

Client help sheet

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The logo for Watt & Co. Electrical is located in the top right corner. It consists of the text "Watt & co." in a red, cursive-style font, with a small red star on either side. Below this, the word "Electrical" is written in a red, bold, sans-serif font. The entire logo is set against a yellow, rounded rectangular background.

Why use a registered electrician?

Using an electrician that is registered with a government-approved scheme has many benefits, here a list of things you'll get with a registered electrician.

- They work to the British Standard for electrical safety (BS7671)
- To join a government-approved scheme they have to meet strict requirements which take account of qualifications, skills, knowledge and insurance policies.
- Their work is regularly assessed by their scheme operator to ensure their competence.
- They will give you a certificate where applicable to show their work has been carried out to the required standard.
- They are permitted to self-certify their work against the building regulations, saving you the need to work with the local building control.

Who are the schemes and which is best?

No one scheme is better than the other for you as a customer. Although each scheme may offer different benefits to your electrician, you can be sure of a high level of service no matter which scheme they're registered with.

The 4 most common schemes you should be looking for is Stroma, NICEIC, Napit, and ELECSA. If you are unsure if your electrician is registered, visit www.electricalcompetentperson.co.uk