

Field Engineering and Technology**Extension of expiry date of *Blaster Coating* unit standards and Reinstatement and Extension of expiry date of *Extraction Industries* unit standards**

Subfield	Domain	ID
Blaster Coating	Blaster Coating Operations	17534, 17535
Extractive Industries	Surface Extraction	21632, 21633
	Underground Extraction	8920

The NZ Motor Industry Training Organisation (Inc) (MITO) has extended the expiry dates of the unit standards listed above.

New expiry date **December 2017**

Date new versions published **October 2013**

Summary

These unit standards were reviewed and designated as expiring without direct replacement (Review Category D). Standards 8920, 21632 and 21633 expired in December 2012 and standards 17534 and 17535 expire in December 2014.

It was intended that the qualifications affected by the expiry of these standards would be reviewed and the expiring standards replaced. However, due to the mandatory reviews that are underway in these industry sectors, the affected qualifications will now remain in use until the mandatory reviews are completed and the new qualifications and programmes are available.

As a result, MITO has extended the expiry date of these standards to 31 December 2017 to ensure that the affected qualifications remain achievable until the mandatory review of the qualifications has been completed.

Main change

- Standards 8920, 21632 and 21633 were reinstated and the expiry date was extended from 31 December 2012 to 31 December 2017.
- The expiry date for standards 17534 and 17535 was extended from 31 December 2014 to 31 December 2017.

Summary of main changes

The following table shows the previous and new expiry dates.

Engineering and Technology > Blaster Coating > Blaster Coating Operations

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
17534	Demonstrate knowledge of and operate gantry crane in an abrasive blasting and protective coating workshop	3	5	31/12/2014	31/12/2017
17535	Supervise safety on an abrasive blasting and protective coating site	4	20	31/12/2014	31/12/2017

Engineering and Technology > Extractive Industries > Surface Extraction

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
21632	Demonstrate knowledge of and apply techniques for blasting for pipeline perforations	4	10	31/12/2012	31/12/2017
21633	Demonstrate knowledge of and apply blasting layouts for pile and pipe cutting blasting	4	10	31/12/2012	31/12/2017

Engineering and Technology > Extractive Industries > Underground Extraction

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Previous expiry date	New expiry date
8920	Design blasting layouts and carry out shotfiring in an underground metalliferous mine	4	20	31/12/2012	31/12/2017