## Specification of Competency Standards for the Travel Industry Unit of Competency

## Functional Area - Customer service

Title	Establish and manage a membership system
Code	110684L4
Range	This unit of competency involves data processing and planning skills. Practitioners should be able to establish a membership system that meets the company's requirements, maintain regular contact with members, and review the effectiveness of the system.
Level	4
Credit	4 (For Reference Only)
Competency	Performance Requirements
	1. Master the knowledge of establishing a membership system
	<ul> <li>Resource allocation, such as cost and labour</li> <li>Set up a member service department and designate colleague(s) to handle member affairs</li> <li>Create a membership database to store customers' personal data in an organised manner</li> <li>Formulate membership fee policies, such as registration fees and annual fees</li> <li>Set up member discounts and reward programmes</li> <li>2. Establish a membership system that meets the company's requirements, maintain regular contact with members, and review the effectiveness of the system</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Understand the company's system for collecting, storing and classifying customer information, including customer name, gender, age, contact methods, and purchased tourism products, etc.</li> <li>Establish a membership system and database, divided into two categories         <ul> <li>Old customers, who will be invited to become the first members</li> <li>New customers, who can be referred by old customers or invited by the company to join as members</li> </ul> </li> <li>Establish communication channels for maintaining contact with members, including the internet, email, mobile applications and letters, etc.</li> <li>Regularly send member newsletters and the latest information on tourism products</li> <li>Set up a dedicated telephone line or a dedicated online service to answer enquiries and make reservations for members</li> <li>Set up dedicated member counters in stores to shorten the wait time for members</li> <li>Regularly review the effectiveness of the membership system</li> <li>Demonstrate professional skills and attitude</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Comply with the "Personal Data (Privacy) Ordinance" and the company's instructions when collecting and using members' personal data</li> <li>Use the membership system to consolidate the existing customer base and make customers a part of the company's assets</li> </ul>
Assessment Criteria	The integrated outcome requirement(s) of this unit of competency is/are:
	<ul> <li>Master the knowledge of establishing a membership system;</li> <li>Establish a membership system that meets the company's requirements, maintain regular contact with members, and regularly review the effectiveness of the system; and</li> <li>Comply with all related instructions and laws when collecting and using members' personal data</li> </ul>