## Information and Communications Technology Industry Training Advisory Committee Software Products and Software Services (SW) branch Unit of Competencies

1. Title	Develop and implement the change control policy	
2. Code	ITSWDM604A	
3. Range	Develop and implement a series of change control policies, procedures and standards in the context of system configuration management during the development of software products / services within an organisation or for a client [Design Development Maintenance – Software Configuration Management]	
4. Level	6	
5. Credit	1	
6. Competency	6.1 Understand the principles and concepts of change control policy	<ul> <li>Performance Requirement</li> <li>Be able to</li> <li>appreciate the importance of managing changes to a software system to ensure software quality</li> <li>understand the requirements of change control policy in the context of system configuration management</li> </ul>
	6.2 Develop change control policy of system configuration management	<ul> <li>Be able to</li> <li>determine configuration management objectives to establish the basis for formulating change control policies;</li> <li>develop change control policies in relation with four major aspects of configuration management, namely configuration identification, configuration changes control, configuration status accounting, and configuration auditing and review</li> </ul>
	6.3 Implement change control policy of system configuration management	<ul> <li>Be able to</li> <li>set up a change control board to oversee the implementation of change control polices</li> <li>develop procedures and standards to manage an evolving software system</li> <li>describe the relationship of change management to the software process life cycle</li> </ul>
	6.4 Exhibit professional skills in the development and implementation of change control policy	<ul> <li>Be able to</li> <li>develop and implement the change control policy in an efficient and effective manner</li> <li>adapt standard change control methodologies and principles to cater for the specific system configuration management environment</li> <li>obtain agreement among stakeholders</li> </ul>
7. Assessment Criteria	The integrated outcome UoCs requirements of this UoCs are the ability to define a set of change control policies, procedure and standards for system configuration management.	
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