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NON-ACCREDITED TRAINING IN THE GREEN SECTOR

Guidelines for Training Providers

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Non-accredited training courses within the green sector must demonstrate their relevance to the sector and alignment with recognised industry needs, practices or standards.

Supporting Documentation

Given the broad scope of the sector, the supporting documentation required will depend on the specific area or subsector covered by the course.

Training Providers must obtain confirmation from the competent Ministry, public authority, agency, regulator or recognised sector body relevant to the subject matter of the training. Where the appropriate entity is unclear, the Training Provider should approach the Ministry responsible for the relevant policy area, which may provide the confirmation directly or identify the appropriate entity.

The supporting documentation must relate specifically to the course being submitted and demonstrate, with a brief explanation, that each of the following requirements is met:

- **Green-sector relevance:** The course falls within, or is directly relevant to the green sector, identifying the specific area concerned.
- **Industry relevance:** The knowledge, skills and competences covered are relevant to current industry needs and practices, briefly identifying the needs or practices addressed.
- **Alignment with recognised standards or objectives:** The course aligns with relevant industry standards, practices, policies and/or sectoral objectives, briefly identifying those concerned.
- **Workforce relevance:** The training has clear occupational or professional relevance for persons working or developing skills within the respective area.

Green-sector areas may include but are not limited to sustainability and ESG, renewable energy, energy efficiency, waste management and the circular economy, sustainable construction, water and resource management, and green mobility.

The documentation is intended to provide independent evidence of the course's **industry relevance** and does not need to constitute formal accreditation, approval or endorsement of the course by the respective entity.

Assessment and Certification

Certificates based solely on attendance are not accepted. Certification must be based on an appropriate assessment that demonstrates the participant's acquisition of the relevant knowledge, skills and/or competences.

Other Eligibility Requirements

Recognition as Green-sector training does not in itself make a course eligible under the MySkills Scheme. The course must also satisfy the Scheme's other eligibility requirements.

In particular, the following types of training are not eligible for funding:

- courses similar to existing training already offered by Jobsplus;
- workshops, seminars and conferences;
- training that is compulsory for legal, licensing or employment purposes;
- training required by law or necessary to access or continue practising in a regulated profession; and
- training required to meet legal or immigration status requirements, including integration or cultural orientation courses linked to residency status.

Training relating to sectors or activities excluded under the applicable State aid/de minimis framework is also not eligible. Training Providers should refer to the [official MySkills Scheme webpage](#) for the relevant course submission guidelines.

Training Course Eligibility

All supporting documentation will be considered by Jobsplus as part of the overall assessment of the course against the MySkills Scheme eligibility requirements.

Training Providers are kindly reminded that submission of the required documentation does not automatically guarantee the course's inclusion in the MySkills Course Catalogue.



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