Field Manufacturing

Revision and review of Baking qualifications

Revised qualification

National Certificate in Baking (Craft Baking) (Level 4) [Ref: 0590]

Reviewed qualification

National Certificate in Baking (Craft Baking) (Level 4) with strands in Biscuit, Bread, Cake, and Pastry, and with an optional strand in Team Leading [Ref: 1612]

Competenz has revised and reviewed the qualifications listed above.

Date new versions published

November 2013

New expiry date

December 2018

Summary

The National Certificate in Baking (Level 4) [Ref: 0590] was designated expiring in August 2012, and replaced by the National Certificate in Baking (Craft Baking) (Level 4) with strands in Biscuit, Bread, Cake, and Pastry, and with an optional strand in Team Leading [Ref: 1612], which was subsequently replaced by the New Zealand Certificate in Craft Baking (Level 5) with strands in Biscuit and Cake, Bread, Gluten Free, and Pastry [Ref: 1845]. The replacement qualification [Ref: 1845] was developed through the Targeted Review of Qualifications.

Competenz has received feedback from industry that the replacement qualification [Ref: 1845] is not fit for purpose for use by on-job trainees in the Baking industry. It was therefore necessary to revise qualification [Ref: 0590] to ensure its ongoing achievability and extend its expiry date. The opportunity was also taken to expire qualification [Ref: 1612] and extend the already published discontinuation date to December 2018. These two qualifications have different target audiences and the purpose statements of each have been updated to reflect the difference. The qualifications were also updated to address unit standards within both that are expiring.

Revision

Main changes resulting from the revision

National Certificate in Baking (Level 4) [Ref: 0590]

Changes to structure and content

- Replaced expiring standards 6400, 6401, and 6402, with standards 26551 and 26552.
- Clarified the target audience in the purpose of the qualification.
- Amended the last date for entry into programmes leading to the replaced qualification (31 December 2014) and last date for assessment (31 December 2017) to 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2018 respectively.

While this qualification was initially replaced by the National Certificate in Baking (Craft Baking) (Level 4) with strands in Biscuit, Bread, Cake, and Pastry, with an optional strand in Team Leading [Ref: 1612], it has had its discontinuation date extended because, where Q1612 requires trainees to specialise in a particular discipline, candidates completing this qualification are able to gain experience in all disciplines of Craft Baking.

Transition

Candidates working towards version 1 of the qualification can either complete that version or transfer to version 4 before 31 December 2014, however they should be aware they only have until 31 December 2013 to complete assessment against expiring compulsory standard 8489.

Candidates working towards versions 2 and 3 of the qualification can either complete those versions or transfer to version 4.

This qualification contains standards that have replaced expiring 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
6400	26551 & 26552
6401	26552
6402	26551

Reverse transition

Versions 2 and 3 of this qualification contain standards that have been replaced and will expire on 31 December 2015. For the purposes of this qualification, people who have gained credit for the replacement standards are exempt from the requirement to gain credit for the expiring standards – see table below.

Credit for	Exempt from
26551, 26552	6400
26552	6401
26551	6402

Review

The National Certificate in Baking (Craft Baking) (Level 4) with strands in Biscuit, Bread, Cake, and Pastry, and with an optional strand in Team Leading [Ref: 1612] was originally replaced by the New Zealand Certificate in Craft Baking (Level 5) with strands in Biscuit and Cake, Bread, Gluten Free, and Pastry [Ref: 1845] as part of the mandatory review of Baking qualifications, however it was unable to be expired until now. The qualification has also been amended to ensure that it remains achievable until its expiry date.

Main changes resulting from the review

National Certificate in Baking (Craft Baking) (Level 4) with strands in Biscuit, Bread, Cake, and Pastry, and with an optional strand in Team Leading [Ref: 1612]

Review category **C** See <u>Key to Qualification Review Categories</u> at the end of report

Changes to structure and content

- Removed expiring standards 1983 and 18336.
- Clarified the target audience in the purpose of the qualification.
- Amended the proposed last date for entry into programmes leading to the replaced qualification (31 December 2014) and last date for assessment (31 December 2017) to 31 December 2015 and 31 December 2018 respectively.

Transition

Candidates working towards version 1 can either complete that version or transfer to version 2. Those wishing to complete the Team Leader optional strand in version 1 will need to complete assessment for standard 1983 (expiring 31 December 2014) before its expiry date.

Competenz has endeavoured to ensure that no person has been disadvantaged by the review of this qualification. Anyone who thinks that they have been disadvantaged should, in the first instance, contact Competenz at the address below.

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Key to Qualification Review Categories

Category A	Changes are made to SSB name, contact details or purpose statement
The qualification is published as a	No change is made to title, rules or components of the qualification
new version with the same NQF ID	No transition arrangements are required
Category B	Changes are made to title, rules or components
The qualification is published as a new version with the same NQF ID	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
Category C A new (replacement) qualification is	Significant changes are made to the qualification in terms of components, structure, type or level
published with new NQF ID	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
Category D	Qualification is no longer required by industry
Qualification will expire.	
There is no replacement	
qualification	