

**Field      Service Sector****Revision of *Aircraft Operation* unit standards**

<b>Subfield</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>ID</b>
Aviation	Aircraft Operation	26178, 26186, 26187, 26203-26206, 26208, 26209

The Aviation, Tourism and Travel Training Organisation has completed the revision of the unit standards listed above.

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**Planned review date**

**December 2015**

**Summary**

On 9 December 2010 the Flight Training Sector Working Group (comprising representatives of flight training providers for both fixed-wing and helicopters) met to discuss the content of the proposed New Zealand Diploma in Aviation. As they considered the unit standards that the diploma will contain, the group determined that the levels of some standards did not provide a best match for the skills and knowledge being recognised. The working group also advised that the credits for some standards did not reflect the time it was expected to take candidates to meet the outcomes and assemble performance evidence.

**Main changes**

The standards were revised to provide a best match between the level descriptors and the outcomes and evidence requirements, and to ensure that credits reflected notional learning time.

**Impact on existing accreditations**

<b>Current Accreditation for</b>			<b>Accreditation extended to</b>		
<b>Nature of accreditation</b>	<b>Classification</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Nature of accreditation</b>	<b>ID</b>	<b>Level</b>
Domain	Aircraft Operation	4	Standard	26186, 26187, 26203, 26204, 26205, 26206, 26208, 26209	5

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

All changes are in **bold**.

Service Sector > Aviation > Aircraft Operation

<b>ID</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credit</b>
26178	Demonstrate cross-country navigation skills for a commercial pilot licence (aeroplane)	5	4 <b>12</b>
26186	Demonstrate knowledge of helicopter principles of flight and performance for commercial aircraft operations	4 <b>5</b>	6 <b>15</b>

<b>ID</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credit</b>
26187	Demonstrate general helicopter technical knowledge for commercial aircraft operations	4 <b>5</b>	6 <b>15</b>
26203	Demonstrate knowledge of air law for commercial aircraft operations	4 <b>5</b>	8
26204	Demonstrate knowledge of air navigation and flight planning for commercial aircraft operations	4 <b>5</b>	5 <b>15</b>
26205	Demonstrate knowledge of human factors for commercial aircraft operations	4 <b>5</b>	6 <b>7</b>
26206	Demonstrate knowledge of meteorology for commercial aircraft operations in accordance with Subject No 20	4 <b>5</b>	6 <b>15</b>
26208	Demonstrate knowledge of aircraft principles of flight and performance for commercial aircraft operations	4 <b>5</b>	6 <b>15</b>
26209	Demonstrate general aircraft technical knowledge for a commercial pilot licence (aeroplane)	4 <b>5</b>	6 <b>15</b>