



Introducing TOM

BS AU 242b: 2022

Who is Tom?

Tom is the very first GT Class UK Ltd accredited, 4M compliant windscreen repair technician who was awarded a distinction.

BS AU 242a:1998 & BS AU 252:1994 are withdrawn on 31/03/23

Tom before

Tom has worked as a windscreen repair technician for 20 years. Tom knew he was good, but unlike other trades, had no formal accreditation or certification to prove it. On the 31/03/23 Tom knew he would need to stop promoting his business as working to "British Standards" when the old standards are withdrawn, which could be a trading standards issue.

Removing BS AU242a:1998 from his website, invoices, social media posts and vehicle livery were all part of the journey as a professionally accredited windscreen repair technician compliant to new British Standards in 2023. The repair industry has had a bad reputation for untrained, poor quality, bogus companies taking up a windscreen repair service over the years. Tom has just distanced himself from that industry association.

How can I become a proven windscreen repair expert in 2023 like Tom?

The new British Standard BS AU 242b:2022 works on the 4M principal principal of man, method, machinery and material. Formal accreditation can be achieved at a GT accredited centre after a successful examination and practical assessed outcome.



Tom after

Tom is now promoting his services as BS AU 242b:2022 compliant. After every repair Tom stamps his invoice with a BS AU 242b:2022 compliance stamp, confirming to his clients that the work he has carried out has been undertaken by an accredited technician working to 4M.

Tom wears his lanyard with photo ID and QR code with pride when carrying out his services at his fleet and motor trade customers premises. Promoting his business as British Standard compliant has not gone unnoticed by his fleet customers asking for a copy of his certificate for their contractors file. Tom has now applied to be on the national windscreen technicians register of the 'British Windscreen Safety Council' www.britishwsc.co.uk. This [4M] 3-year GT certificate has four potential outcomes. Fail, pass, credit or distinction. Your attendance and outcome will be determined by the candidates knowledge, capability and skill level.

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