## Specification of Competency Standards for the Logistics Industry Unit of Competency

## Functional Area - Sales, Marketing and Customer Services

Title	Handle co-loading market transactions with air freight forwarders
Code	LOAFSM402B
Range	This unit of competency is applicable to air freight forwarders. Practitioners should be capable to analyse the difference between cargo volume and space booked, and to conduct co-loading market transaction with other air freight forwarders in order to increase the flexibility of freight forwarding agents' service combination and achieve greater profits.
Level	4
Credit	6 (For Reference Only)
Competency	Performance Requirements  1. Possess basic knowledge of co-loading market transaction  • Understand the types and characteristics of air cargo  • Understand the process of handling air cargoes  • Understand the concepts and operation of co-loading market transaction  • Understand the market trend and development to establish effective marketing plan
	<ul> <li>Understand the legal obligation and compliance of related regulatory requirement of coloaders.</li> <li>Understand the business modes of different forwarding agents and responsibilities for business operation</li> <li>Understand the process to coordinate co-loading market and cargo space</li> <li>Know about different types of cargo combination in the market</li> </ul>
	2. Handle co-loading market transactions
	<ul> <li>Maintain good relationship with other forwarding agents so as to develop a co-load market network</li> <li>Collect market information on co-loading market supply/demand for different cargo types or surplus/shortage in co-loading cargo space</li> <li>Use co-loading market transaction website for co-loading market information exchange, price enquiry and transaction</li> <li>Process co-loading market transaction documents and handle issues related to transfer of responsibilities</li> <li>Set up information exchange mechanism</li> <li>Ensure all the documents are included updated related regulatory requirement and terms to remind the co-loader to comply with</li> <li>Regular review and notice to co-loaders to ensure their compliance of rules and regulations</li> <li>Regular review and update from related regulatory departments and association and report to the company</li> </ul>
Assessment Criteria	This integrated outcome requirements of this unit of competency are:
	<ul> <li>Capable to make effective use the form of co-loading market transaction to increase the profits or reduce the loss of the company; and</li> <li>Capable to effectively release and collect information on co-loading market transaction.</li> </ul>
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