Field **Engineering and Technology**

Extension of expiry date of Design – Generic Design, Graphics Communication and Computer Graphics unit standards

Subfield	Domain	ID
Design	Design – Generic Design	7489-7492
	Design – Graphic	7507, 7508
	Communication	
	Design – Computer	7481
	Graphics	

The NZQA National Qualifications Services has extended the expiry date of the unit standards listed above.

December 2014 New expiry date

May 2013

Date new versions published

Summary

These unit standards were reviewed as Category D in January 2011 as part of the Alignment of Standards review of achievement and unit standards conducted in 2010/2011 by the Ministry of Education (MoE) and NZQA. The unit standards are designated to expire in December 2013.

The unit standards above will be affected by the mandatory TROQ review of Creative Arts qualifications in 2013. The purpose of the extension is to prevent the possibility of education providers and students being disadvantaged by the outcome of the mandatory review and any subsequent development of new qualifications.

Main changes

 The expiry date for these standards is extended from 31 December 2013 to 31 December 2014.

Impact on existing consent to assess

No new or extension to consent to assess will be granted during the extended expiry.

Impact on registered qualifications

Key to type of impact	
Affected	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
Not materially affected	The qualification lists a standard that has a new title
_	The qualification lists a standard that has a new classification

The following table identifies qualifications developed by InfraTrain that include these standards. The qualifications have been reviewed and will be designated expiring as they no longer meet the needs of industry.

Ref	Qualification Title	Classification or ID	SSB Name
0461	National Certificate in Design (Introductory	7481, 7489, 7490,	InfraTrain New
	Skills) (Level 2)	7491, 7492, 7507,	Zealand
		7508.	
0640	National Certificate in Design (Draughting)	7481, 7492	
	(Level 2)		
0672	National Certificate in Engineering and	7481, 7489, 7490,	
	Technology (for the Design and Construction	7491, 7492, 7507,	
	Sector) (Level 4)	7508	

Impact of changes on NCEA Exclusions List

For transition purposes, the following exclusions apply.

New Achievement standard	Excluded against each of these standards
91337	7481, 7490, 7507
91342	7491, 7492, 7508
91343	7491, 7492, 7508

Summary of main changes

The following tables show the old and revised expiry dates.

Engineering and Technology > Design > Design - Generic Design

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
7489	Identify design problems and carry out investigation	2	4	31/12/2013	31/12/2014
7490	Apply visual design elements to solve design problems	2	4	31/12/2013	31/12/2014
7491	Develop and refine design solutions	2	3	31/12/2013	31/12/2014
7492	Present design work	2	3	31/12/2013	31/12/2014

Engineering and Technology > Design > Design - Graphic Communication

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
7507	Use freehand sketching techniques to show design development	2	4	31/12/2013	31/12/2014
7508	Produce illustration and advertising graphics	2	4	31/12/2013	31/12/2014

Engineering and Technology > Design > Design - Computer Graphics

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
7481	Produce design ideas and images using computer graphics programs	2	3	31/12/2013	31/12/2014