Title	Demonstrate knowledge of legislation and risk management in transporting and applying nutrients		
Level	3	Credits	3

Purpose	People credited for this unit standard are able to: demonstrate knowledge of criminal legislation and regional council requirements relevant to nutrient-applicator operators and drivers; describe civil and criminal liability in the transportation and application of nutrients; and demonstrate knowledge of risk management as it applies to transporting and applying nutrients.
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Classification Agriculture> General Agriculture

Available grade	Achieved
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Guidance Information

1 Legislation and references

Legislation, regulations and/or industry standards relevant to this unit standard include but are not limited to the:

- Agricultural Compounds and Veterinary Medicines Act 1997;
- Hazardous Substances and New Organisms Act 1996;
- Health and Safety at Work Act 2015;
- Land Transport Act 1998;
- Resource Management Act 1991;
- The Spreadmark Code of Practice, available from Groundspread NZ.

Any new, amended or replacement Acts, regulations, standards, codes of practice, guidelines, or authority requirements or conditions affecting this unit standard will take precedence for assessment purposes, pending review of this unit standard.

Refer to *The Spreadmark Code of Practice* for acceptable use of industry specific terms, unless stated otherwise. For information on the use and content of *The Spreadmark Code of Practice*, contact Groundspread NZ.

2 Assessment information

For the purposes of assessment, "Regional Council requirements" refers to the requirements of the regional council(s) relevant to the area in which the learner is assessed.

Outcomes and performance criteria

Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of criminal legislation and regional council requirements relevant to nutrient-applicator operators and drivers.

Performance criteria

- 1.1 Describe criminal legislation and its implications in terms of those affecting nutrient-applicator operators and drivers.
- 1.2 Identify, access and describe the Regional Council requirements regarding nutrient application in terms of the Resource Management Act 1991.

Range consents, regional and district plans.

Outcome 2

Describe civil and criminal liability in the transportation and application of nutrients.

Performance criteria

- 2.1 Describe civil liability in situations where negligence can lead to claims for redress and/or compensation.
- 2.2 Describe criminal liability in situations where a driver could breach legislation.

Outcome 3

Demonstrate knowledge of risk management as it applies to transporting and applying nutrients.

Performance criteria

- 3.1 Describe risk management systems applicable to transporting and applying nutrients.
- 3.2 Explain a specific risk management system applicable to transporting and applying nutrients.

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Comments on this unit standard

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