



Fire, Emergency and Security System Qualifications

The following qualifications are currently considered suitable for an application for a Fire, Emergency and Security System Labourer ECS card (white with green stripe).

A formal qualification structure has been introduced for all ECS cards that must be met for all initial and renewal applications for an ECS card.

Full certification for the following qualifications will need to be provided with an ECS card application.

- C&G NVQ Level 2 Fire, Security and Emergency Alarm Systems (Q1050761)
- City & Guilds Level 2 Certificate in Electronic Security & Emergency Systems (Intruder Alarm Systems)
- City & Guilds Level 2 NVQ in Installation of Electronic Security & Emergency Systems
- IFEDA Fire Detection system and alarms, introduction to Design
- IFEDA Fire Detection system and alarms, installation and commissioning
- IFEDA Fire Detection system and alarms, maintenance
- BFC Foundation design to BS5839-1:2017
- BFC Maintenance to BS5839-1:2017
- BFC Installation
- BFC Commissioning
- Tavcom BTEC level 3
- NICEIC Fire alarm and detection system fundamentals module 1
- NICEIC Fire alarm and detection system design module 2
- NICEIC Fire alarm and detection installation module 3
- NICEIC Fire alarm and detection commissioning module 4
- NICEIC Fire alarm and detection maintenance module 5
- FPA Fire detection system design
- FPA Fire detection - alarm
- ZZEUS Training Foundation design to BS5839-1:2017
- ZZEUS Training Maintenance to BS5839-1:2017
- ZZEUS Training Installation to BS5839-1:2017
- ZZEUS Training Commissioning to BS5839-1:2017
- ZZEUS Training Addressable system to BS5839-1 practical assessment

Please Note:

The qualifications for ECS cards have changed. If you are applying for your first ECS card please check to make sure that you have the correct qualification for the card before you make an application. Existing ECS card holders may have new or additional qualification requirements that will need to be met before their card can be renewed in the future.