

Scotland Route 3: Crediting Electrotechnical Competence



TO BE ELIGIBLE

NO FORMAL QUALIFICATIONS:
You must have at least 10 years' experience as a practising electrician

OR

WITH RELEVANT QUALIFICATIONS:
You must have at least three years' experience as a practising electrician



TO APPLY

Complete and return the following to the Scottish Electrical Charitable Training Trust (SECTT):

- [CEC Application form](#)
 - Copies of all relevant certificates
 - ECS Health, Safety and Environmental certificate within the last 30 months, or an [approved equivalent](#)
 - A chronological CV which contains a list of dates, types of work and your referees' contact details
- For more information please refer to the [CEC Guidance to Employers and Candidates](#)



APPLICATION APPROVAL

When your application has been approved, you will be contacted by a CEC Assessor to review your qualifications and experience. During this meeting, they will aim to:

- Produce an Individual Assessment Plan
- Review your qualifications to see if any can count towards prior achievement of any of the SVQ Units
 - Identify any skills and/or knowledge gaps and produce a plan which will address these gaps

When your application has been approved, you will be issued with a Scottish Joint Industry Board (SJIB) Provisional Electrician's card, which will be valid for 18 months.



You will have regular contact with your CEC Assessor to review and monitor your progress



ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Before you can apply to sit the Final Integrated Competence Assessment (FICA) you must have completed:

- A BS 7671 course within the last five years **AND**
- The Scottish Building Standards course within the last three years



FINAL INTEGRATED COMPETENCE ASSESSMENT (FICA)

Once your CEC Assessor has signed off each unit, arrangements can be made for you to sit the FICA. Before taking the FICA you can refer to the [FICA Guidance](#) which contains advice and practical examples to help you prepare.



QUALIFIED ELECTRICIAN

Your employer will advise you when you pass the FICA and you will be issued with the following:

- SJIB FICA Certificate
- SJIB Craftsman's Certificate
- SJIB Electrician's (ECS) Grade Card
- Modern Apprenticeship Completion Certificate n SVQ in Electrical Installation (SCQF 7) Certificate