

CMR for Mechanical Engineering, Food and Related Product Production, Can Making, Manufacturing Processes, Maritime, Powered Industrial Lift Trucks, and Rail Transport [Ref: 0013]

CMR for Printing and Fibreboard Packaging [Ref: 0005]

CMR for Meat Retailing [Ref: 0094]

CMR for Plastics and Materials Processing Industry Training Organisation Incorporated [Ref: 0134]

CMR for Forestry, Biosecurity, and Wood Related Manufacturing and Processing [Ref: 0173]

CMR for Competitive Manufacturing [Ref: 0188]

Review of Competenz CMRs

Competenz has completed the review of the Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMRs) above.

Date new version published

April 2016

The next CMR review is planned to take place during 2020.

Summary of review

Over the last few years, Competenz has been involved in several mergers with other Industry Training Organisations (ITOs). These mergers have resulted in an increased number of CMR documents internally. The majority of these CMRs had more commonalities than differences, and, in recognition of this, it was decided to review the suite to align those requirements that were similar yet retain individual requirements for those industries that had distinctive differences.

For the Mechanical Engineering, Manufacturing, and Service sectors, CMR 0013 was selected as the 'master' CMR, incorporating the standardised information and the industry or sector-specific requirements for consent to assess for the Competitive Systems and Practices domain (Appendix 1), the Printing domain (Appendix 2), the Maritime subfield (Appendix 3), the Fire Protection domains (Appendix 4), and Forklift Training unit standards (Appendix 5). CMRs 0005, 0094, 0134, and 0188 were updated to mirror the appropriate sections of CMR 0013, and the standards on these CMRs will be transferred to CMR 0013 when they are next reviewed or revised. The wood-related manufacturing domains from CMR 0173 will also now be covered by CMR 0013, bringing all of the Manufacturing standards under the same CMR as they are reviewed/revised.

Compliance with new requirements

Requirements for consent to assess will apply with effect from April 2016.

Moderation system requirements will apply with effect from April 2016.

Organisations with consent to assess will be expected to be able to demonstrate compliance with the CMR from October 2016.

To ensure the least amount of change possible for our industries, Competenz has worked hard to retain the core requirements for consent to assess, which were very closely

aligned across the previous CMRs, and to create appropriate appendices to encapsulate those different requirements that are industry-specific.

Competenz will communicate any changes in a timely fashion and work with any organisation that needs more lead time to accommodate any change required.

Main changes

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Requirements for Consent to Assess (RCA)

Visit waiver conditions

- While some wording has changed, the conditions of a visit waiver remain the same.

Areas of shared responsibility

- The possible delegation to the consortium for Competitive Systems and Practices is referenced in Appendix 1.

Industry or sector-specific requirements for consent to assess

- Any specific requirements are now covered in the appropriate appendices.

Moderation Requirements (MR)

- The terminology in this section has been updated in line with NZQA requirements.

Funding

- The fees schedule has been included, in line with NZQA recommendations, and will now also be available to view on the Competenz website, ensuring all industries are getting the same information.