

FIELD PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION**Review of *Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills* qualifications**

National Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 1) [Ref: 1367]
National Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 2) [Ref: 1368]

The Building and Construction Industry Training Organisation (BCITO) has completed the review of the qualifications listed above.

New and replacement qualifications

New Zealand Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 1) [Ref: 3843]

New Zealand Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 2) [Ref: 3844]

New Zealand Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 3) [Ref: 3845]

Date new versions published

July 2018

The next qualification review is planned to take place during 2023.

Summary of review and consultation process

The review occurred as a result of the mandatory review of qualifications, part of the Targeted Review of Qualifications (TRoQ).

Extensive consultation with stakeholders resulted in a recommendation that there was still a need for Level 1 and 2 qualifications and that the national qualifications listed above should be replaced by New Zealand qualifications. The review also confirmed the need for a new, Level 3 qualification to be added to the suite in order to meet the needs of final-year secondary school students and provide better preparation for their transition to work and further learning.

Main changes resulting from the review

National Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 1) [Ref: 1367]
replaced by

New Zealand Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 1) [Ref: 3843]

Review category	C	See Key to Qualification Review Categories at the end of report
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National Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 2) [Ref: 1368]
replaced by

New Zealand Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 2) [Ref: 3844]

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New Qualification

New Zealand Certificate in Building, Construction, and Allied Trades Skills (Level 3) [Ref: 3845]

Transition

People currently working towards the replaced qualifications may either complete the requirements for those qualifications by 31 December 2020 or transfer to a programme of study or training leading to a replacement qualification.

The last date for entry into programmes leading to the replaced qualifications is 30 June 2020.

The last date for assessment of the replaced qualifications is 31 December 2020, at which time they will be discontinued.

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 NZQF 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 NZQF 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 NZQF 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