

Field: Engineering and Related Technologies

Republication of Aviation New Zealand Qualifications

Republished qualifications

Ref	Version	Qualification Title (Level)	Credits
3688	2	New Zealand Diploma in Aviation (General Aviation) (Level 5) with	240
		strands in Aeroplane, and Helicopter	
3689	2	New Zealand Diploma in Aviation (Level 6) with strands in Aeroplane	245-295
		Flight Instruction, Aeroplane Airline Preparation, and Helicopter Flight	
		Instruction	

Republication information

Qualification Developer	Ringa Hora Services Workforce Development Council
Reason for the review	General conditions for programme, other requirements and GPO1
	conditions update
Republication date	April 2024
Outcome date	April 2024
Next review date	February 2029

Summary of republication and consultation process

Stakeholders identified that the New Zealand Defence Force (NZDF) flight training school and flying operations operates under their own rules, which broadly align to the Civil Aviation Authority (CAA), however, they do not use the CAA syllabus.

As the qualification GPOs refer specifically to the CAA, this may exclude military pilots from gaining the qualifications.

The requirements for the qualifications, programme conditions and GPO conditions were amended to allow for NZDF equivalence of CAANZ Commercial Pilot License theory subjects.

Main changes resulting from the republication

Changes applied across both qualifications:

General Conditions for programme section was updated to allow for equivalency between CAA and NZDF licence theory subjects.

Other Requirements section was updated to add a statement to identify the provisions of Civil Aviation Rule 61 to allow equivalence.

GPO1 Conditions was updated to allow for NZDF equivalence of CAANZ Commercial Pilot License theory subjects.

The qualifications will be republished with no version change and no change to next review date. The update will take effect immediately.

Any additional information

These qualifications were republished in April 2024.

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

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