

**Field      Service Sector****Review and revision and rollover of *Suspended Scaffolding* unit standards**

<b>Subfield</b>	<b>Domain</b>	<b>ID</b>
Lifting Equipment	Suspended Scaffolding	<b>26592, 26593, 26594</b> , 26595, 26607

The Skills Organisation has completed the review and revision and rollover of the unit standards listed above. The standards listed in **bold** above have been reviewed. The other standards were revised and rolled over.

**Date new versions published**

**March 2018**

**Planned review date**

**December 2021**

**Summary**

Following the review of qualifications in the Scaffolding sector, consultation with subject matter experts was held to review and revise unit standards that may be used in unit standard-based programmes leading to award of the New Zealand Scaffolding qualifications. As the overarching credit values of the qualifications were reduced to better reflect the journey of learning, practice and assessment, the unit standards were updated also to reflect this change.

**Main changes**

- The planned review date of all standards was updated to December 2021, and the guidance notes amended to match other scaffolding standards.
- The credit value of standard 26592 was increased to recognise the workload in developing this critical skillset. The title was also amended to refer to proprietary suspended scaffolding.
- Standard 26594 was made a prerequisite for standard 26593.
- The credit values of standards 26593 and 26594 were reduced to ensure the standards work well as a suite of standards, including acknowledging the learning and assessment involved in acquiring the prerequisite standards.

**The last date for assessment of the most recent superseded version of Category B unit standards is December 2019**

**Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits**

All changes are in bold.

<b>Key to review category</b>	
<b>A</b>	Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
<b>B</b>	Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
<b>C</b>	Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new ID
<b>D</b>	Standard will expire and not be replaced

**Reviewed standards**

Service Sector &gt; Lifting Equipment &gt; Suspended Scaffolding

<b>ID</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credit</b>	<b>Review Category</b>
26592	Plan and prepare for the erection of suspended scaffolding <b>Plan and prepare for the erection of proprietary suspended scaffolding</b>	3	6 <b>10</b>	B
26593	Erect, operate, and dismantle boatswain's chairs	4	18 <b>5</b>	B
26594	Erect, operate, and dismantle swinging stages	4	18 <b>10</b>	B

**Revised standards**

Service Sector &gt; Lifting Equipment &gt; Suspended Scaffolding

<b>ID</b>	<b>Title</b>	<b>Level</b>	<b>Credit</b>
26595	Complete suspended scaffolding inspection compliance reports	3	4
26607	Interpret and apply legislative requirements for the design of suspended scaffolding	3	3