
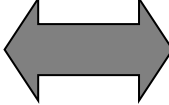
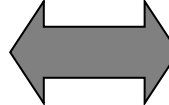
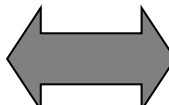


NOTTINGHAMSHIRE TRADING STANDARDS: CAREER GRADE SCHEME 2019-

Grade 4 (Level 1 TSO)		Grade 5 (Level 2 TSO)		Band A (Level 3 TSO)		Band B (Level 4 TSO)
Estimated Time 18-24 mths 		Estimated Time 12-18 mths 	Estimated Time 12-18 mths 	Estimated Time 18-36 mths 		
New entrant joins Service and studies for Regulatory Compliance Officer apprenticeship	THEN: TS Law Part 1 (part of UNIT 3) to attain: Stage 1 CTSI Professional Competency Framework	Stage 2 CTSI Professional Competency Framework:		Officer to attain one additional UNIT 4 option module from Stage 2: ○ Food Stds ○ Feed ○ Product Safety	PLUS: Continued development of professional knowledge, skills & expertise.	Officer with: ○ Stage 2 CTSI Professional Competency Framework (or equivalent*). PLUS ○ Additional Stage 2 option PLUS ○ Continued development
	Attains Stage 1 (or equivalent*) PLUS NCC TSS Legal competency Advances automatically to Grade 5 Level 2 TSO post on attainment of the above (*Equivalent: FCATS or CSCATS)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNIT 4: Weights & Measures (mandatory) PLUS • one of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Food Stds ○ Feed ○ Product Safety (Note: Choices of options and order UNITS done in will be agreed with Management Team)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • UNIT 5: Investigations • UNIT 6: Regulating Markets 			

CSCATS=Core Skills Certificate in Consumer Affairs and Trading Standards
 DCATS=Diploma in Consumer Affairs and Trading Standards
 FCATS= Foundation Certificate in Consumer Affairs and Trading Standards

DCA=Diploma in Consumer Affairs.
 DTS=Diploma in Trading Standards.