

# Building Services Engineering



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## Gas ENGINEERING Qualifications Assessment Update



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9074, 6014, 5991, 6012, 6034, 9189, 6189, 6288 7428 & 7447 \ Gas Assessment Update (2021-1) Version: 1.0 © City & Guilds & BLUE flame associates SUMMARY OF GAS ASSESSMENT UPDATES 2021

### **SUMMARY OF GAS ASSESSMENT UPDATES 2021**

This document describes the main updates that have been made to the 'Gas Assessments' as a result of new qualifications being made available, technical standard changes and the ACS Criteria published by EU Skills.

#### ***TECHNICAL UPDATES***

The following documents have had the technical changes summarised included and should be implemented with immediate effect.

#### ***PRACTICAL ISA ASSESSMENTS:***

##### ***ISA 1***

The existing PAW Questions (Supplementary 2020) and associated model answers have been replaced by PAW Questions (Supplementary 2021). These include an additional question on the use of non-contact live-circuit detector (volt stick) and portable combustion gas analysers.

##### ***ISA 7***

Assessors Marking Sheet, Candidates Job Sheet & Route Plans have been updated to Version 5.0 including a revised oral question.

##### ***ISA 11***

PAW Questions (Supplementary 2021) and associated model answers have been created to include new criteria relating to the use of a non-contact live-circuit detector (volt stick) and ventilation.

##### ***ISA 12***

PAW Questions (Supplementary 2021) and associated model answers have been created to include new criteria relating to the use of a non-contact live-circuit detector (volt stick) and let-by testing.

##### ***ISA 14***

The existing PAW Questions (Supplementary 2020) and associated model answers have been replaced by PAW Questions (Supplementary 2021). These include additional questions on the use of a non-contact live-circuit detector (volt stick) and ventilation.

#### ***NEW STANDARDS***

The following new reference document will be required and is available via the Gas Safe Register website:

- TB 118

## **ASSESSMENT PACKS (GAS SAFE REGISTER ALIGNMENT)**

### **6189 ASSESSMENT PACKS (GSR ALIGNMENT):**

These have been updated to Version 5.0 to reflect the technical and editorial changes outlined in this update that are applicable to the 6189 Scheme.

### **9074 ASSESSMENT PACKS (GSR ALIGNMENT):**

These have been updated to Version 4.0 to reflect the technical and editorial changes outlined in this update that are applicable to the 9074 Scheme.

### **9189 ASSESSMENT PACKS (GSR ALIGNMENT):**

These have been updated to Version 3.0 to reflect the technical and editorial changes outlined in this update that are applicable to the 9189 Scheme.

**END OF UPDATE**

## **SUMMARY OF 6288 GAS ASSESSMENT UPDATES 2021**

This document describes the main updates that have been made to the 'Gas Assessments' as a result of new qualifications being made available, technical standard changes and the ACS Criteria published by EU Skills.

### **TECHNICAL UPDATES**

The following documents have had the technical changes summarised included and should be implemented with immediate effect.

### **PRACTICAL ISA ASSESSMENTS:**

#### **ISA ND1**

A Practical Assessment Workbook (PAW) (Supplementary 2021) paper and associated model answers have been created to include new criteria relating to the use of a non-contact live-circuit detector (volt stick).

### **NEW STANDARDS**

The following new reference document will be required and is available via the Gas Safe Register website:

- TB 118

## **ASSESSMENT PACKS (GAS SAFE REGISTER ALIGNMENT)**

### **6288 ASSESSMENT PACK (GSR ALIGNMENT):**

This has been updated to Version 2.0 to reflect the technical and editorial changes outlined in this update that are applicable to the 6288 Scheme.

**END OF UPDATE**

**To ensure you are assessing to the latest standards please ensure you are using the latest version of assessment documentation.**

**PDF copies of all updates are uploaded on to the relevant qualification webpage.**

## Gas Safe Register Requirements

We have included this item as a reminder, due to Gas Safe Register requirements, City and Guilds are no longer able to transfer candidate data which does not include a photograph to Gas Safe Register.

As of 27 March 2020, candidates achieving qualifications which lead to Gas Safe Registration and have no photograph uploaded within Walled Garden will not be transferred to Gas Safe Register. City and Guilds request you review all existing candidates and ensure the required information is uploaded to Walled Garden before certification.

- **National Insurance Number**
- **An electronic photograph that adheres to the photo specification requirements detailed below**
- **Learner home address**

It is important that the information provided is correct and the photograph is of the correct quality and format otherwise it will prevent the candidate becoming Gas Safe Register Qualified. On any occasion we are unable to transfer candidate data to Gas Safe Register an automated email will be issued to your Examinations Officer or Gas Safe contact to advise of the situation, City and Guilds request the missing information is uploaded via Walled Garden as soon as possible.

There have been instances with centres uploading incorrect candidate details and other forms of identification via photo submission, this also runs the risk of data breach and data protection, please ensure you are adhering to the correct processes. For candidate amendments please ensure you are selecting the correct reason for the amendment and then uploading the evidence, please do not select photo submission for this option.

### **Photo specification requirements**

The photo must be of passport quality i.e. be in sharp focus and clear in colour, black and white is not allowed

taken against a plain light grey or plain cream background (no background objects)

a close-up of the learner's head and shoulders (no chest or body)

free from shadows

taken with eyes open and clearly visible (with no sunglasses or tinted glasses, and no hair across the eyes)

free from reflection or glare on glasses, and the frames must not cover the eyes (where possible, we recommend that glasses are removed)

free from red eye

of the learner facing forward, looking straight at the camera with a neutral expression and mouth closed (no grinning, frowning or raised eyebrows)

of the learner on their own

taken of the full head, without any covering, unless it is worn for religious beliefs or medical reasons

taken with nothing covering the learners face

a strong definition between face and background

be a jpeg file type with a minimum resolution of at least 200 (width)x(300(height) a maximum file size of 100Kb

Gas Safe Register will not accept the image where it does not meet this specification.

If you have any further questions please contact our Customer support team on:

Phone: 0844 543 0000

email: [centresupport@cityandguilds.com](mailto:centresupport@cityandguilds.com)

(Open 08:00 to 18:00 Monday to Friday)

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Salim Visram, Robert Mallender and David Pye

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