 Identify and 	Lecture Demonstration On-the-Job Dual training Project-based instruction	Observation and oral questioning Demonstration and oral questioning Written test
	interpret drawing symbols and plans.		
	2.4 Perform trade mathematics and mensuration.		
	2.6 Identify and describe safety practices and first aid regulations in basic masonry works		
	2.7 Perform safe work practices and respond to emergency situations.		
	2.8 Install / dismantle Scaffold.		
	2.9 Establish plumbness and squareness of surface.		
	2.10 Check all masonry works.		
	2.11 Clean work site and maintain tools and equipment.		

3.2 TRAINING DELIVERY

The delivery of training should adhere to the design of the curriculum. Delivery should be guided by the 10 basic principles of competency-based TVET.

- The training is based on curriculum developed from the competency standards:
- Learning is modular in its structure;
- Training delivery is individualized and self-paced;
- Training is based on work that must be performed;
- Training materials are directly related to the competency standards and the curriculum modules:
- Assessment is based in the collection of evidence of the performance of work to the industry required standard;
- Training is based both on and off-the-job components;
- Allows for recognition of prior learning (RPL) or current competencies;
- Training allows for multiple entry and exit; and
- Approved training programs are Nationally Accredited

The competency-based TVET system recognizes various types of delivery modes, both on and off-the-job as long as the learning is driven by the competency standards specified by the industry. The following training modalities may be adopted when designing training programs:

- The dualized mode of training delivery is preferred and recommended. Thus programs would contain both in-school and in-industry training or fieldwork components. Details can be referred to the Dual Training System (DTS) Implementing Rules and Regulations.
- Modular/self-paced learning is a competency-based training modality wherein the trainee is allowed to progress at his own pace. The trainer just facilitates the training delivery.
- Peer teaching/mentoring is a training modality wherein fast learners are given the opportunity to assist the slow learners.
- Supervised industry training or on-the-job training is an approach in training designed to enhance the knowledge and skills of the trainee through actual experience in the workplace to acquire specific competencies prescribed in the training regulations.
- Distance learning is a formal education process in which majority of the instruction occurs when the students and instructor are not in the same place. Distance learning may employ correspondence study, audio, video or computer technologies.

3.3 TRAINEE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Trainees or students wishing to gain entry into this course should possess the following requirements:

- can communicate either oral and written
- physically and mentally fit
- with good moral character
- can perform basic mathematical computation and mensuration

LIST OF TOOLS, EQUIPMENT AND MATERIALS 3.4

Recommended list of tools, equipment and materials for the training of 25 trainees for Masonry NC Level I.

	TOOLS	Е	QUIPMENT		MATERIAL
Qty.	Description	Qty.	Description	Qty.	Description
10 pcs.	Bucket	1 unit	One bagger	625	Concrete Hallow
			mixer	pcs.	blocks
1 pc	Mixing board	25 sets	PPE	20 bags	Cement
12 pcs.	Shovel	1 set	Automatic level	50 pcs.	Reinforcing bars (10
			(optional)		mm dia)
25 pcs.	Steel trowel	1 unit	Welding	6 m ³	Sand
			machine		
25 pcs.	Wooden float	2 pcs.	Portable Grinder		Water
25 pcs.	Steel tape	2 pcs.	Hammer drill	4o kls.	GI wire
6 pcs.	Mason hammer	2 pcs.	Electric drill	10 kls.	Common wire Nails
					(assorted sizes)
6 pcs.	Plumb bob			100	Lumber(2" x 2" x 10')
				pcs.	
1 set	Scaffolding			5 kls.	Concrete nails
6 pcs.	Marking gauge			10 bags	Lime
6 pcs.	Hand saw			10 bags	Fly ash
2 pcs.	Bar cutter			25 pcs.	Pencil
2 pcs.	Bar bender			5 kls.	Nylon string
4 pcs.	Steel square			6 m ³	Gravel
25 pcs.	Cold chisel			5 m	Sand Screen 100mm
12 pcs.	Hacksaw			5 gals.	Concrete neutralizer
6 pcs.	Level hose			9 pcs	Plywood ½" X 4' X 8'
25 pcs.	Straight edge				
6 pcs.	Spirit level				
25 pcs.	Claw hammer				

25 pcs.	Chalk line			
25 pcs.	Steel float			
4 pcs.	Measuring box			
2 dozen	Hack saw			
	blade			
5 kls.	Welding rod			
12 pcs.	Tri-square			
25 pcs.	Steel brush			
4 pcs.	Wheel borrow			
25 pcs.	4" Paint Brush			
25 pcs.	2" Paint Brush			
12 pcs.	Claw bar			
4 pcs.	Sledge			
	hammer			
20	Rope 1" dia.			
meters				
4 pcs.	Pulley			
1 set	Drill bits			

NOTE: Estimate of materials was based on an individual project of a 1m X 2m wall with 8" X 8" X 1m concrete post hence, the kind and quantity of materials will vary accordingly on the type of projects designed.

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3.5 TRAINING FACILITIES

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The masonry workshop must be of concrete structure. Based on class size of 25 students/trainees the space requirements for the teaching/learning and circulation areas are as follows:

TEACHING/LEARNING AREAS	SIZE IN METERS	AREA IN SQ. METERS	TOTAL AREA IN SQ. METERS
Open plain ground			625
Lecture Room (job site/ school) including wash area			62.5
Total Workshop Area			687.50

3.6 TRAINERS QUALIFICATIONS FOR MASONRY NC I

TRAINER QUALIFICATION (TQ I)

- Must be a holder of NC II or its equivalent qualification
- Must have undergone training on Training Methodology I (TM I) or have attended any trainer training methodology course accredited by TESDA or graduate of any education course
- Must be physically and mentally fit
- Must have at least 1year job/industry experience

Reference: TESDA Board Resolution No. 2004 03

3.7 INSTITUTIONAL ASSESSMENT

Institutional assessment is undertaken by trainees to determine their achievement of units of competency. A certificate of achievement is issued for each unit of competency.

SECTION 4 NATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND CERTIFICATION **ARRANGEMENTS**

- 4.1. To attain the National Qualification of Masonry NC I, the candidate must demonstrate competence through project-type assessment covering all the units listed in Section 1. Successful candidates shall be awarded a National Certificate signed by the TESDA Director General.
- 4.2. The qualification of Masonry NC I maybe attained through:
 - 4.1.1 Accumulation of Certificates of Competency (COCs) in the following areas:
 - 4.1.1.1 Prepare masonry materials
 - 4.1.1.2 Perform basic masonry work

Successful candidates shall be awarded Certificates of Competency (COCs)

- 4.1.2 Demonstration of competence through project-type assessment covering all required units of the qualification
- 4.3. Assessment shall focus on the core units of competency. The basic and common units shall be integrated or assessed concurrently with the core units.
- 4.4. The following are qualified to apply for assessment and certification:
 - 4.3.1 Graduates of formal, non-formal and informal including enterprise-based training programs
 - 4.3.2. Experienced Workers (wage employed or self-employed)
- 4.5. The guidelines on assessment and certification are discussed in detail in the "Procedures Manual on Assessment and Certification" and "Guidelines on the Implementation of the Philippine TVET Qualification and Certification System (PTQCS)".

ANNEX A

COMPETENCY MAP CONSTRUCTION - CIVIL WORKS SUB-SECTOR

MASONRY NC I

Prepare tools, Repairs defective Perform basic Plaster concrete/ Install pre-cast Prepare Prepare Surface Lav brick/ block painting concrete and masonry works masonry surfaces ballusters and masonrv for structures for Painting materials and COMPETENCIES handrails materials masonry surfaces equipment Apply special Strip Install Install **Estimate Paint** Perform Painting Stake-out Fabricate cement finishes to Formwork Formwork Framing Requirements Works **Building Formworks** concrete and Components Components Works masonry surfaces Install architectural Install stair Fabricate/Install Install built-in Perform Single Unit Perform Painting Perform Perform Minor ceiling, wall components and/or Plumbing Installation Door/Window and/or pre-Repair Work Mixing/Tinting of Construction CORE sheats/panels/ pre-fabricated stail Jambs and fabricated and Assemblies Color Paints Works boards and floor assembly **Panels** cabinets Perform Complex and Install Hot and Make Piping Joints Perform Plumbing **Draft Plumbing** Potable Chilled Multi-Story Plumbing **Conduct Pipe Prepare Pipes** and Connections Repair and Design Installation and Water Piping for Installation Leak Testing Maintenance Works System **Assemblies** COMPETENCIES Observe Procedures. Prepare Perform Interpret Technica Maintain Tools and construction Specifications and Mensurations and Perform Drawings and Materials and Tools Manuals of Instructions Equipment Mensurations Calculations **Plans** Receive and Practic Participate in workplace Practice basic housekeeping Respond to workplace Demonstrate work Work with Work in occupational **Practice** professionalism health and environment others communication \$afety procedures communication procedures COMPETENCIES Solve problems Develop team Use Develop and practice Utilize BASIC Use relevant Lead small Lead workplace specialized mathematical and individual related to technologies communication negotiation teams communication activities method skills Apply problem solving Collect, and organize Promote Plan and environment organize work techniques to workplace protection information

DEFINITION OF TERMS

1. Baluster	Refers to a post, which supports a handrail and encloses the open sections of a stairway.
2. Competency	Is the application of knowledge, skills and attitudes to perform work activities to the standard expected in the workplace.
3. Cement	Is a dry powder from silica, alumina, lime, iron oxide and magnesia which hardens when mix with water.
4. Certification	Refers to the process of verifying and validating competencies of a person through assessment.
5. Dowel	A headless, cylindrical pin which, is sunk into corresponding
6. Element	holes. Refers to the building blocks of a unit of competency. It describes in outcome terms the functions that a person who works in a particular area of work is able to perform.
7. Evidence Guide	It is a guide for assessment that provides information on critical aspects of competency, underpinning knowledge, underpinning skills, resource implications, context of assessment and assessment method.
8. General Masonry	Refers to the preparation and placement of concrete for structures; finishing masonry surfaces by plastering, chipping, grinding, jointing, sand blasting, terrazzo and other related processes; installation, laying, fitting and setting of masonry products, such as bricks, stones, marble tiles, mosaic panels and similar or associated materials.
9. Handrail	Refers to a narrow rail to be grasped by a person for support.
10. Level	Refers to the category following the level of difficulty and complexity of skills and knowledge required to do the job.
11. Lintel	Refers to the horizontal member over an opening such as door or window, usually carrying the load.

12. Mo	ortar	Refers to a mixture of cement lime and sand used for laying bricks or masonry.
T' Q	hilippine VET ualification ramework	Refers to a comprehensive, nationally consistent framework for qualifications in the TVET sector. It also provides the parameter for the integration of learning and assessment in the middle skills development.
14. Q	ualification	Refers to the national certificate issued by the TESDA or its accredited industry organizations in recognition that a person has achieved competencies relevant to a trade or industry.
	ange of /ariable	It describes the circumstances or context in which the work is to be performed.
16. R	einforcing bar	Refers to the steel rods that are embedded in building materials such as concrete for reinforcement.
17. S	caffold	Refers to a temporary or movable platform supported on the ground or suspended, used for working at considerable heights above the ground.
18. U	nit of ompetency	Refers to a discrete aspect of work, which would normally be performed by only one person.

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