Specification of Competency Standards for the Logistics Industry
Unit of Competency

1. Title	Apply basic knowledge of container
2. Code	LOSGCN101A
3. Range	This unit of competency is applicable to all businesses relevant to sea freight, such as terminal, loading/loading, transport, mid-stream operation, freight forwarding and shipping companies. Practitioners should be capable to master and apply the basic knowledge of container in container transport related matters.
4. Level	1
5. Credit	3（for reference only）
6. Competency	<table><tr><td colspan="2">Performance Requirements</td></tr><tr><td>6.1 Basic knowledge of container</td><td> - Understand the concept of unit load - Understand the advantage of standardized cargo loading - Understand different types and uses of container - Understand the specifications and structure of different containers - Understand the volume, capacity, size, and external and internal measurements of different containers - Understand the net weight, maximum load and loading capacity, load of different containers - Understand the markings and codes of different containers and their meanings - Understand the operation, basic loading/ unloading methods, loading/unloading equipments, limitations and noting points of different types of containers - Understand the matching of container and cargo </td></tr></table>

	6.2 Apply basic knowledge of container	♦	Apply basic knowledge of container in order to communicate effectively with colleagues, supervisors and customers, e.g. receiving and conveying information
		♦	Capable to identify the containers' signs, markings, codes and information when handling containers so as to confirm that they tally with the descriptions in the document
		♦	Fill in correctly all sea freight or transport documents
		♦	Identify suitable containers for cargo owners according to the instructions
7. Assessment Criteria	The integrated outcome requirement of this unit of competency is： (i) Capable to identify different types of containers, understand the information attached and the limitations and operation of cargo assembly and loading/unloading for different types of containers so as to receive and convey instructions correctly on loading/unloading or delivery of containers.		
8. Remarks			