

# GRAN G-Cert Scheme AN INTRODUCTION TO G-CERT

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# **GRANT G-CERT SCHEME**

### Why? Lets talk Renewable Heat Incentive

#### IN ORDER FOR A HOUSEHOLDER TO ACCESS RHI the products must be MCS approved & installers must be MCS accredited



# MCS ACCREDITATION WITHOUT G-CERT

#### FOR AN INSTALLER TO BE MCS ACCREDITED, THEY MUST:

- Have relevant qualifications and experience
- Have an installation inspected
- Operate the MCS Quality Management System
- Be a member of RECC
- Be audited annually by MCS
- Pay an annual fee to MCS and RECC
- Provide Workmanship Warranty Insurance on every job

## MCS ACCREDITATION WITHOUT G-CERT

## COST?

Estimated start-up cost min **£1600** 

Annual fee min £**1000** 



FOR MANY INSTALLERS BECOMING AND REMAINING MCS ACCREDITED IS

- TOO COMPLICATED
- TIME CONSUMING
- COSTLY

WITHOUT MCS ACCREDITATION THEY ARE UNABLE TO FIT A RENEWABLE HEATING SYSTEM THAT IS ELIGIBLE FOR THE RHI



## WHERE DOES GRANT FIT IN?

UNDER THE G-CERT SCHEME GRANT UK WILL ACT AS THE MCS ACCREDITED ORGANISATION

What does this mean? Through the G-Cert scheme the installer will **NOT** need MCS accreditation to fit RHI eligible systems, saving time and expense of MCS accreditation

#### IMPORTANT

An MCS Installation Certificate does not guarantee that RHI will be paid. The customer must check with OFGEM if they are in any doubt over RHI eligibility prior to proceeding with any works.



#### **BENEFITS FOR THE INSTALLER**

- Access to customers wanting RHI payments
- Increased potential customer base
- Access to extended product warranties
- Improved conversion of quotes to jobs
- A closer working relationship with a major manufacturer
- Increased customer confidence in the installer
- Increased installer confidence with manufacturer's support
- Efficient and effective compliance with MCS requirements
- Less desk based admin work for the installer leaving greater time for installation

# TECHNICAL & SALES ASSISTANCE

Grant can provide bespoke marketing material promoting you as a G-Cert installer and the benefits for your customer.

You will also have access to our Specification Department for assistance with sizing and selection of products when preparing quotations.



## HOW DOES THE SCHEME WORK?

#### AS THE MCS ACCREDITED ORGANISATION GRANT WILL:

- Carry out heat loss calculations (based on survey information)
- Select unit size(s)
- For ASHP installations Grant will make the application to DNO for connection to grid
- Check the proposed installation complies with Building Regulations
- Check if the installation meets the criteria for Permitted Development
- Produce risk assessments (at site survey stage)
- Provide all consumer documentation to comply with RECC/ MCS

# **IN ADDITION**

#### AS THE MCS ACCREDITED ORGANISATION GRANT WILL:

- Conduct a post installation survey
- Commission the system
- 'Sign off' the installation on behalf of the installer
- Register the installation on the MCS database to produce the certificate required for RHI application
- Supply a 'Handover' folder for the customer
- Notify installation to Building Control
- Register each installation for Workmanship
  Warranty Insurance
- Register products for Grant product guarantee



### HOW DO I QUALIFY FOR THE SCHEME?

Grant will require the installer to meet training and experience pre-requisites

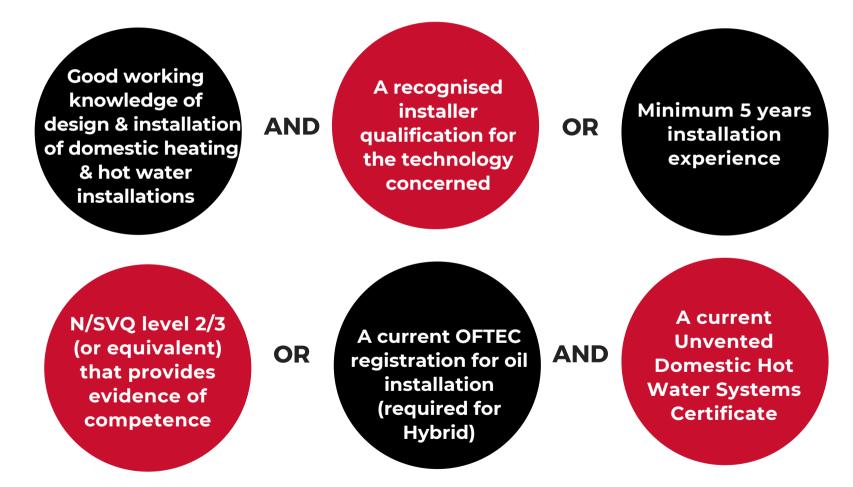
## RELEVANT QUALIFICATIONS & CORRESPONDING CERTIFICATES

UNVENTED HOT WATER, WRAS, ENERGY EFFICIENCY, ETC

#### MINIMUM 5 YEARS RELEVANT INSTALLATION EXPERIENCE

GRANT PRODUCT TRAINING FOR RELEVANT TECHNOLOGIES For more details on these pre-requisites please speak to your Area Sales Manager or contact gcert@grantuk.com

## QUALIFICATIONS & EXPERIENCE



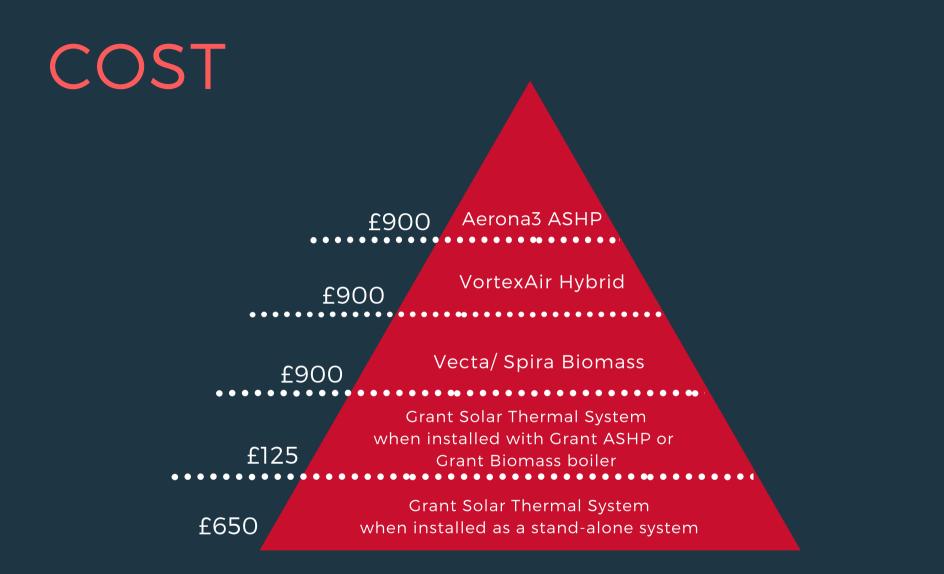
The following qualifications would be ideal but not essential:

WRAS Water Regulations certificate | Energy Efficient for Domestic Heating qualification

## BUSINESS PRE-REQUISITES

- Trading for a minimum of 5 years preferred
- Reputable trading history i.e. no CCJ's, insolvency, winding up orders, etc.
- Adequate public liability insurance
- Able to provide suitable business references
- Comply with Grant UK sub-contractors agreement
- Agreeing to undertake the servicing of installations
- Commitment to providing customer service and satisfaction





A site survey with a Grant Technical surveyor is included in the price of each job with G-Cert.

All prices are exclusive of VAT. Prices are correct at time of publishing. To confirm current prices kindly contact the G-Cert team.



## COMPLETE THE ONLINE APPLICATION FORM www.grantuk.com/professional/g-cert-application

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