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Annex I

List of Shortage Trades

- 1. Bar Benders & Fixer
- 2. Carpenter (Formwork)
- 3. Concretor
- 4. Riggers/Metal Formwork Erector
- 5. General Welder
- 6. Leveler
- 7. Plasterer
- 8. Bricklayer
- 9. Metal Scaffolder
- 10. Metal Worker
- 11. Structural Steel Welder
- 12. Painter and Decorator
- 13. Curtain Wall Installer
- 14. Structural Steel Erector
- 15. Escalator Mechanic
- 16. Lift Mechanic
- 17. Plumber
- 18. Fire Service Mechanical Fitter
- 19. Fire Service Electrical Fitter
- 20. Refrigeration / Air-conditioning / Ventilation Mechanic (Air System)
- 21. Refrigeration / Air-conditioning / Ventilation Mechanic (Water System)
- 22. Tunnel Worker
- 23. Compressed Air Worker (Tunnel)
- 24. Plant and Equipment Operator (Tunnelling) Tunnel Boring Machine
- 25. Trackworker
- 26. Shotfirer

(Source of information: Construction Industry Council)

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Annex II

For graduates who completed the full-time adult short courses (including courses under ECMTS as well as regular short courses) in 2012 and 2013, their retention rates at 12 months after graduation

Full-time short courses	Retention rate at 12 months after graduation for 2012 graduates	Retention rate at 12 months after graduation for 2013 graduates ¹
Enhanced Construction Manpower Training Scheme	About 65%	About 70%
Regular short courses	No statistics	About 66%

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The statistics were compiled in mid-2014, which only took into account the data of trainees who had graduated for 12 months prior to June 2014.