

Annex B – Details of Examinations

Requirements of Examinations

1. The registered candidate shall -
 - (a) sit for the open-book written examination, which will be in the form of short questions in English and last for about half an hour. **The candidate is required to pass the written examination individually;** and
 - (b) sit for the open-book practical examination with English questions, which will last for about one hour. **The candidate is required to pass the practical examination individually.**
2. The examinations will be based on EPD's training materials and operational manuals of PEMS units, and cover the setup of the PEMS equipment with accessories, operations of the PEMS, the relevant safety precautions, and any other related areas. The followings are useful references for preparing for the examinations:
 - operational guide in training materials;
 - data screening and precautions in training materials;
 - checklists and standard operation procedures in training materials;
 - requirements laid down in Euro VI standard, ISO 16183 and subpart J of part 1065 of Code of Federal Regulations published by the Environmental Protection Agency, United States; and
 - user manuals of equipment
3. The candidate may bring reference materials as he/she considers necessary during the examinations. The written and practical examinations will take place at 27 Tam Kon Shan Road, Tsing Yi and the passing marks of the written and practical examinations are both **50%**.

Instructions to Candidates

1. The certification assessment comprises two sections, A and B, which will be held on the date as scheduled. Please report your arrival 10 minutes before the scheduled examinations, no time compensation shall be provided for late arrival.
2. Section A - This open-book written examination is in the form of short answer questions, all of which should be attempted by individual candidate.
3. Section B - This open-book practical examination consists of skill tasks, all of which should be attempted by individual candidate. The questions will be provided by the examiner at the assessment site. A period of 3 minutes will be provided prior to the examination for question reading. No hard copies such as book, manual, guide or dictionary is allowed during this period. Candidates should inform the examiner the order of questions to answer.
4. Video taking will be performed in Section B for recording purpose only.
5. Hand in the question papers along with your answer sheet(s) at the end of the examinations.
6. All electronic devices (such as mobile phones, calculators, personal digital assistants, electronic dictionaries, etc.), except for the laptop computer or other electronic devices provided by the examiner, are not allowed during the examinations, while any hard copies such as book, manual, guide and dictionary are not limited.
7. The candidates are requested to show their Hong Kong Identity Card / Passport for registration before the examinations.
8. In case a rainstorm black warning or typhoon signal No. 8 or above is valid for any duration between 08:00 and 17:30 (Hong Kong Time) on examination date(s), the examination(s) on that date will be postponed until further notice.