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SECTION A:	ECTION A: QUALIFICATION DETAILS														
QUALIFICATION DEVELOPER (S)				Gaborone University College of Law and Professional Studies											
TITLE	Certificate V in Electrical Installation					NCQF LEVEL			5						
FIELD	Manufacturing, Engineering and Technology			UB-F	FIELD			Electrical Installations			CRED)T\	/ALUE	1 3 0	
New Qualification			Review of Existing Qualification												
SUB-FRAMEWOR	General Educa			ation)		Т	VET			Highei	r Ed	ucation		
QUALIFICATIO N TYPE	Certificat e	t I				III		I V		V		Diploma		Bachelor	
	Bachelor Honours			Post Graduate Certificate		Post Gra	Post Graduate Diploma								
	Masters									Doctorate	/ Ph	D			

RATIONALE AND PURPOSE OF THE QUALIFICATION

RATIONALE:

With reference to the National Development Plan (NDP 11) on poverty eradication there is need to develop skills and talent within Botswana. The central thrust of Botswana's overall strategy for eradication of extreme poverty during NDP 11 will be to provide opportunities for the poor to have sustainable livelihoods (NDP 11: 2017 -2023). This will be achieved by accelerating job creation through vocational training, economic diversification and broad-based growth and strengthening human development of the poor. To realize these objectives, concerted efforts will be made to improve training and education, and to enhance skills



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development. In light with this short-term programme have been developed to sustain livelihoods and develop talent within the country by offering a qualification in electrical installations and repair.

It is further noted in HRDC Priority Skills of 2019, that electrical and equipment installers and repairers occupation is a needed skill with forecast showing the need now and in the future years.

Central to the rationale for this qualification is the development of a culture of professionalism and service excellence in the electrical installation and repair. Certificate V in Electrical Installation will provide for breadth and flexibility to match the needs of the learners, employers, and industry as a whole. It will give the learners the key skills essential to be able to function effectively as flexible, adaptable, and competitive electricians and for a lifelong career in electrical installations and repair. These skills will make the learners employable, and they will be able to make effective contributions to the electrical engineering business by being able to apply the acquired knowledge and skills.

Certificate V in Electrical Installation qualification has been designed to address knowledge and sociocultural needs and it has been recognized that ways in which education in the electrical installations sector can help stimulate the Botswana communities.

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this qualification is to produce electrical artisans who can competently conduct electrical installations, conduct maintenance, repair and construction of basic electrical systems in practice and possess knowledge attitude and interpersonal skills needed in the industry.

At the end of this qualification, graduates will be able to:

- Install and commission electrical equipment in integrated circuits.
- Read and interpret technical drawings, and electrical sketches.
- Maintain and repair electrical faults and systems.
- Apply health, safety and security procedures at the workplace.



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ENTRY REQUIREMENTS (including access and inclusion)

- (i) A minimum entry of NCQF level 4 or equivalent.
- (ii) Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) and Credit Accumulation and Transfer (CAT) will be considered for access and inclusion of prospective candidates



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SECTION B QUALIFICAT	TION SPECIFICATION		
GRADUATE PROFILE (LEARNING OUTCOMES)	ASSESSMENT CRITERIA		
Demonstrate the ability to test, fault find, maintain and repair electrical equipment.	 1.1 Isolate electrical circuits according to work procedures 1.2 Inspect for non-conformance of electrical circuits. 1.3 Test and verify the correct operation of equipment in electrical circuits. 1.4 Identify and repair or replace faulty equipment in electrical circuits accordingly in the correct procedure. 1.5 Monitor, record and maintain electrical equipment according to correct workshop standards 		
2. Read and interpret technical drawings and electrical sketches during the execution of tasks with an ability to read, interpret technical drawings, and electrical sketches.	 2.1 Apply principles of electrical engineering in solving integrated circuit in electrical drawing. 2.2 Demonstrate the principles and operation of electrical circuits in accordance with circuit and equipment specifications. 3.3 2.3 Interpret and construct electronic circuits according to circuit diagrams and components provided. 		
Construct and interpret basic electronic	3.1 Interpret wiring diagrams 3.2 Use tools and equipment according to manufacturer		
circuits in electrical appliances and systems	operating guidelines.		



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	3.3 Source out tools and equipment from available
	supplies.
	3.4 Identify faulty tools and take corrective action in
	accordance with workplace procedures
	4.1 Identify and report basic electrical related problems
4. Operate in a safe and efficient working	and hazards according to workplace standards.
environment	4.2 Demonstrate efficient operation as a team member.
	4.3 Clean and inspect isolated electrical equipment.
5. Install and commission electrical equipment in	. 5.1 Identify and install components and equipment
integrated circuits	relating to the installation of integrated electrical circuits.
	5.2 Connect components and equipment in integrated
	electrical circuits according to technical diagrams.
	5.3 Demonstrate understanding of health and safety
	procedures in conducting practical assignments.
	5.4 Integrate circuit installations according to statutory
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	5.5 Remove and replace components according to
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SECTION C	QU	ALIFICATION	I STRUCTUR	RE		
COMPONENT	OMPONENT TITLE		Credits Per Relevant NCQF Level			
		Level [5]	Level [6]	Level [7]		
FUNDAMENTAL COMPONENT	Engineering drawing	10			10	
Subjects/ Courses/ Modules/Units	Introduction to Information and Communications Technology	10			10	
	Entrepreneurial Skills	10			10	
	Technical Mathematics	10			10	
CORE COMPONENT	Electrical Engineering Technology	10			10	
Subjects/Courses/ Modules/Units	Health and Safety in the Work Environment	10			10	
	Electrical and Electronics Materials and Components	10			10	
	Basic Electrical Machines	15			15	
	Electrical Installation and Maintenance	20			20	
	Work based learning (internship)	25			25	
ELECTIVES						



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SUMMARY OF CREDIT DISTRIBUTION FOR EACH COMPONENT PER NCQF LEVEL				
TOTAL CREDITS	TOTAL CREDITS PER NCQF LEVEL			
NCQF Level	Credit Value			
5	130			
TOTAL CREDITS	130			
Rules of Combination:				
(Please Indicate combinations for the different constituent components of the qualification)				
Fundamental = 40 credits at Level 5				
Core = 90 credits at level 5.				
Total = 130 credits				



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ASSESSMENT ARRANGEMENTS

The assessment for this qualification shall comprise of both formative and summary assessments. Both formative and summative assessment processes are accounted for to monitor progress during the qualification and to determine competence of the learners at the end of the qualification.

The formative assessment shall contribute 60% and summative assessment shall make up the remaining 40%.

MODERATION ARRANGEMENTS

All assessment tools and processes shall undergo internal and external moderation. The internal and external moderation shall be conducted through ETP policies which will be aligned with the National policies.

Assessment and moderation shall be conducted by BQA registered assessors and moderators.

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING

There will be provision for Recognition of Prior Learning for award of the qualification using ETP RPL Policy in line with the National RPL Policy

CREDIT ACCUMULATION AND TRANSFER

There will be provision for Credit Accumulation and Transfer, CAT for award of the qualification using ETP Policy in line with the National CAT Policy

PROGRESSION PATHWAYS (LEARNING AND EMPLOYMENT)

Learning pathways

Vertical:

- Diploma in Electronics
- Diploma in Electrical Engineering



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• Diploma in Mechanical Engineering

Horizontal

- Certificate V in Electronics
- Certificate V in Electrical Engineering

EMPLOYMENT PATHWAYS

After successfully completing this qualification, the graduate is equipped to be:

- Wire installers.
- Construction electricians.
- Electrical maintenance workers.
- House wirers.

QUALIFICATION AWARD AND CERTIFICATION

Upon successful completion of 130 credits the candidate will be awarded a Certificate V in Electrical Installation qualification.

REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COMPARABILITY

The proposed qualification was benchmarked with Equip Africa Institute of Kenya, Certificate in Electrical Installation and Electrical Installation, Wiring and Maintenance Certification of Zoe Talent Solutions in Dubai. In terms of main exit outcomes, the above qualifications compare similarly to the proposed qualification as they all intend to equip the learner with skills and competencies required to plan, install, test, maintain and repair different types of electrical installations.

Certificate in Electrical Installation and Electrical Installation- Equip Africa Institute in Kenya,

Although the modules are not indicated under the Kenyan qualification, as well as credits, its entry requirements (which when mapped in the NCQF equates to NCQF level 4) suggest that it is similar to the proposed qualification.

Wiring and Maintenance Certification - Zoe Talent Solutions in Dubai.



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The qualification is not credited with no NQF level and assessment weightings. However, the content indicated on this qualification correlate with the proposed qualification especially on the main subject of electrical installation, wiring, technical drawing, safety in the workplace, electrical systems, and maintenance.

A direct comparison of the title, specific outcomes, assessment criteria and embedded knowledge was benchmarked against two similar qualifications regionally and internationally (see attached).

REVIEW PERIOD

The qualification will be reviewed every 5 years