

**FIELD                      SERVICE SECTOR****Review of *Hospitality* qualification****National Certificate in Hospitality (Small Business Management) (Level 4) [Ref: 1145]**

The Hospitality Standards Institute has completed the review of the qualification listed above.

**Date new versions published****September 2010****Summary of review and consultation process**

This qualification has had no reported usage and there is very little interest in it within industry. NZQA have had no reports of the qualification being awarded since it was registered. Only one Institute of Technology and Polytechnic has obtained course approval for this qualification and they have no plans to use it. There are currently nine candidates enrolled in a programme leading to this qualification but only three plan to complete it. For these reasons the industry and provider stakeholders have agreed that the qualification is no longer required.

**Main changes resulting from the review**

The qualification has been designated as expiring and will not be replaced.

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

There are no transition implications. The last date for assessments to take place is December 2012.

This qualification contains standards that replace earlier standards. For the purposes of this qualification, people who have gained credit for the expiring standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the replacement standards – see table below.

Credit for	Exempt from
11994	23395
17497	21335

Any candidate who thinks they have been disadvantaged by these arrangements should, in the first instance, contact the Hospitality Standards Institute at:

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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