

FIELD: Engineering and Technology**Change report for the review of Refrigeration and Air Conditioning New Zealand Qualifications****Reviewed qualifications**

[Ref]	Version	Qualification title	Level	Credits
2367	1	New Zealand Certificate in Split System Heat Pump Installation	3	60

Review information

Qualification Developer	Competenz
Reason for the review	5-year scheduled review
Review date	November 2020
Outcome date	February 2021
Next review date	February 2026

Summary of review and consultation process

During the mandatory review of the qualifications in the refrigeration and air conditioning suite, it was determined by industry that the New Zealand Certificate in Split System Heat Pump Installation (Level 3)[Ref:2367] was no longer fit for purpose. This has been displayed by the fact industry have not required programmes to be developed to lead to the qualification. Since the original qualification was written much has changed in the industry and the qualification no longer met the needs of industry.

Industry requested the qualification be expired and replaced with qualification that was reflective of the direction industry was taking for the installation of air conditioning units and systems.

The development work on the qualification replacing the New Zealand Certificate in Split System Heat Pump Installation (Level 3) [Ref:2367] has been completed with representatives from IRHACE, CCCANZ, Industry Suppliers, and Technical experts.

Main changes resulting from the review

New Zealand Certificate in Split System Heat Pump Installation (Level 3) [Ref: 2367] was expired and replaced by the New Zealand Certificate in Air Conditioning Installation (Level 4) [Ref: 4363]

Review outcome

Reference	Version	Reviewed qualification	Outcome category	New qualification details/version

				(if applicable)
2367	1	New Zealand Certificate in Split System Heat Pump Installation (Level 3)	<i>C-New replacement qualification is required with a new NZQF ID.</i>	New Zealand Certificate in Air Conditioning Installation (Level 4) [Ref: 4363]

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

Reference	Version	Qualification title	Last date of entry*	Last date of assessment
2367	1	New Zealand Certificate in Split System Heat Pump Installation (Level 3)	31/12/2020	31/12/2021

*only required for outcome category C or D

Any additional information

<p>It is the intention of Competenz that no existing trainee should be disadvantaged by these transition arrangements. Any person who considers they have been disadvantaged by these transition arrangements may appeal to Competenz at the address below.</p> <p>Appeals will be considered on a case-by-case basis.</p> <p>Competenz PO Box 9005 Newmarket Auckland 1149.</p>
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