

**FIELD                    ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY****Review and Reclassification of *Telecommunications - Organisational Operation and Control* unit standard 4993****Existing classification**

<b>Subfield</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>Id</b>
Telecommunications	Telecommunications - Organisational Operation and Control	4993

**New classification**

<b>Subfield</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>Id</b>
Electrical Engineering	Electrotechnology	4993

The ElectroTechnology Industry Training Organisation (ETITO) has completed the review of the unit standard above.

**Date new version published**

**August 2009**

**Planned review date**

**December 2014**

**Summary of review and consultation process**

Meetings involving ETITO, industry representatives and other key stakeholders, including the Electrical Engineering Advisory Group (EEAG) and the Telecommunication Education and Skills Standard Organisation (TESSO) were convened in 2009 to undertake the review of the above unit standard to allow it to be used across the whole electrotechnology industry.

The consultation groups were asked to consider the following:

- the currency of the unit standard and its suitability for existing and future qualifications
- the appropriateness of the unit standard to the domain
- the accuracy and appropriateness of content
- whether the level and credit reflected performance outcomes and training needs
- any gaps in skills and/or knowledge that could be captured by the development of new unit standards
- the assessability of the unit standard.

**Main changes resulting from the review**

- Classification was changed from Engineering and Technology > Telecommunications > Telecommunications - Organisational Operation and Control to Engineering and Technology > Electrical Engineering > Electrotechnology.
- Title, special notes, elements, and performance criteria were amended to reflect the classification change.
- Purpose statements were amended to accommodate changes to the elements.
- Special notes were amended to update references and definitions.
- Range statements were amended to clarify evidence requirements.

## Impact on existing provider accreditations

Current Accreditation for			Accreditation extended to		
Nature of accreditation	Classification	Level	Nature of accreditation	Id	Level
Subfield	Telecommunications	5-7	Standard	4993	5
Domain	Telecommunications - Organisational Operation and Control	5	Standard	4993	5

## Impact on Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP)

AMAP 0003 has been updated to reflect the changes.

## Impact on existing qualifications

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

<b>Affected</b>	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
<b>Not materially affected</b>	The qualification lists a standard that has a new title The qualification lists a standard that has a new classification

The following ETITO qualifications are not materially affected by the changes. They will be updated when they are next reviewed.

Qualification title	Standard in the qualification
National Certificate in Telecommunications (Management and Operations) (Level 4) with strands in Computer, Electronics, Mechanical, and Radio [Ref: 0102]	4993
National Certificate in Telecommunications (Sales and Service) (Level 3) with strands in Sales, and Support [Ref: 0104]	4993
National Certificate in Telecommunications (Planning and Design) (Level 4) with strands in Computer, Electronics, Mechanical, and Radio [Ref: 0107]	4993
National Certificate in Telecommunications (Maintenance and Repair) (Level 4) with strands in Computer, Electronics, Mechanical, and Radio [Ref: 0108]	4993
National Certificate in Telecommunications (Level 4) with strands in Bearer and Switch; Building and Data Cabling; Customer Access Network; Customer Premises Equipment; Information and Communications Technology; and Radio [Ref: 1002]	4993

## 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 Telecommunications

Domain Telecommunications - Organisational Operation and Control

**Subfield Electrical Engineering**

**Domain Electrotechnology**

Id	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
4993	Plan, manage, and review small to medium sized telecommunications projects <b>Plan implementation of, manage, and review small to medium sized electrotechnology projects</b>	5	6	B