

**Field      Manufacturing****Review of *Smallgoods* unit standards**

<b>Subfield</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>ID</b>
Meat Processing	Smallgoods	18517-18518, 18520-18533, 18535, 18811-18813, 19342-19346

The New Zealand Industry Training Organisation has completed the review of the unit standards listed above.

**Date new versions published**

**June 2011**

**Planned review date**

**December 2016**

**Summary**

In November 2010 the Meat Processing Advisory Group, made up of industry representative and providers, met to review the unit standards in the Smallgoods domain. These unit standards had not been used a lot by the industry as the qualification was not fit for purpose and this was also reviewed at the same time. Only minor changes were made to the unit standards and these were endorsed in February 2011.

**Main changes**

- Explanatory notes were brought up to date.
- Entry requirements were deleted as they were no longer relevant.
- Titles were amended for clarity.
- Evidence requirements and ranges were brought up to date.
- Level for standard 18525 was increased.
- Credits were increased to reflect job requirements.
- Standard 19346 was designated expiring and will not be replaced.

**The category D unit standard will expire at the end of December 2012**

**Impact on registered qualifications**

<b>Key to type of impact</b>	
<b>Affected</b>	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
<b>Not materially affected</b>	The qualification lists a standard that has a new title The qualification lists a standard that has a new classification

The following New Zealand Industry Training Organisation qualifications are impacted by the outcome of this review and will be updated when they are reviewed in 2011. The standards that generated the status *Affected* are listed in **bold**.

Ref	Qualification Title	Classification or ID
0955	National Certificate in Meat Processing (Smallgoods) (Level 1)	<b>18525</b>
0956	National Certificate in Meat Processing (Smallgoods) (Level 2) with strands in Raw Processing; Cooked Processing; and Slicing, Packaging and Dispatching; and with optional strands in workplace Safety and Health; and Workplace Communications	<b>18525</b> , 18530, 18531, <b>18532</b> , <b>18533</b> , 18535, 18811, <b>18812</b> , 18813, 19344, 19345, <b>19346</b>
0957	National Certificate in Meat Processing (Smallgoods) (Level 3)	<b>18525</b>

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

All changes are in **bold**.

Key to review category	
<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

### Manufacturing > Meat Processing > Smallgoods

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
18517	Operate a smallgoods packaging line	2	4	B
18518	Operate specialist cutting equipment to produce smallgoods products	3	6	B
18520	Prepare and operate blending equipment in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	6	B
18521	Prepare and operate slicing equipment in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	6	B
18522	Prepare casings in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	3	B
18523	Prepare dry ingredients in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	2	B
18524	Prepare finished meat cuts in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	4	B
18525	Demonstrate knowledge of a smallgoods manufacturing operation	1 <b>2</b>	3	B
18526	Prepare a packaging line in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	4	B
18527	Prepare smallgoods product formulations	3	4	B
18528	Prepare secondary meat cuts for smallgoods manufacture	3	6	B
18529	Rotate stored meat in a smallgoods manufacturing operation	2	2	B
18530	Smoke smallgoods product <b>Smoke smallgoods products</b>	3	4	B

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
18531	Sort smallgoods meat product in a smallgoods manufacturing operation <b>Sort smallgoods meat products</b>	3	6	B
18532	Trim smallgoods product to specifications <b>Trim carcasses to make smallgoods products</b>	2	4 6	B
18533	Form smallgoods product in a smallgoods manufacturing operation <b>Fill and form smallgoods products</b>	2	4 6	B
18535	Link and tie smallgoods product in a smallgoods manufacturing operation <b>Link and tie smallgoods products</b>	2	4	B
18811	Assess smallgoods product in chillers <b>Manage smallgoods products in chillers</b>	3	4	B
18812	Batch smallgoods product <b>Batch meat for smallgoods products</b>	3	4 6	B
18813	Dispatch smallgoods product <b>Dispatch smallgoods products</b>	2	4	B
19342	Ferment and mature smallgoods product <b>Ferment and mature smallgoods products</b>	3	4	B
19343	Cure smallgoods product <b>Cure smallgoods products</b>	3	4 6	B
19344	Cook or steam smallgoods product <b>Cook or steam smallgoods products</b>	3	4	B
19345	Break carcass meat into smallgoods primary cuts <b>Break carcass meat into smallgoods primary cuts</b>	3	4	B
19346	Fill smallgoods casings	2	3	D