Qualification Title: GQA Level 4 NVQ Diploma in Controlling Lifting Operations-Supervising Lifts (Construction)

Qualification Number: 603/3814/3

Qualification Specification

# Who is this qualification for?

This is a work-based learning qualification that enables individuals to carry out the supervising of lifts in the Construction working environment. Candidates must prove competent to carry out at least two of the following checks during preparation work for lifting operations:

 –for condition, for fit for purpose, on health and safety, on environmental or on people.

Candidates must also identify, select and/or acquire and maintain at least three of the following resources:

– people, plant, equipment or machinery, materials and components, sub-contractors, work and facilities, waste management, utility providers.

All work must be completed following Industry recognised Safe Working Practices and in accordance with relevant legislations.

This qualification is at Level 4, although some units may be at different levels and should be taken by those who are fully trained to deal with a range of tasks and situations.

# Entry requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for learners undertaking this qualification. However, centres must ensure that learners have the potential and opportunity to gain the qualification successfully.

# CSCS Cards

On completion of this qualification and either the CITB Health, Safety and Environmental touch screen test or the GQA Health and Safety assessment paper you will be eligible to apply for a full GQA CSCS Card. The health and safety evidence must have been completed within the 2 years preceding application. Once registered you will be eligible to apply for a temporary card provided you also meet the health and safety requirements. For more information please see: <https://gqaqualifications.com/construction-skills-certification-scheme/>

# Qualification support

This qualification has been designed and developed by GQA Qualifications with the support of ConstructionSkills.

# Regulatory information

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| Countries offered in:  | England |
| Qualification type: | Occupational Qualification |
| Subject/sector areas  | Building and construction |
| Qualification operational start date:  | 01-Dec-2018 |
| Qualification end date:  | 30-Nov-2022 |
| Applicable age ranges (years):  | 16-18, 19+ |

# Further information

Further information about this qualification can be obtained from: [www.gqaqualifications.com/qualifications](http://www.gqaqualifications.com/qualifications)

You can also contact GQA Qualifications directly at:

GQA Qualifications Ltd, Unit 1, Provincial House, Sheffield S4 7WW.

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# Qualification achievement

The qualification consists of 8 mandatory units with a total credit value of 74 credits. Qualifications are now required to indicate the total qualification time (TQT), this is to show the typical time it will take someone to attain the required skills and knowledge to meet the qualification criteria, this qualification has a TQT of 740 hours.

Qualifications are also required to indicate the number of hours of teaching someone would normally need to gain the skills and knowledge to achieve the qualification. These are referred to as Guided Learning Hours (GLH). The GLH for this qualification is 317.

GQA qualifications are made up of units that have a credit value or credits. These credits must be achieved in the correct combination of mandatory and optional units. Qualifications are now required to indicate the total qualification time (TQT), this is to show the typical time it will take someone to attain the required skills and knowledge to meet the qualification criteria.

The units of assessment set out learning outcomes which describe what learners need to be able to do and understand. The learning outcomes are defined by assessment criteria which are used to assess competence, expressed as skills achieved and learned knowledge and understanding, to achieve the units. Achievement of the mandatory unit and optional units will mean the qualification has been completed and will be subject to approval of a claim for certification. GQA Qualifications will issue a certificate complete with the learner’s name, the qualification and unit titles and the credits achieved.

# Qualification Structure

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| **Qualification Title:**  | GQA Level 4 NVQ Diploma in Controlling Lifting Operations-Supervising Lifts (Construction) |
| **Qualification Number (QAN):** | 603/3814/3 |
| **Total Credits:** | 74 |
| **Total Qualification Time (TQT):** | 740 |
| The qualification consists of 8 mandatory units with a total credit value of 74 credits. |
| **Unit number**  | **Title**  | **Level** | **Credit** |
| **Mandatory Units** |
| L/617/3372 | Supervising Lifting Operations Using Lifting Equipment in the Workplace | 3 | 12 |
| M/507/9538 | Maintaining Systems for Health, Safety, Welfare and Environmental Protection in the Workplace | 4 | 8 |
| M/503/2915 | Developing and Maintaining Good Occupational Working Relationships in the Workplace | 5 | 8 |
| D/507/9549 | Co-ordinating Preparation Work for Site or Lifting Operations in the Workplace | 3 | 8 |
| M/507/9541 | Coordinating and Organising the Control of Work in the Workplace | 4 | 12 |
| D/600/7552 | Allocating Work and Checking People’s Performance in the Workplace | 5 | 9 |
| A/507/9543 | Allocating and Monitoring the Use of Plant, Equipment or Machinery in the Workplace | 4 | 9 |
| D/600/7521 | Maintaining the Dimensional Accuracy of Work in the Workplace | 3 | 8 |

# Assessment

The qualification must be assessed using the following assessment method:

* Portfolio of Evidence

Learners are required to achieve all learning outcomes within units of assessment. All assessment is subject to internal quality assurance within approved centres providing this qualification. External quality assurance of assessment and internal quality assurance within approved centres is provided by GQA Qualifications.