

State Training Services

Electricity Supply Industry Distribution

Employees in the *Electricity Supply Industry Distribution* trade maintain poles, towers and associated hardware.

They install and maintain electrical equipment, conduct low voltage switching operations, implement environmental and sustainable energy procedures, inspect overhead structures and electrical apparatus, install and maintain public lighting systems and overhead conductors and cables.

ESI Distribution tradespersons may focus on underground or overhead work.

They:

- maintain overhead energised low voltage conductors and cables
- install and maintain underground paper-lead and polymeric cables
- conduct high voltage switching operations
- install and replace energy meters and associated equipment
- provide stores support
- conduct ground line inspection and maintenance of poles and
- control vegetation.

If you are seeking recognition in the *Electricity Supply Industry Distribution* trade, you must provide evidence demonstrating the nature and duration of your employment, such as:

- log books or job cards illustrating the nature of trade work you have performed
- work related references from employers and qualified supervisors outlining the duration of employment and detailing the nature of work you have performed, procedures applied and tools and equipment used which are consistent with the *Electricity Supply Industry Distribution* trade. References must be signed, dated and on your employer's letterhead.
- formal training records, evidence of relevant training completed to date
- any other evidence that you are competent or adequately trained to work in the *Electricity* Supply Industry Distribution trade.