

Employability Skills Area: Productivity

Assignment Name: On Task

Read the situation below related to the Employability Skills Area. Productivity. Type a 150-word (minimum) response to this situation and make sure you answer the three questions in your response.

Situation:

You have been trained and then promoted to operate an important piece machinery at your place of work. However, you think that operating this machine is very boring because it pretty much runs on its own, so you find other things to occupy your time. Because you were not paying attention, your machine had a slight malfunction and hour's worth of product that does not meet your company's quality standards has been sent down the line.



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1. Do you think this error cost the company? Why or Why not?
2. You know that this production error was your fault, what should you do?
3. Should you be docked an hour to cover this error? Why or Why not?

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