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ISSUED: TO GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY (GCC) CANDIDATES

SUBJECT: APPROVED EXAMINATION CENTRES FOR GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY (GCC) FACTORIES EXAMINATIONS

The Chief Directorate: Occupational Health and Safety through Commissioner of Examiners (COE) hereby inform all prospective and registered candidates of the implementation of an approved list of examination centres for GCC Factories examinations.

The purpose of this measure is to strengthen the integrity, credibility, security and proper administration of the GCC examination process and to ensure that all candidates are assessed under consistent and controlled examination conditions.

Approved GCC Examination Centres

With effect from the November 2026 examination session, the Department of Employment and Labour shall only recognise and accept examination from exam centres that have been assessed and formally approved by the Commissioner of Examiners, appointed by the Chief Inspector in terms of the Regulations concerning Certificates of Competency. Only examination centres listed in Annexure 1 shall be authorised to administer GCC examinations from the November 2026 examination session onward.

Information for Candidates

Candidates are advised to ensure that they register for and write their examinations only at an officially approved GCC examination Centre. Candidates are strongly encouraged to verify the approval status of an examination centre before making arrangements to write a GCC examination. The Department will communicate any amendments to the approved examination centre list through the appropriate official communication channels.

Enquiries

For further information or verification of an examination centre, institutions and candidates may contact:

Department of Employment and Labour
Chief Directorate: Occupational Health and Safety
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Yours faithfully,



Ms. M Ruiters

Chief Inspector

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ANNEXURE 1



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DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND LABOUR **GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATE OF COMPETENCY** **(GCC) EXAMINATION CENTRES**

PROVINCE	TOWN	CENTRE NAME	CENTRE NUMBER
Western Cape	Cape Town	Pinelands Campus	199995164
Northern Cape	Kimberley	Northern Cape Campus	299995215
	Kathu	Kathu Campus	299995210
Free State	Sasolburg	Sasolburg Campus	399995312
Eastern Cape	Port Elizabeth	Russell Road Campus	499995419
Kwazulu Natal	Durban	Durban Campus	599995503
	Richards Bay	Richtek Campus	599995517
Mpumalanga	Evander	Evander Campus	699995604
	Nelspruit	Nelspruit Campus	699995608
	Witbank	Witbank Campus	699995611
Limpopo	Seshego	Seshego Campus	799990707
	Phalaborwa	Phalaborwa Campus	799995705
	Ellisras	Ellisras campus	799995701
Gauteng	Carletonville	Carletonville Campus	899995907
	Centurion	Centurion campus	899995943
	Kempton Park	Kempton Park Campus	899995819
	Pretoria	Tshwane University of Technology	899995852
North West	Klerksdorp	Jouberton campus	999990902
	Rustenburg	Rustenburg campus	999995915