Specification of Competency Standards for the Logistics Industry Unit of Competency

Functional Area - Occupational Safety and Health

| Title | Implement code of practice for loading of vehicles |
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| Code | LOCUSH205B |
| Range | This unit of competency is applicable to all logistics and transport companies engaged in vehicle loading. Practitioners should be capable to implement the Code of Practice for Loading of Vehicles for land transport by trucks. |
| Level | 2 |
| Credit | 6 (For Reference Only) |
| Competency | Performance Requirements 1. Possess basic knowledge of trucking |
| | Understand the legal responsibilities of the company, truck owner and driver Understand the loading calculation method and limit of the trucks Understand possible dangers of overloading Understand the relevant code and guidelines for loading of vehicles stipulated by the government |
| | 2. Implement Code of Practice for Loading of Vehicles |
| | Ensure that the truck is operated by qualified personnel Ensure that the truck does not overload, overweight or exceed the loading height limit Ensure that the goods are evenly distributed on the truck according to relevant guidelines to avoid accident on the way Special goods (e.g. oversize goods) must be transported by appropriate and specially designed trucks with additional facilities or warnings, and obtain relevant permit in advance according to legal requirements Fix or tie down the goods safely on vehicle to prevent them from loosing or falling from the truck For container delivery, ensure that the container be secured safely and locked on the container truck |
| Assessment Criteria | The integrated outcome requirement of this unit of competency is: |
| | Capable to ensure that the code and guidelines for loading of vehicles stipulated by the government are strictly followed; capable to secure and fix the goods safely on the truck, and ensure the truck does not exceed the weight and height limit for transport safety. |
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