

# Licensing - crane & hoist operation licences >

**Under the National Standards there are three categories of equipment for this licence, being cranes, hoists, and miscellaneous, with 14 specific classes of licence. This information bulletin outlines the licensing requirements for these classes.**

## **Crane and hoist operation**

- tower cranes
- self erecting tower crane
- derrick cranes
- portal boom cranes
- bridge and gantry cranes (cabin and remote over three operations)
- vehicle loading cranes (capacity 10 tonne metres and above)
- non-slewing mobile cranes (greater than 3 tonne capacity)
- slewing mobile cranes (up to 20 tonnes)
- slewing mobile cranes (up to 60 tonnes)
- slewing mobile cranes (up to 100 tonnes)
- slewing mobile cranes (open/over 100 tonnes)
- boom-type elevating work platforms (boom length 11 metres or more)Hoists
- Materials hoists (cantilever platforms)
- Hoists (personnel and materials)
- Miscellaneous
- Concrete placing booms (incorporating knuckle boom, capable of power operated slewing and luffing)

## **Obtaining a licence**

These new classes of licences (form 010 – application for a licence) can be obtained in one of three ways:

- by undertaking training and competency assessment through an approved training provider to the competency standards set out in the National Standard.
- on acceptance of equivalent qualifications, or
- on acceptance of prior learning or experience.

putting safety first >



## Experience declaration

If a replacement licence (form 012 – application for a replacement licence) is required, an experience declaration for the relevant licence category must be submitted that details the types of equipment the applicant has used. This will enable NT WorkSafe to correctly assign the new class of licence. Experience declaration forms are available from any NT WorkSafe office.

## NT WorkSafe >

**GPO Box 4821**

**Darwin NT 0801**

**Telephone:** 1800 019 115  
**Facsimile:** (08) 8999 5141  
**Email:** [ntworksafe.deet@nt.gov.au](mailto:ntworksafe.deet@nt.gov.au)  
**Website:** [worksafe.nt.gov.au](http://worksafe.nt.gov.au)