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DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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QUALITY COUNCIL FOR TRADES AND OCCUPATIONS (QCTO)

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

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

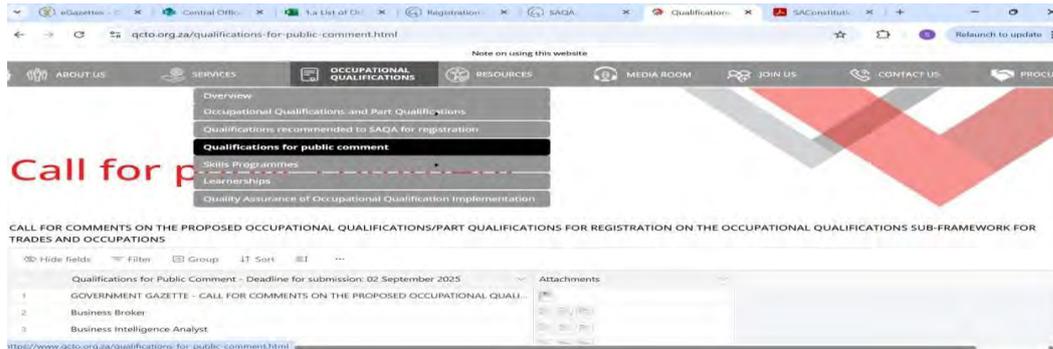
I, Vijayen Naidoo, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO), hereby publish the following eight (08) Occupational Qualification and two (2) part qualifications intended for recommendation for registration on the National Qualifications Framework (NQF) under the Occupational Qualifications Sub framework (OQSF) in terms of Section 27 (h) (iv) of the National Qualifications Framework Act, 2008, as amended.

The publication of a notice on a Government Gazette is part of a consultative process with relevant stakeholders as required by SAQA Policy and criteria for the registration of qualifications and part-qualifications on the NQF (As amended, 2022).

The details of the occupational qualifications and part qualifications for public comments are tabulated below:

No.	Qualification/ Part- Qualification	Qualification Type	Qualification Descriptor	NQF Level	Credits	Curriculum Code
1.	Qualification	Advanced Occupational Diploma	Christian Religious Professional	7	120	263601-007-00-00
2.	Qualification	Advanced Occupational Certificate	Christian Ministry Visional Leader	6	120	263601-006-00-00
3.	Qualification	Higher Occupational Certificate	Christian Ministry Administrator	5	120	263601-005-01-00
4.	Qualification	Advanced Occupational Certificate	Municipal Financial Management Official	6	123	121101-002-00-00
4.1	Part Qualification	Occupational Certificate	Public Sector Supply Chain Management Official	6	34	121101-002-00-01
4.2	Part Qualification	Occupational Certificate	Financial Statements Preparation Official	6	33	121101-002-00-02
5	Qualification	Higher Occupation Certificate	Junior Military Officer	5	130	134703-001-00-00
6.	Qualification	Higher Occupational Certificate	Traffic Officer	5	130	541201-000-00-00
7.	Qualification	Higher Occupational Certificate	Business Analysis Associate	5	124	242101-001-00-00
8.	Qualification	Advanced Occupational Certificate	Business Analysis Practitioner	6	128	242101-002-00-00

Detailed documents relating to the abovementioned are obtainable from the QCTO website www.qcto.org.za, click on Occupational Qualifications, click on Qualifications for Public Comment, all information on qualifications for public comments is available as indicated in a screenshot below:



Three documents per qualification/part qualification are available:

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

Please take note that the Qualification Document must be read in the context of the supporting documents provided, i.e. the Curriculum Document as well as the Qualification Assessment Specifications Document.

All interested people/stakeholders/organizations are invited to comment on the qualifications/part qualifications. All written comments are to be sent to the QCTO within the prescribed 21 days period from the date of publication of the government gazette notice.

Public comments are to be sent in writing. Such comments should specify which of the three documents the comments relate to, including specific details on section or clause for which the comments relate to. Public comments should include the name of the person/stakeholder/organization submitting comments as well as contact details such as postal address, telephone/cell number and email address. Comments must be emailed to publiccomments@qcto.org.za

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Date: 03/03/2026