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Now Posted for Public Review – Canadian Technology Accreditation Criteria (CTAC) – Program General Learning Outcomes Technologist (PGLOY)

Technology Accreditation Canada (TAC) is pleased to announce that the draft edition of the **Canadian Technology Accreditation Criteria (CTAC) standard for the technologist Program General Learning Outcomes (PGLOY)** is now available for public comment.

The CTAC PGLOY 2015 standard is used in the accreditation of all engineering technology and applied science programs. The development of this revised edition is being directed by CSA Group, a leading provider of standards development services. Following a project start date of January, 2016, a Development Committee of expert members, with representation from industry, educational institutions, and Provincial Professional Association (PPA) members, has worked to review, discuss and improve the CTAC PGLOY standard. Through a consensus-based process, the committee has made several modifications including the addition of new learning outcome indicators (LOIs) to capture learning objectives that have grown in importance in recent years, and which had previously not been included, as well as the removal of certain LOIs that were no longer relevant or duplicated elsewhere.

The Public Review period will be open from April 4th until June 4th 2016. All comments received will be addressed by the Development Committee. It is expected that a revised CTAC PGLOY will be available for use by end of June 2016. To review the standard and post your comments, please follow the link: <http://publicreview.csa.ca/Home/Details/1965>