



# EUROPASS CERTIFICATE SUPPLEMENT (\*)



Republic of Estonia

## 1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE <sup>(1)</sup>

**Õmbleja I**

<sup>(1)</sup> in the original language

## 2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE <sup>(1)</sup>

**Sewer I**

<sup>(1)</sup> if applicable. This translation has no legal status.

## 3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES

A holder of this professional certificate:

- sews details of a product together using rational working methods
- is able to identify and remedy defects and pass on information
- is able to use and maintain basic tools, equipment and machines (threading, adjustment, maintenance)
- organises his/her work in an economical manner and following rational work techniques
- arranges accurately the materials required for work when preparing the workplace
- keeps the workplace in order
- is familiar with the professional terminology and is able to use it in his/her work
- is familiar with the sewing process as a whole
- has knowledge of cutting
- is familiar with materials and their properties
- is able to use various materials economically in his/her work
- has basic knowledge of economy, legislation, occupational health and safety of the work environment
- has basic skills in communication and customer service

A level I Sewer may specialise in the fields of light clothing, lingerie, medical and technical products, leather and fur products, home textile products, garment accessories, sportswear, garments of knitted fabrics, or overcoats on the condition that he/she commands the selected special skills at the intermediate level.

## 4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE <sup>(1)</sup>

Sewing companies (clothing, home textile products, leather, soft furniture, etc)

<sup>(1)</sup> If applicable

### <sup>(\*)</sup> 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.

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## 5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

<p><b>Name and status of the body awarding the certificate</b></p> <p>Estonian Clothing and Textile Association Tartu mnt 63 10115 Tallinn Ph.: 6115 567 Faks: 6115 568 E-mail: info@textile.ee</p> <p>The Estonian Clothing and Textile Association (ECTA) was founded in 1993 by 18 companies. ECTA is a voluntary non-profit association with the principal objective of promoting the development of the clothing and textile industry and representing and defending the common interests of the Estonian clothing and textile manufacturers.</p> <p>The Estonian Clothing and Textile Association received the authorisation to act as the body awarding professional qualifications by the resolution of the Professional Council for Light Industry of 01.12.2003.</p>	<p><b>Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate</b></p> <p>Estonian Qualification Authority 'Kutsekoda' Mustamäe tee 16 10617 Tallinn, Estonia Ph. +372 679 1700 Fax +372 679 1701 E-mail <a href="mailto:kutsekoda@kutsekoda.ee">kutsekoda@kutsekoda.ee</a> <a href="http://www.kutsekoda.ee">www.kutsekoda.ee</a></p> <p>The private law foundation 'Kutsekoda' (Professions Chamber) was established in 2001 in cooperation with the Estonian Government to continue the creation of the system of professions started in 1997 by the Estonian Chamber of Commerce and Industry. The objectives of the Professions Chamber include establishment and development of an integrated and organised professional qualifications system, establishment of prerequisites for achieving comparability of the qualifications of Estonian employees and acknowledgement of other countries, as well as management of the state register of professions as the authorised processor.</p>
<p><b>Level of the certificate (national or international)</b></p> <p>Estonian professional qualifications system Level I</p>	<p><b>Grading scale / Pass requirements</b></p> <p>Attestation of the Sewer level I professional qualifications proceeds as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- examination of knowledge (written test);</li> <li>-interview;</li> <li>-examination of skills (test assignment).</li> </ul>
<p><b>Access to next level of education/training</b></p> <p>Sewer II</p>	<p><b>International agreements</b></p>
<p><b>Legal basis</b></p> <p>Professions Act (RT I 2008, 24, 156; 01.09.2008)</p>	

## 6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

Application entry requirements (level of education or training, professional experience, in-service training, etc.) Please indicate duration if required.

Level of education (required/recommended): professional training is recommended

**More information** (including a description of the national qualifications system) available at:

[www.kutsekoda.ee](http://www.kutsekoda.ee)