

FIELD AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHERIES**Review of *Seafood Vessel Operations* unit standards 19846, 19847, 19876, 19877**

Subfield	Domain	Id
Seafood	Seafood Vessel Operations	19846, 19847, 19876, 19877

The Seafood Industry Training Organisation (Seafood ITO) has completed the review of the standards listed above.

Date new versions published **October 2008**

Planned review date **December 2013**

Summary of review and consultation process

Seafood ITO, registered assessors and industry representatives met and reviewed these standards to ensure that they continued to meet industry requirements. The re-drafted standards were presented to the relevant industry sector for consultation and the final drafts were endorsed.

Main changes resulting from the review

- All instances of the word 'turtle' were removed from standard 19847. It was extremely rare to catch one in commercial fishing operations in New Zealand waters, and therefore did not accurately represent achievable outcomes for the seafood vessel operations industry.
- Special notes were updated in keeping with industry requirements and to include applicable operational references.
- Elements and performance criteria were changed to meet industry requirements, and to improve assessability and consistency.

Impact on existing provider accreditations

None.

Impact on existing qualifications

Qualifications that contain the reviewed standards or classifications are tabled below.

Affected	The qualification lists a reviewed classification (domain or subfield) in an elective set The qualification lists a standard that has changes to level or credits The qualification lists a C or D category standard
Not materially affected	The qualification lists a standard that has a new title The qualification lists a standard that has a new classification

The following Seafood ITO qualification is not materially affected by the outcome of this review and will be updated when it is next reviewed.

Qualification title	Standard in the qualification
National Certificate in Seafood Vessel Operations (Fishing Technology) [Ref: 1152]	19847
National Certificate in Seafood Vessel Operations (Level 2) [Ref: 1154]	19847
National Certificate in Seafood Vessel Operations (Fisheries Observer) [Ref: 1357]	19847

Review Categories and changes to classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

Key to review category

- A** Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same Id and a new version number
- B** Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same - the new version of the standard carries the same Id and a new version number
- C** Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new Id
- D** Standard will expire and not be replaced

Subfield Seafood
Domain Seafood Vessel Operations

Id	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
19846	Describe the reduction of seabird incidental capture during commercial fishing	2	4	B
19847	Describe the reduction of marine mammal and turtle incidental capture during commercial fishing Describe the reduction of marine mammal incidental capture during commercial fishing	2	5	B
19876	Describe and follow safe deck practices on a commercial fishing vessel	3	15	B
19877	Demonstrate knowledge of protection of the marine environment during seafood vessel operations	2	2	B