

## NPORS N202 EXCAVATOR 360°

### Structure of the course

- Identify and explain the purpose of the principal components, basic construction, controls and terminology.
- Conform to manufacture's requirements as per handbook.
- Undertake all machine pre use checks
- Configure and get the machine ready for site and road travel.
- Travel over rough ground, undulating ground, steep inclines and level surfaces.
- Manoeuvre in confined spaces.
- Configure and set up the machine for excavating duties
- Explain the actions required for different hazards, underground and over ground services.
- Excavate different types of excavations in a variety of ground types.
- Place materials into transporting machines and hoppers.
- Grade, spread and level ground and materials.
- Attach and remove buckets
- Lift, move and place basic slung loads with the rear boom.
- Carry out shut down and securing procedures
- Explain the loading and unloading procedures for machine transporting

### Different variations

- Wheeled
- Tracked
- To 10 tonnes (excluding Micro Excavator)
- Above and below 10 tonnes

### Additional variation

- Theory Quick Hitch
- Attachments will be included in the assessment and detailed on the training card (if required)

### Assessment

- NPORS Theory assessment made up of open questions and multiple choice
- NPORS Practical assessment.

### Requirements

- For entrants that wish to apply for the NPORS Traditional Card, there is no requirement to do an NVQ qualification. If the 'HS&E TESTED Logo' is required on the card, candidates must ensure they have attended and passed the CITB Operatives Health, Safety and Environment Test within the two years prior to application for the card.
- A good understanding of English speaking is required.
- All candidates must provide their own appropriate PPE for training and testing purposes.

### Operator Card (Traditional)

- Certification NPORS Operator Card (Traditional) -Valid for 3 years.
- Operators are advised to complete a 1 Day NPORS Refresher Course every 3 years.

### NPORS CSCS Operator Card

- NPORS CSCS Operator Card (Construction Industry) – Valid for 2 years (non-renewable).
- Operators are required to complete an [NVQ within 2 years](#) and upgrade to an NPORS Competent Operator Card. The [blue](#) competent operators card is then renewed every 5 years.
- Operators in receipt of the Competent Operator card will also be issued with a CPD record / operator logbook. This will be an ongoing record of the operators continuous professional development and of their operating hours in the workplace.

### CITB Levy

- If you are registered with the CITB's levy scheme you are entitled to funding to pay for part or all of the training.
- The grants vary for plant training and NVQ's.
- Prime are an approved training provider for CITB and we will submit training completed for automatic grant payments.