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## DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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National Qualifications Framework Act, 2008 (Act 67 of 2008), as amended

**CALL FOR COMMENTS ON THE PROPOSED OCCUPATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR  
REGISTRATION ON THE OCCUPATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS  
SUB-FRAMEWORK FOR TRADES AND OCCUPATIONS**

I, Vijayen Naidoo, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO), hereby publish the following 09 Occupational Qualifications and 02 Part-Qualifications for public comments in terms of Section 27 (h) (iv) of the National Qualifications Framework Act, 2008, as amended, and the Skills Development Act 97 of 1998, as amended, in terms of Section 26 H (3) (C):

No.	Qualification Type	Qualification Title	NQF Level	Credits	Field No	Field Name	Sub Field Name
1.	Qualification	Advanced Occupational Diploma: Chief Information Officer: Cybersecurity	7	120	10	Mathematical, Physical, Computer and Life Sciences	Information Technology and Computer Sciences
2.	Qualification	Higher Occupational Certificate: Environmental Practitioner	5	170	10	Physical, Mathematical, Computer and Life Sciences	Environmental Sciences
3.	Part-Qualification	Occupational Certificate: Environmental Monitor	3	102	10	Physical, Mathematical, Computer and Life Sciences	Environmental Sciences
4.	Qualification	National Occupational Certificate: Sales Representative	4	155	11	Services	Wholesale and Retail
5.	Qualification	Intermediate Occupational Certificate: Cleaning Practitioner	3	120	9	Health & Social Services	Preventative Health

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6.	Qualification	Higher Occupational Certificate: Business Development Officer	5	234	3	Business, Commerce and Management Studies	Finance, Economics and Accounting
7.	Qualification	Higher Occupational Certificate: Advertiser	5	120	3	Business, Commerce and Management Studies	Marketing
8.	Qualification	Advanced Occupational Diploma: Financial Administration Manager	7	232	3	Preventative Health	Public Administration
9.	Qualification	National Occupational Certificate: Occupational Health and Safety Officer	4	120	9	Health Sciences and Social Services.	Preventative Health
10.	Part-Qualification	OHS Assistant	4	44	9	Health Sciences and Social Services.	Preventative Health
11.	Qualification	National Occupational Certificate: Plasterer	4	560	12	Physical Planning and Construction	Building Construction

Details on the abovementioned qualifications are obtainable from the QCTO website. To access the QCTO website please go to [www.qcto.org.za](http://www.qcto.org.za), click on Occupational Qualifications, click on Qualifications for Public Comments you will find details on the specific Qualifications Gazetted for public comments.

Three documents per qualification will be found:

- a) Qualification Document;
- b) Curriculum Document; and
- c) External Assessment Specifications Document

Please take note that the public comments are on the Qualification Document. The Qualification Document needs to be read in the context of the supporting documents provided i.e. the Curriculum Document as well as the External Assessment Specifications Document.

All interested persons and organizations are invited to comment on the qualifications on this notice in writing. Comments should include the name of the person or organization as well as contact details such as postal address, telephone number, fax number and email address. Comments must be emailed to [publiccomments@qcto.org.za](mailto:publiccomments@qcto.org.za).

Comments should reach the QCTO within 21 days after the publication of this notice.

Kind Regards,



**Mr. V Naidoo**

**Chief Executive Officer (CEO): Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO)**

**Date:** 08/02/2023