DET Course (Curriculum Offer) as Opposed to School-owned Course

There are two types of Courses (Curriculum Offers):

- DET-owned Courses (Only Curriculum K-12 department is allowed to Create or Modify these courses, but ALL Schools can view and use them)
- School-owned Courses (Only the school that has created the course is allowed to modify it, and only the owner can view and use it)

1. The School-owned course is a local version of a DET course; this course type must be maintained by school and is totally configurable meaning local course code and name can be assigned, specific academic periods can be defined and learning areas are able to be customised. It is advisable to use this course type if your school uses SBSR and you need to customise (Add/Remove) its Learning Areas, or your school does not run courses based on a whole calendar year Academic Period.

2. DET Curriculum Offer is a standard type that has been automatically generated by system based on whole calendar year. This curriculum offer is not configurable and will be maintained automatically by system, any changes/updates done by curriculum department are automatically applied with no user intervention. For example, the DET Curriculum Offer can maintain 15 Learning Areas to a course that cannot be modified while SBSR reports on 8 or 4 Learning Areas. It is advisable to use this course type if your school does not use SBSR, or uses SBSR but you do not need to customise (Add/Remove) its Learning Areas, run courses based on a whole calendar year Academic Period, and does not need to configure course code and or names.

DET Curriculum Offers are provided mainly for two reasons:

1. To allow Primary Schools to create Roll Classes with default Course Class subgroups (K-6 Curriculum is Mandatory and KLAs are standard across all schools).
2. To allow all schools to use them either as they have been defined, or as a template for creation of locally defined courses. This customisation is achieved by cloning the standard DET course and make it the school required changes.