PDA Job Confirmation

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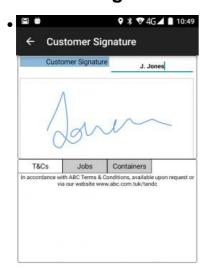
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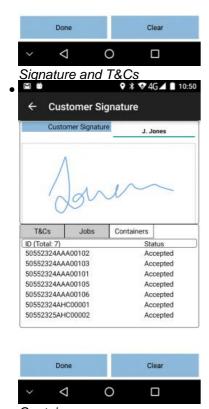
This screen controls the confirmation that the job has been completed satisfactorily, and is used regardless of job type.

The process can be configured for:

- Customer Signature
- Driver (or Engineer) Signature
- Job Photo Capture (also referred to as Document Photo Capture)
- None of the above

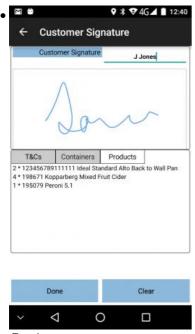
1.1 Customer signatures





Containers





Products

The Signatory box defaults to the customer contact name (if present on the job) and also allows free text entry, which will be sent back to the main system if the customer contact is not the person planned for the job. A signatory must be entered. The screen can be styled so that the signatory must be entered if required - this is part of the styling service.

The **Clear** button is provided to clear the signature.

For all job types, if configured, the application will also display Terms and Conditions. This can be simply defined against the job with up to 3 optional check boxes for entry, or can be created with more complex user-defined field configuration.

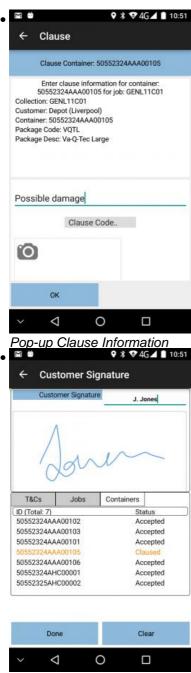
Depending on the Job Type and the data, several other tabs may appear in this section:

- Deliveries/Collections:
 - ♦ Jobs For consolidated Collections/Deliveries, the list of the Job References.
 - ♦ Items/Containers All items delivered or collected, ad-hoc or planned.
 - ◆ Products All products delivered or collected, ad-hoc or planned, with quantity and status.
- Services:
 - ◆ Services service-level information (the serviceable items and the service ID)
 - ♦ *Products* All products installed or removed, with quantity and status.

If any of the items being collected or delivered are outside their issue life, the customer signature screen will pop up a warning as the screen is displayed, asking that the customer may need to check them.

The Containers tab can also be used by the customer to Clause delivery jobs.





Claused items

If containers are accepted but the customer wishes to note that the delivery may be queried later, they can enter clause text against specific containers.

When the container row is clicked in the container list, a pop-up will be displayed, allowing the user to enter clause information. The information displayed is:

- ID
- Package Code and Description
- Weight
- Code 1/2/3 (Multi-use fields)
- Valid To Date and Time
- The job reference (or job references if this item was for multiple jobs) on which the container was collected or delivered.

If any of the items have exceeded their issue life (Valid To Date and Time), the item will be automatically claused with text indicating the contents must be checked.



When saved, the Container tab will be re-displayed, showing in the status that the container is claused.

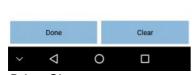
The signature can be completed by pressing **Done** - this will require a confirmation to continue.

Note: Should the customer wish to see a more detailed view of the items or services rendered, (for example, to cancel items after delivery), the application allows the user to return to the previous screen.

1.2 Driver Signatures

The Signatory will already be populated with the driver name rather than the customer's. There is also no additional tab information, clausing or issue life confirmation on this screen. Otherwise, this screen operates the same as the Customer Signature screen.



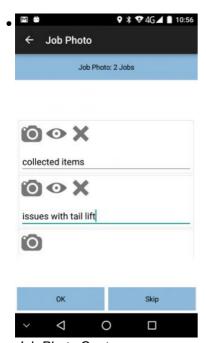


Driver Signature

1.3 Job Photo Capture

The application can also be configured for Job Photo Capture. When configured for this, the application will display the Job Photo Capture screen. This will contain a Photo-bar, ready for taking of any photos.





Job Photo Capture

Clicking the Camera button will start the camera. When taken and confirmed, the photo-bar will allow re-taking, viewing or deleting of the photo. A new panel will be added to take subsequent photos. Comments against each photo are required.

Job Photos may be optional or required. If required, at least one photo must be taken before the job can be completed. If optional, a **Skip** button will be provided.

Any photos taken for a job will be sent back to the server for storage. If this is a consolidated job, these photos will be visible on all jobs.

1.4 Unmanned Location

The system can be configured to allow the driver to sign on half of the customer, if the location is considered to be unmanned.





After entry of Customer Signature

If the system is configured to do so, when prompting for the customer signature, an '*Unmanned Location* button will be present if no signature or signatory has been entered.

When clicked, the system can be configured prompt for:

- Driver Signature instead of Customer Signature
- A Job Photo required to be taken.

1.5 Completed Job

The completed job will be transferred back to the system with all the details, signatures and photos.

If configured, the customer will receive an automatic email of the generated completion document (that is, the POD, POC or Service Report) in the format set up (PDF or HTML). Any other customer systems can also be updated at this time.

If configured, the job will stay as "Submitted" status on the device, so that additional expenses can be added to the job before it is finally closed.

1.6 Next Job

Once completed, the application will return to the Job List to pick up the next task.

Several things may then automatically trigger, depending on how the system is configured:

- If configured this way, and the next task is for the same location (for example, a planned collection after a planned delivery), this job will start automatically, and the application will move directly to the Job Details screen for the next job
- If configured this way, any items on cancelled jobs or undelivered items on completed jobs will be planned for return to the depot, through the creation of a new Depot Unloading task at the end of the load.
- If configured this way, and when all planned jobs at a location are complete, the application will ask whether an unplanned (ad hoc) collection is required at this location. If confirmed, one will be created and will automatically be started. If this is created in error, this may be cancelled in the normal way. This function allows the driver to pick up any unplanned items at the location (for example, empty boxes/pallets to return).
- If an Unplanned Ad Hoc Collection is created and completed in this way, a depot unloading job will be created for this job as well.

1.7 End of Workload

If no tasks are remaining on the current Load/Worklist, the application will prompt to enter any Load End Metrics if configured (for example ODO readings).

Additionally, Vehicle Checks may be configured to be required at the end of the load - if so, these will be prompted at this stage.



When entered and confirmed (or if none of the above are required), the application will then request more work from the system - see section New Loads for details.

