

# Intro to Unit 4 Trading Standards Law Part 2 Weights and Measures

## UNIT DESCRIPTION

This unit will provide you with the knowledge and understanding of the legal metrology framework in the UK (and how it interacts with the EU). You will learn about the legal requirements for the principles of measurement of mass, length, volume follow and density. You will learn how to examine and test equipment and apply your regulatory powers and take appropriate enforcement action when errors are identified.

## **Learning Outcomes:**

At the end of this module, the student will be able to demonstrate knowledge of:

- 1. Knowledge and understanding of the requirements of metrology and the legal controls that regulates the consumer protection environment in this area.
- 2. Knowledge and understanding of relevant of case law which has interpreted the legislation.
- 3. Knowledge and understanding of specific powers and enforcement methodology specific to the legislation being studied.
- 4. Skills relating to the practical enforcement of each area of law, including evaluation of product, testing and sampling where appropriate.

## **Unit Assessments:**

**Written exam:** You will register for Stage 2 and complete the associated 2 hour written exam and demonstrate the knowledge requirements for this subject.

**Practical and Oral exams**: are conducted at the OPSS Teddington offices.

**Reflective Statement:** The 2000-word reflective statement will be submitted online using the system provided by CTSI.

**Professional Interview:** The 20 min exam will be conducted face-to-face at a venue confirmed by CTSI each year. This will be under strict regulation. Your interview will be monitored by a separate moderator to ensure consistency within marking.

**Portfolio:** You will complete the associated portfolio and demonstrate the skills requirement for this subject. You may not take the professional interview or practical and oral examinations if the portfolio is not submitted.

## UNIT INFO

#### **Assessment types:**

Written exam (2 hours)
Practical (2 hours)
Oral (30 mins) exams
Professional Interview (20 mins)
Portfolio
Reflective statement (2000 words)

#### **Deadlines:**

Portfolio final submission deadline 1 April prior to taking examinations.

Reflective statement final submission deadline 1 March 2021 prior to taking examinations.

# Unit designated learning hours:

200 hours (delivered by both training and self-learning hours)

Once registered into the CPCF more resources and guidance can be found on the website.

#### **Qualifications Team info:**

Available Mondays to Fridays. 9am to 4pm

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### Classification of marks:

All examinations are marked out of 100% and with a pass mark of 40%.

On passing an examination/coursework you will be graded with the following classifications: Distinction, Merit and Pass.

All effort should be made to gain the highest mark possible throughout the examining process.

Classification	Marks
Distinction	70-100%
Merit	60-69%
Pass	40-59%
Fails	0-39%

# **CPCF Regulations and Policies:**

CTSI published a set of regulations that govern the process and procedures of delivery and candidate requirements for the CPCF. These <u>regulations</u> can be found on our website.

Please ensure you are familiar with all aspects within the regulations, taking particular notice of any area relating to examinations, coursework and deadlines.

CTSI will publish <u>announcements</u> surrounding the CPCF qualification from time to time. These are found on the website.

It is important that you are aware of any notifications provided by CTSI throughout the year to ensure you are meeting any/all requirements that the Executive or the Qualifications and Awards Board have identified.