

RELATED DISCIPLINE CARD CHANGES

from 01 August 2018



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DO YOU OWN THIS CARD ALREADY?

YES



From **01 Jan 2019** you can no longer renew this card in its current format. You will need to meet the new criteria, as shown below.



What if my card expires between now and 31 Dec 2018?

Your options are:

- Renew your card in the existing format. However, when your card expires in three years' time you will need to meet the requirements outlined below before you can renew.
- You may wish to apply for the new Related Discipline card straight away if you have or gain one of the qualifications below.



Will I have to pay extra for the new style of card?

If you already hold this card you will only be charged at the Renewal rates, regardless of whether you renew it before or after the **31 December 2018**.

NO



From **01 August 2018** new qualification requirements come into effect for all new applications for this card.

What are the new requirements?

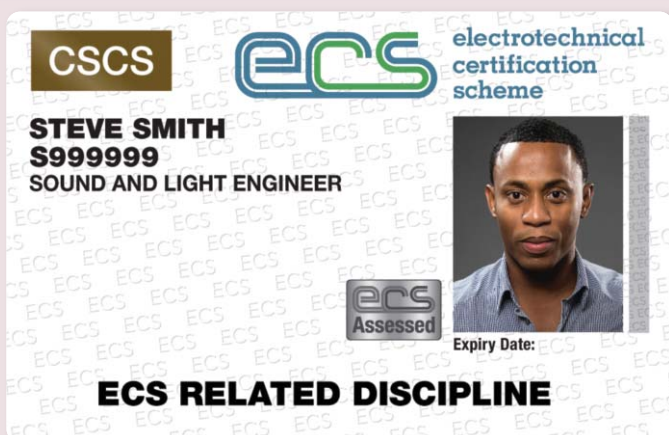


A new Site Support Discipline card will be introduced for those supporting a contract. This covers the following occupations: Design Engineer, Quantity Surveyor, Commissioning Engineer, IT Manager, H&S Manager, CAD Engineer. See the ECS website for more details on the new Site Support card.

If you do not fall under the occupations listed as a Site Support discipline, shown above, you will need to meet the requirements of the new ECS Related Discipline card. These are:

- the achievement of a new ECS Electrical Safety Unit Test
- evidence of sector specific training from the employer or a relevant single stand-alone qualification in the electrotechnical discipline of the card to be issued
- the ECS HS&E Assessment or a valid exemption

Old style card



New style card

