PERFORM SINGLE PHASE ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE

UNIT CODE: ENG/OS/EI/CC/02/3/A

UNIT DESCRIPTION

This unit covers the competencies for selecting correct types and sizes of cables, perform cable jointing and termination, installing lighting, power points, consumer's control unit and power intake point and then repair and maintenance.

ELEMENTS AND PERFORMANCE CRITERIA

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key outcomes which	level of performance for each of the elements.		
make up workplace	Bold and italicized terms are elaborated in the Range		
functions.			
1. Select correct	1.1 Drawings are read and interpreted to determine job		
types and sizes	requirements.		
of cables	1.2 Correct type, size and quantity of cables and related		
	consumables are determined in line with job		
	requirements.		
	1.3 Tools and equipment are selected in line with job		
	requirements.		
	1.4 Correct PPE are identified and selected in line with safety		
	requirements		
2. Perform cable	2.1 Correct PPE are identified and selected in line with safety		
jointing and	requirements.		
termination	2.2 Tools and equipment are selected in line with job		
	requirements.		
	2.3 IEE regulations are adhered to.		
	2.4 Perform various types of cable joints Conduct various		
	types of cable termination.		
3. Install cables for	3.1 Safety procedures are followed based on safety		
lighting and	regulations		
power points	3.2 Wiring of lighting and power points are performed		
	according to job requirements and IEE regulations		
	3.3 Lighting and power points are grounded in accordance		
	with IEE regulations		
	3.4 Schedule of work is followed based on agreed time,		
	quality standard and minimum wastage		
	3.5 Further instructions are sought and recorded if unplanned		
	events or conditions occur		
	3.6 On-going checking of quality of work is done in		
	accordance with instructions and requirements		
4. Install power	4.1 Safety procedures are followed based on safety		
intake point	regulations		
	4.2 Tools, equipment and materials are selected in line with		

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	job requirements		
	4.3 Correct PPE are identified and selected in line with safety		
	requirements		
	4.4 Wiring of meter box components is performed according		
	to job requirements		
	4.5 Lead-in pipe is installed as per job requirements and IEE		
	requirements		
	4.6 Consumer main earthing terminal bonding is performed		
	according to IEE regulations		
	4.7 Work area is cleaned up and made safe according to OSH		
	regulations		
5. Install	5.1 Safety procedures are followed based on safety		
consumer's	regulations		
control unit	5.2 Tools, equipment and materials are selected in line with		
	job requirements		
	5.3 Correct PPE are identified and selected in line with safety		
	requirements		
	5.4 Consumer's control unit is identified according to job		
	requirements		
	5.5 Wiring of consumer's control unit is performed according		
	to job requirements and IEE regulations		
	5.6 Work area is cleaned up and made safe according to OSH		
	regulations		
6. Complete the	6.1 Final checks and tests are made to ensure that installation		
installation	conforms with instructions, requirements and IEE		
	regulations		
	6.2 Supervisor is notified upon completion of installation		
	6.3 Tools, equipment and any surplus resources and materials		
	are, where appropriate, cleaned, checked and returned to		
	storage in accordance with established procedures		
	6.4 Work area is cleaned up and made safe according to OSH regulations		
7. Repair and	7.1 Safety procedures are followed based on safety		
maintain the	regulations		
installation	7.2 Tools, equipment and materials are selected in line with		
motunution	job requirements		
	7.3 Correct PPE are identified and selected in line with safety		
	requirements		
	7.4 Faulty components are identified and replaced		
	7.5 Routine checks are carried out and acted upon according		
	to IEE regulations		

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	7.6 Waste is disposed in accordance with environmental	
	regulations	

RANGE

This section provides work environments and conditions to which the performance criteria apply. It allows for different work environments and situations that will affect performance.

Variable	Range	
Consumables include but	Insulating tapes	
not limited to:	Strip connectors	
	• Sleeves	
Tools and equipment	• Pliers	
include but not limited to:	• Screwdrivers	
	Electrician knives	
	• Steel tapes	
	Measuring tapes	
	 Hack saw and blades 	
Personal Protective	Working gloves	
Equipment (PPE) include	Overalls	
but not limited to:	Safety shoes	
	• Helmet	
	• Safety harness	
Safety procedures include	IEE regulations	
but not limited to:	Building Code	
	• Safety standards	
Lighting and power points	• Connections to switches, sockets, light fittings	
include but not limited to:		

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING

This section describes the skills and knowledge required for this unit of competency.

Interpretation of drawings	Storage of tools
Materials specifications	Maintenance of tools
Types and uses of tools and	Report writing and record keeping
equipment	 Good housekeeping
Proper PPEs	• Installation procedures

REQUIRED SKILLS

The individual needs to demonstrate the following foundation skills:

 Observation of safety requirements Drawing in cables for lighting and 	
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•	Interpreting architectural plans and		power points
	electrical drawings	•	Communication
•	Identification of lighting and power	•	Report writing and record keeping
	points		
•	Identification and handling of		
	materials, tools and equipment		

EVIDENCE GUIDE

This provides advice on assessment and must be read in conjunction with the performance criteria, required skills and knowledge and range.

1. Critical Aspects	Assessment requires evidence that the candidate:
of Competency.	1.1 Correctly interpreted work instructions and drawings
	1.2 Followed safety procedures
	1.3 Selected appropriate tools, equipment and materials
	1.4 Selected and used correct PPE
	1.5 Carried out installation of lighting and power points
	1.6 Cleaned worksite, tools and equipment
	1.7 Stored surplus materials
	1.8 Prepared reports and kept records
2. Resource	Resources relevant to this unit of competence. This include;
Implications.	Workplace location
	• PPEs
	Tools and equipment appropriate for installation of lighting
	and power points
	Materials relevant to the proposed activity
	Drawings relevant to the task
3. Methods of	Competency may be assessed through:
Assessment.	3.1 Observation
	3.2 Oral questioning
	3.3 Written test
	3.4 Portfolio of Evidence
	3.5 Interview
	3.6 Third party report
4. Context of	Competency may be assessed in an off and on the job setting.
Assessment.	Assessment shall be observed while the tasks are being
	undertaken either individually or as part of a team under limited
	supervision
5. Guidance	Holistic assessment with other units relevant to the industry
information	sector, workplace and job role is recommended.
for	
assessment.	