



The Technical Committee of subject matter experts, following feedback from industry stakeholders, will update the qualification to reflect current industry practices and better align it with Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) licensing requirements. The Technical Committee members are:

TC Members	Organisation	Location	Coverage	Industry Sector	Position	Composition
Andrew Trease	TAFE NSW	NSW	National	Aviation training in all sectors, approvals for both RTO and CASA licencing outcomes; Crewed aircraft - Pilot Training Uncrewed aircraft - Pilot Training Transport security Cabin Crew Ground crew Aviation Maintenance engineers	Chief Remote Pilot, Grade 1 Flight Instructor (GA), RTO expert, Chief Remote Instructor	RTO Subject Matter Expert
David Baker	Skills Generation Pty Ltd / UAV Skills Pty Ltd	QLD	State/Territory, Remote or Regional	Education	Chief Remote Pilot / Chief RePL Instructor / Senior AVI30419 Trainer	RTO Subject Matter Expert
Gary Dixon	NMTAFE	WA	State/Territory	Lecturer and Chief Remote Pilot	Lecturer and Chief Remote Pilot	RTO Subject Matter Expert
Joseph McMahon	SuasROV Pty Limited	VIC	National	Remote Aviation Training and Operational Expertise.	CEO	RTO Subject Matter Expert



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Lesley Condon	Toll Uncrewed Systems	QLD	National		Head of Training and Operations	RTO Subject Matter Expert
Luke Evans	UAVAIR (BASAIR RTO 1327)	QLD	National	Chief Remote Pilot (CRP)/ Maintenance Controller/ Chief RePL Instructor/ Operations Manager	Chief Remote Pilot (CRP)/ Maintenance Controller/ Chief RePL Instructor/ Operations Manager	RTO Subject Matter Expert
Mitch Deam	Australian Association for Uncrewed Systems	QLD	National	Predominantly uncrewed aviation	Director	Subject Matter Expert
Rachel Emery	Department of Employment, Small Business and Training	QLD	State/Territory		Acting Manager	State and Territory Representative
Renee Bartolo	Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	NT	State/Territory	Government, STEM	Chief Remote Pilot, Director	State and Territory Representative Subject Matter Expert
Ryan McMahon	Aviation Australia	QLD	National	Aviation Training	Head of RPAS & Autonomous Technologies	RTO Subject Matter Expert



Technical Member Changes Throughout Project

Name	Organisation	Type of Movement	Date Joined/Left TC	Reason
Rachel Emery	Department of Employment, Small Business and Training	Joined	24/02/2025	Requirement for State/Territory Representative
Renee Bartolo	Department of Climate Change, Energy, the Environment and Water	Joined	18/11/2024	First Nations and Remote Community Representation
Alisha Reeves	Defence - Army	Resigned	30/10/2024	Work Commitments Replaced with John Berger
James Bassam	Surf Lifesaving NSW/Australian UAV Service	Resigned	28/02/2025	Work Commitments
Paul Hardy	Australian Association for Uncrewed Systems	Resigned	04/03/2025	Changed organisation creating a clash with Mitch Deam
Rebecca Ludgate	Charles Darwin University	Resigned	01/04/2025	Left role at Charles Darwin Uni
John Berger	Australian Defence Force (Army)	Resigned	04/02/2026	Change of role within organisation
Simon Butler	CASA	Resigned		Work Commitments