

**Field Business**

## **Review of *Public Sector Procurement* unit standards and qualification**

### **Unit Standards**

<b>Subfield</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>ID</b>
Public Sector Services	Public Sector Procurement	20918-20925

### **Qualification**

<b>Qualification Title</b>	<b>Reference</b>
National Diploma in Public Sector Services (Procurement)	1137

Learning State Limited has completed the review of the unit standards and qualification listed above.

**Date report published**

**November 2010**

### **Summary**

This qualification and associated unit standards in the Public Sector Procurement domain were reviewed as part of Learning State Limited's review schedule.

To date there has been no usage of the qualification and minimal usage of the unit standards. Consultation with the sector indicated that there was very little support for the continuation of this qualification. Also, the expiry of unit standards 9674-9676 in December 2008, which were included in the qualification, made it unachievable.

As a result of the review the qualification, unit standards and the Public Sector Procurement domain will be designated expiring with no replacements.

### **Unit standards**

#### **Main changes**

The unit standards below have been designated expiring and will expire at the end of December 2010.

#### **Unit standards categorised as category D expire at the end of December 2010**

#### **Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level and credits**

<b>Key to review category</b>	
<b>A</b>	Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same Id and a new version number
<b>B</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
<b>C</b>	Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new Id
<b>D</b>	Standard will expire and not be replaced

## Business &gt; Public Sector Services &gt; Public Sector Procurement

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
20918	Plan procurement in the public sector	6	8	D
20919	Request and receive offers in a public sector procurement process	6	8	D
20920	Award public sector procurement contracts	6	8	D
20921	Manage contracts in a public sector procurement process	6	8	D
20922	Plan for procurement outcomes in a public sector context	7	8	D
20923	Identify and analyse public sector procurement processes	5	8	D
20924	Purchase goods and/or services in a public sector organisation	4	8	D
20925	Manage the evaluation of tenders for a contract in a public sector procurement process	7	8	D

### Qualification

#### Main changes

Learning State Limited is not aware of any learners currently enrolled in training leading to the following qualification. Consequently, there are no transition implications and the qualification has been designated expiring and will expire immediately (November 2010) with no replacement.

#### National Diploma in Public Sector Services (Procurement) [Ref: 1137]

Review category	D	See <a href="#">Key to Qualification Review Categories</a> at the end of report
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## Key to Qualification Review Categories

<b>Category A</b> The qualification is published as a new version with the same NQF ID	Changes are made to SSB name, contact details or purpose statement
	No change is made to title, rules or components of the qualification
	No transition arrangements are required
<b>Category B</b> The qualification is published as a new version with the same NQF ID	Changes are made to title, rules or components
	The new version of the qualification recognises a similar skill set to that recognised by the previous version
	The SSB is confident that people awarded the new or previous version are comparable in terms of competence
	Transition arrangements are required if candidates must gain additional/different credits for the new version
<b>Category C</b> A new (replacement) qualification is published with new NQF ID	Significant changes are made to the qualification in terms of components, structure, type or level
	The SSB views people with the replacement qualification as being significantly different in terms of competence from those with the replaced qualification
	Transition arrangements are required
	Transition may be limited to phase-out dates
<b>Category D</b> Qualification will expire. There is no replacement qualification	Qualification is no longer required by industry
	The qualification is designated as expiring and a last date for meeting the qualification requirements is set