

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTOR UPDATE



Electrical Vehicle Supply Equipment

Did you know that there are certain requirements when you're installing an Electrical Vehicle (EV) charger? Before installing an EV charger, you'll need to familiarise yourself with the device requirements within the [QECM](#). Some of these requirements are:

- The rating of any single-phase charger on a single-phase residential building should not exceed 20amps
- Many larger EVs come with 32amps chargers which can't be installed without an exemption, as per QECM requirements. You may be eligible for an exemption of an EV charger with a rating greater than 20amps. However you'll need to provide us with additional information including site address, site maximum demand, and evidence of compliance to other QECM requirements. In addition to this, you may be required to install an appropriately rated circuit breaker for overload protection of the consumer mains.

For a full list of requirements for installing an EV charger, based on phases and building type of premise, refer to QECM Clause 4.2.5 – Electric Vehicle Supply Equipment.

An exemption application under the QECM for Clause 4.2.5 can be submitted to tech.enquiries@ergon.com.au.

Authorised Person Improvements

An [online form](#) has been developed to streamline the process of becoming an Authorised Person.

This form includes all relevant information and will improve the turnaround time for approving these requests.

Our website also now includes information about the training required prior to applying to become an authorised person.

For further information email authorisedperson@energyq.com.au.

Merry Christmas!

Wishing you all the best for a safe and happy festive season.

We look forward to working with you in 2020!



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