

## PROGRAM UPDATE

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**PROGRAMS: Parts and Warehousing Person 1, Partsperson 2, and Partsperson 3 (Partsperson)**

**To:** SkilledTradesBC Training Providers

**Subject:** Transition to Harmonized Program

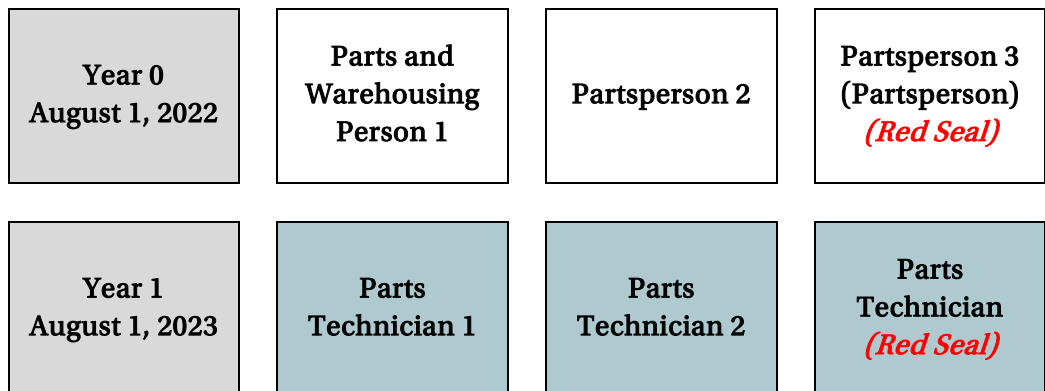
**From:** SkilledTradesBC Program Standards

**Effective Date:** August 1, 2023

**Summary:** The Harmonized Parts Technician program will be launched on August 1, 2023. The Parts Technician program remains a progressive credential program. Transition details are summarized in the graphic below:

### Transition Summary

Implementation Timelines	
Parts Technician 1	August 1, 2023
Parts Technician 2	August 1, 2023
Parts Technician (RS)	August 1, 2023



**Background:** On November 30, 2022, SkilledTradesBC Program Standards issued [OPSN 2022 026](#), which detailed the changes to the Parts Technician program as a result of the Harmonization Initiative. The OPSN announced the implementation of a revised program outline, effective August 1, 2023.

**Additional  
Information:**

- The current Certificate of Qualification (CofQ) exams remain active and will continue to be delivered for Parts Technician 1 and Parts Technician 2 apprentices and challengers after the harmonized program implements on August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.
- The Level 3 Standardized Level Exam (SLE) will be removed from the apprenticeship pathway effective August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

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