Field Engineering and Technology

Republication of Extractive Industries qualifications

National Certificate in Extractive Industries (Mining Administration Surface Extraction A Grade) (Level 5) [Ref: 1537]
National Diploma in Extractive Industries (Mining Administration) (Level 6) with strands in First Class Mine Manager, and First Class Coal Mine Manager [Ref: 1539]

The NZ Extractive Industries Training Organisation has republished the qualifications listed above to update the transition arrangements in the versions published in March 2010.

Date versions republished

September 2010

The next qualification review is planned to take place during 2015.

Reason for the republication

The qualifications included standard 25878 which replaced standard 21157 in August 2009. In addition, standard 21157 replaced standard 15661 in January 2005. Industry considered that people with credit for standard 15661 had the knowledge and skills recognised by standard 25878 and requested that an exemption be provided in the qualifications. This would enable candidates currently enrolled in version 1 of the qualifications to complete the requirements without unnecessary repetition of training.

Main changes resulting from the republication

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- There are no changes to structure and content
- The version number of the qualification remains the same
- An exemption from standard 25878 for people with credit for expired standard 15661 has been added to the transition arrangements.

Transition

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

Credit for	Exempt from
7168	21151
15661	25878
21157	25878

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Credit for	Exempt from
7169	21280
8910	21154
8912	21155
8913	21156
15661	25878
15671	22056
21157	25878

It is not intended that anyone be disadvantaged by this republication. The above arrangements have been designed to ensure that trainees currently enrolled in programmes leading to award of these qualifications may continue in their existing programme. However, anyone who feels they have been disadvantaged may appeal to the NZ Extractive Industries Training Organisation at the address below.

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