## **Bulletin**Industry Divisions



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## A new job role for the automotive industry

## Dear Member

The Victorian Automotive Chamber of Commerce (VACC) is currently working with its Motor Trade Association partners in a dialogue with the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) for the development of a potential new job role for the automotive industry called **Electric Vehicle Technician**.

In Australia, almost all occupations are classified and coded by government, and this is what forms the Australian and New Zealand Standard Classification of Occupations (ANZSCO).

Recently, our national automotive body, The Motor Trades Association of Australia (MTAA) worked with the state associations to build a new qualification for electric vehicle technicians, and this is now endorsed as a national automotive qualification. Where state training authorities have designated this as an apprenticeship pathway, a person can begin their apprenticeship training in this new role.

Occupations selected for review cover a wide range of industries and are listed on the <u>ABS website</u>. We invite you to have your say in shaping this new industry role or if you have any feedback on this development.

Please send any feedback to Steve Bletsos, Senior Research Analyst at VACC Email: <a href="mailto:sbletsos@vacc.com.au">sbletsos@vacc.com.au</a>

We kindly request that any feedback is provided no later than Friday, 4 August 2023.

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