
ACCREDITATION STATEMENT

AWARDING ORGANISATION: **ABC Awards**
Qualification Title: **ABC Level 5 Diploma In Procurement (QCF)**
Qualification Number: **601/4025/2**

AWARDING ORGANISATION: **Gateway Qualifications**
Qualification Title: **Gateway Qualifications Level 5 Diploma In Procurement**
Qualification Number: **601/3929/8**

ROUTE/CONDITIONS: As defined in Appendix 1
VALIDATION DATE: 1 AUGUST 2014 – 31 DECEMBER 2017

- Learners who successfully complete either of the above programmes and meet the conditions specified in Appendix 1, may apply for the following unit exemptions from the CIPS Level 5 Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply qualification:

2013 Syllabus	2018 Syllabus
Managing Risk in Supply Chain (AD2)	Managing Supply Chain Risks (L5M2) Managing Contractual Risks (L5M3)
Category Management in Procurement and Supply (AD4)	Category Management (L5M6) Project and Change Management (L5M8)
Sustainability in Procurement and Supply (AD5)	Achieving Competitive Advantage Through the Supply Chain (L5M7) Managing Ethical Procurement and Supply (L5M5)
Operations Management in Supply Chain (AD6)	Operations Management (L5M9) Logistics Management (L5M10)

- Applications for exemptions must be accompanied by a copy of the relevant Level 5 Diploma certificate as well as evidence of the units achieved.
- Applications for exemptions must be received within five years of the date on the Diploma certificate.
- Membership fee and exemption fee applicable at the time of admission to CIPS will be payable. See Appendix 1.
- This Statement is valid until the 31 December 2017 and applies to students registered on the programme on or before this date.
- This Statement applies solely to the CIPS qualification programme above. Any other programmes, however similar in content, structure or standard are not included and must be accredited separately.
- CIPS reserves the right to withdraw its accreditation of this programme if it becomes evident that the content, structure or standards have deviated from the original programme or, if in the opinion of CIPS, further association with the programme brings CIPS into disrepute.

DATE ISSUED:

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SIGNED:



Group Professional Development Director

APPENDIX 1 - ABC / Gateway Level 5 Diploma in Procurement

The following table shows the combination of units that would need to be completed to achieve an exemption from the CIPS Level 5 Advanced Diploma in Procurement and Supply units AD2 and AD4 plus a choice of either AD5 or AD6.

Unit Reference No:	Title	LEVEL	Credit Value	Group Name	Comment
L/506/5288	Develop and implement operational plans for procurement	5	6	M	All these units must be completed
J/506/5287	Work productively with colleagues and stakeholders	5	6	M	
L/506/5274	Plan change in own area of responsibility	5	6	M	
A/506/5285	Improve the performance of the supply chain	5	6	M	
F/506/5286	Manage risk in procurement	5	6	M	
K/506/5282	Manage supplier relationships	5	5	OA	AD5 route
H/506/5281	Manage the flow of supplies in the supply chain	5	5	OA	AD6 route
T/506/5284	Develop a category management strategy	5	6	OA	All these units must be completed
M/506/5283	Manage procurement for a category of expenditure	5	6	OA	
D/506/5280	Project management in procurement	5	6	OA	
K/506/5279	Develop sustainability in the supply chain	5	6	OA	
D/506/5277	Operations Management Processes	5	6	OA	AD6 route
Y/506/5276	Quality Management	5	6	OB	AD6 route
L/506/5291	Developing Collaborative Relationships with other organisations	5	6	OB	This unit must be completed
T/506/6158	Manage a global sourcing process	6	7	OA	AD5 route

Group Name:

M – Mandatory

OA – Optional Group A

OB – Optional Group B

The following conditions apply to this accreditation and they must be met in full:

1. All the units identified must be completed (10 x 6 credits = 60 credits)
2. For **AD5** – units **K/506/5282** and **T/506/6158** must be completed (1 x 5 credits and 1 x 7 credits = 12 credits) Total 72 credits
3. For **AD6** – units **H/506/5281**, **D/506/5277** and **Y/506/5276** must be completed (1 x 5 credits and 2 x 6 credits = 17 credits). Total 77 credits
4. Documentary evidence (i.e. transcript and certificate) supporting the above conditions must be provided to CIPS
5. Learners to have a valid CIPS membership in order to apply for the exemptions.
6. The price per exemption payable, for this programme only, is £50 per exemption, i.e. £150 for the three unit exemptions.
7. There are no part-exemptions available.