

FIELD Engineering and Technology

Review of Design qualifications

National Certificate in Design (Advanced Kitchen Design) [Ref: 1381]

National Certificate in Design (Level 2) with strands in Kitchen Design, and Bathroom Design [Ref: 1473]

National Certificate in Design (Level 4) with strands in Kitchen Design, and Bathroom Design [Ref: 1300]

National Diploma in Design (Kitchen or Bathroom Design) (Level 5) [Ref: 1686]

The Building and Construction Industry Training Organisation has reviewed the qualifications listed above.

Replacement qualifications

New Zealand Diploma in Design (Kitchen Design/Bathroom Design) (Level 5) [Ref: 3221]

New Zealand Diploma in Design (Advanced Kitchen Design/Advanced Bathroom Design) (Level 6) [Ref: 3222]

Date new versions published

April 2016

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

Summary of review and consultation process

This review took place as part of the stakeholder consultation for the mandatory Review of Qualifications (TRoQ) conducted in 2014.

Main changes resulting from the review

- National Certificate in Design (Advanced Kitchen Design) [Ref: 1381] was included in the review, but has already expired.
- National Certificate in Design (Level 2) with strands in Kitchen Design, and Bathroom Design [Ref: 1473] will expire and will not be replaced.

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- National Certificate in Design (with strands in Kitchen or Bathroom Design) [Ref: 1300] replaced by New Zealand Diploma in Design (Level 5) with strands in Kitchen Design, or Bathroom Design [Ref: 3221]
- National Diploma in Design (Kitchen or Bathroom Design) (Level 5) [Ref: 1686] replaced by New Zealand Diploma in Design (Advanced) (Level 6) with contextual endorsement in Kitchen Design or Bathroom Design [Ref: 3222]

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Transition

The last date for entry into programmes leading to the National Certificate in Design (Level 2) with strands in Kitchen Design, and Bathroom Design [Ref: 1473] is 31 December 2017. Candidates currently working towards the expiring qualification must complete the requirements for that qualification by 31 December 2019.

The last date for entry into programmes leading to the National Certificate in Design (Level 4) with strands in Kitchen Design, and Bathroom Design [Ref: 1300] or National Diploma in Design (Kitchen or Bathroom Design) (Level 5) [Ref: 1686] is 31 December 2017. Candidates currently working towards the expiring qualifications may either complete the requirements for that qualification by 31 December 2019, or transfer to the replacement qualification.

It is not intended that anyone be disadvantaged by this review. However, anyone who feels they have been disadvantaged can appeal to BCITO at the contact details below.

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Key to Qualification Review Categories

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