

Change report for the review of the New Zealand Equine Breeding Qualifications

Reviewed qualifications

[Ref]	Qualification title	Level	Credits
2370-1	New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Stud Groom)	3	80
2371-1	New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Senior Stud Groom)	4	85

Review information

Review completed by	Primary ITO
Reason for the review	Scheduled 5 year Qualification Review Cycle
Date replacement qualifications listed	November 2019
Next qualification review date	November 2024

Summary of review and consultation process

The review of the New Zealand Equine Breeding qualifications occurred in 2019. The review encompassed consultation with stakeholders from the thoroughbred and standardbred breeding sectors to ensure that the reviewed qualifications met their current and future needs.

The recommendation of the External Working Group was that the Level 3 qualification remain at 80 credits with some amendments to Graduate Outcomes.

The recommendation of the External Working Group was that the Level 4 qualification increased from 85 credits to 130 credits to focus more attention on horse health and welfare, personal communication, health and safety on the breeding stud to meet industry requirements in the future.

Main changes resulting from the review

Qualifications updated to the current qualification template.

The New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Senior Stud Groom) (Level 4) qualification credits increased from to 130 credits.

Review outcome

[Ref:]	Qualification title	Outcome category	Replacement qualification
2370-1	New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Stud Groom)	B	2370-2
2371-1	New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Senior Stud Groom)	B	2371-2

Qualification Review outcome categories

Outcome	Result	Category
No changes are identified to the qualification	Qualification version number and NZQF ID remain the same. New review date is required.	A
Minor changes are identified to the qualification	New version of qualification is required (NZQF ID remains the same). New review date is required.	B
Significant changes are required to the qualification	New replacement qualification is required with a new NZQF ID. The existing qualification will expire.	C
The qualification is no longer required by industry	The qualification will expire with no replacement.	D

Transition information

[Ref:]	Qualification title	Last date of entry	Last date of assessment
2370-1	New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Stud Groom)	N/A	31 December 2022
2371-1	New Zealand Certificate in Equine Breeding (Senior Stud Groom)	N/A	31 December 2022