

europass Certificate supplement (*)



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs Kwalificatie: Beveiliger Kwalificatiedossier: Particuliere beveiliging

In the original language

2. Translated title of the certificate (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education Qualification: Security officer Qualification file: Private security

This translation has no legal status

3. Profile of skills and competences

Core task 1: Detects risks and takes preventive measures

- 1.1 Carries out entry and exit checks
- 1.2 Carries out surveillances and checks

Core task 2: Takes repressive measures

- 2.1 Acts against undesirable behaviour
- 2.2 Arrests suspects
- 2.3 Takes action during incidents

Core task 3: Carries out service tasks

- 3.1 Provides service and assistance
- 3.2 Carries out (simple) service desk activities

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

The Security officer usually works for a private security organisation which outplaces him to client companies, though he can also work at the security service of an enterprise, such as a hospital. This branch of industry distinguishes various sectors, such as property security, mobile surveillance, store security, detention surveillance, transport of money and valuables and private emergency centers. Nowadays security officers are also placed in public domain. Security officers maintain safety within the realms of a security assignment and usually in a private environment. Persons carrying out security work need to be in possession of a SVPB/ECABO diploma Security officer. Everyone who wants to work in private security has to follow the standard education programme Security officer.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

Name and status of the body awarding the certificate

The certificate issued on completion of the programme is signed by the examination board at the school where the pupil attended the programme.

Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Ministry of Education, Culture and Science

* Explanatory note

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

More information is available at: http://www.europass.cedefop.europa.eu/

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5. Official basis of the certificate

Level of the certificate (national or international) Qualification level 2 of the Dutch VET qualification

structure

Characteristics: intended as an initial qualification, which everyone should at least obtain. The participant develops skills in order to be able to carry out practical tasks and is responsible for his or her own block of tasks.

NLQF-niveau 2 - EQF level 2 - ISCED 3C

Grading scale / Pass requirements

- 10 excellent
- 9 very good
- 8 good
- 7 very satisfactory
- 6 pass
- 5 fail
- 4 unsatisfactory
- 3 very unsatisfactory
- 2 poor
- 1 very poor

Access to next level of education/professions

Within the security sector the Security officer can develop through the education Security coordinator. The security branch perceives this education to be a method of development for standing staff members, i.e. security officers with several years of experience. Security officers can also do the education Enforcer surveillance and security to become a special investigation officer or join the police.

International agreements

In the Netherlands, Security officer is a regulated profession under the European directive 2005/36/EC, amended by directive 2013/55/EU.

Legal basis

Act on Vocational Education and Training (WEB), registered number of qualification (crebo): 25407 The education and training for this qualification is offered as of 01-08-2015.

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

Senior secondary vocational education features two learning pathways: the school-based pathway (bol) and the training on the job pathway (bbl).

In the school-based pathway, the majority of the course consists of theory at school. The extent of the practical component (vocational practice) is between 20% and 60%. In the training on the job pathway, the extent of vocational practice is at least 60% of the course. The participant works four days a week in a training company, and attends school for theory subjects just one day a week.

In principle it is possible to follow both learning pathways, but which pathway is offered will depend on the individual educational institution.

Average duration of the education/ training leading to the certificate

2 years (3200 study hours) (depending on previous education)

Entry requirements

The certificate preparatory vocational secondary education (vmbo) basic vocational programme, or a comparable level.

7. Additional information

Optional subjects are linked to the qualification. The optional subjects have a total size of 15% of the course duration. The optional subjects completed by the student are listed on the certificate.

Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP): www.s-bb.nl. The NRP is the information centre for vocational qualifications in the Netherlands. SBB has been appointed in this capacity by the Ministry of Education, Culture and Science.