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### **Level 3 Apprenticeship Framework**

Driving Goods Vehicles

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The content of this framework has been agreed between the Department for the Economy and The Institute of the Motor Industry (IMI). This is the only Level **3** training in this skill acceptable for the receipt of Apprenticeships NI funding.

1. **GENERAL**

This framework specifies the standards and criteria for the delivery of Level 3 Apprenticeship training provision within the Logistics sector. Successful completion of the provision will lead to the award of a Level 3 qualification and recognition as a qualified driver within the logistics sector.

1. **MANDATORY OUTCOMES**

Achievement of these qualifications will be assessed by verification through the appropriate awarding body. Participants must complete one of the pathways below and achieve a combined competence / knowledge based qualification at Level 3, an Employee Rights and Responsibilities qualification at Level 2 and the Essential Skills stated below. Full breakdowns of the combinations of units that will enable achievement of the qualifications are available from the Awarding Organisation or on the qualifications website. <http://register.ofqual.gov.uk/Qualification>

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| **PATHWAY 1 – Van Driver / Team Leader** **Combined Competence and Knowledge Based Qualifications**  |
| Highfield Level 3 Diploma in Driving Goods Vehicles (Option V) 600/3706/4  |

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| **PATHWAY 2 – Rigid Vehicle Driver / Team Leader****Combined Competence and Knowledge Based Components** |
| Highfield Level 3 Diploma in Driving Goods Vehicles (Option R) 600/3706/4 |

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| Pathway 3 – Articulated / Drawbar Driver / Team Leader**Combined Competence and Knowledge Based Components** |
| ORHighfield Level 3 Diploma in Driving Goods Vehicles (Option A) 600/3706/4 |

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| Pathway 4 – Transporting Freight by Road (Van)**Combined Competence and Knowledge Based Components** |
| Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Certificate in Transporting Goods by Road (Option D) 600/8248/3 |

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| Pathway 5 – Transporting Freight by Road (Rigid)**Combined Competence and Knowledge Based Components** |
| Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Certificate in Transporting Goods by Road (Option C) 600/8248/3 |

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| Pathway 6 – Transporting Freight by Road (Articulated / Drawbar)**Combined Competence and Knowledge Based Components** |
| Pearson Edexcel Level 3 Certificate in Transporting Goods by Road (Option B) 600/8248/3 |

3.0 Mandatory essential Skills

 Application of Number - Level **2**  Communication - Level **2**

4.0 EMPLOYMENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES (ERR)

The ERR is now a Level 2 Award and apprentices must achieve one of the qualifications listed below. A workbook to support this is available from the IMI Website: <http://www.theimi.org.uk/sites/default/files/documents/SFL-ERR-Workbook.pdf>

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| **Awarding Organisation** | **Qualification NuMBER**  |
| CILT(UK) Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/6024/4 |
| City & Guilds Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/1361/8 |
| EAL Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/4981/9 |
| FDQ Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/4380/5 |
| Highfield Level 2 Award In Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/3313/7 |
| iCQ Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/6392/0 |
| NCFE Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/4474/3 |
| Pearson EDEXCEL Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/1217/1 |
| Skillsfirst Level 2 Award in Employee Rights and Responsibilities in the Logistics Industry | 600/2246/2 |

5.0 **RESPONSIBILITY**

 It is the responsibility of the training supplier to ensure that the requirements of this framework are delivered in accordance with ApprenticeshipsNI Operational Guidelines.

**The Participant must be employed from day one**

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Further information may be obtained from either organisation

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