

FIELD SERVICE SECTOR

Review of *Driver Licence Classes* unit standards 16605-16610

Subfield	Domain	Id
Driving	Driver Licence Classes	16605-16610

Tranzqual ITO has completed the review of the unit standards listed above.

Date report published

January 2010

Summary of review and consultation process

Unit standards 16605-16610 were designed to assist trainees prepare for, and recognise the achievement of, driver licence classes 1-6. The decision has been made to expire them for the following reasons:

- Unit standards 16606-16609 were registered prior to the development and registration of driver licence class 2 – 5 unit standards 17574 to 17577. They continued to serve a purpose as a ‘for qualifications only’ alternative to 17574 to 17577, which were initially restricted to NZ Transport Agency approved licensing courses and licensing purposes. This situation was rectified in 2004 to allow candidates to undertake, as appropriate, assessment against 17574 to 17577 for qualification purposes and regardless of whether they already hold that particular driver licence class. Over the last five years unit standards 16606 to 16609 have been removed from qualifications as they are reviewed, in anticipation of their eventual expiry.
- Unit standards 16605 and 16610 (Class 1 and Class 6) duplicate core driving competencies that are already recognised in driving qualifications. New qualifications are designed to include relevant standards from the *core driving knowledge and skills* domain.

Accredited organisations, registered assessors and the NZ Transport Agency were consulted for this review. Notification of the decision to expire the standards was sent out to stakeholders in September 2009.

Following expiry of the unit standards Tranzqual will update the National Certificate in Commercial Road Transport (Courier Driver) with strands in Urgent Operations, and Non-urgent Operations [Ref: 1084] and the National Certificate in Driving (Light Motor Vehicle) [Ref: 0796].

Main changes resulting from the review

- Unit standards 16605-16610 have been designated expiring.

Unit standards categorised as category D will expire at the end of December 2012.

Impact on Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP)

None.

Impact on existing qualifications

Qualifications that contain the reviewed standards 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 Tranzqual ITO qualifications are affected by the outcome of this review and will be updated in 2010.

Qualification title	Standard in the qualification
National Certificate in Driving (Light Motor Vehicle) [Ref: 0796]	16605
National Certificate in Commercial Road Transport (Courier Driver) with strands in Urgent Operations, and Non-urgent Operations [Ref: 1084]	16605, 16610

The following qualifications are also affected by the outcome of this review. The standard setting bodies have been advised that they require revision.

Qualification title	Standard in the qualification	SSB Name
National Certificate in Wood Manufacturing - Generic Skills (Workplace Safety and Operations) (Level 2) [Ref: 1304]	16606	Forest Industries Training and Education Council (FITEC)
National Certificate in Rural Contracting (Introductory Skills) [Ref: 0228]	16605	InfraTrain New Zealand
National Certificate in Roadmarking (Assistant) with optional strands in Piloting, Raised Pavement Markers, Thermoplastics, and Transport [Ref: 1301]	16605	
National Certificate in Roadmarking (Operator) with strands in A-Type Applicator; and B-Type Applicator; and with optional strands in Raised Pavement Markers; Temporary Traffic Management on Level 2 and 3 Roads; and Transport [Ref: 1303]	16605	
National Certificate in Drilling - Non-hydrocarbon (Driller's Assistant) (Level 2) with an optional strand in Blast Hole/Mineral Production and Development [Ref: 1331]	16605-16610	NZ Extractive Industries Training Organisation

Review Categories

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 Driving
Domain Driver Licence Classes

Id	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
16605	Demonstrate knowledge and skills required for full Class 1 driver licence	2	2	D
16606	Demonstrate knowledge and skills required for full Class 2 driver licence	2	2	D
16607	Demonstrate knowledge and skills required for full Class 3 driver licence	2	2	D
16608	Demonstrate knowledge and skills required for full Class 4 driver licence	2	2	D
16609	Demonstrate knowledge and skills required for full Class 5 driver licence	2	2	D
16610	Demonstrate knowledge and skills required for full Class 6 driver licence	2	2	D