

Field: Law and Security

Review of Intelligence New Zealand Qualifications

Reviewed qualifications

Ref	Version	Qualification Title (Level)	Credits
2392	2	New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Introduction) (Level 3)	40
2394	2	New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Level 5) with strands in Collection, and Collation	60-75
2396	2	New Zealand Diploma in Intelligence Analysis (Level 6)	120

Review information

Qualification Developer	Ringa Hora Services Workforce Development Council
Reason for the review	Early review
Review date	October 2023
Outcome date	July 2024
Next review date	July 2029

Summary of development/review and consultation process

Ringa Hora Workforce Development Council has completed an early review of the qualifications above.

The Intelligence Review was initiated in August 2023 following an early review request for the New Zealand Diploma in Intelligence Analysis (Level 6) from industry and provider representatives.

Consultation and review occurred between October 2023 to May 2024 in a series of online, faceto-face, email conversations. A working group was put together and consisted of industry, provider, and main users of the qualifications. There was also a consultation group who received all communications of the review and provided feedback through email or face to face meetings.

Main changes resulting from the development/review process

- Programme endorsement considerations added.
- Minor wording changes for clarity.
- References to resources and relevant legislation updated.

New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Level 5) with strands in Collection, and Collation [Ref: 2394]

- Removal of the strands.
- Broadening the focus on information management for intelligence purposes.
- Reduction of credits from 75 credits to 60 credits.
- The body of changes above necessitated that a new qualification be created, and the existing qualification replaced.

New Zealand Diploma in Intelligence Analysis (Level 6) [Ref: 2396]

• Credit weightings for Graduate Profile Outcomes 1 and 2 were revised to better reflect the notional hours of learning and assessment.

Review outcome

Ref:	Version	Reviewed qualification	Outcome category	New qualification details/version (if applicable)
2392	2	New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Introduction) (Level 3)	B-New version of qualification	2392-3
2394	2	New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Level 5) with strands in Collection, and Collation New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Information Management) (Level 5)	C-New replacement qualification	2394-3 To expire 5079-1
2396	2	New Zealand Diploma in Intelligence Analysis (Level 6)	B-New version of qualification	2396-3

Qualification review outcome categories

Outcome	Result	Category
Minor changes to the	Qualification version number and ID (Ref) remain the	A
qualification	same	
	New review date is required	
Moderate changes to the	New qualification version number	В
qualification	ID (Ref) remains the same	
	New review date is required	
Significant changes to the	New replacement qualification with a new ID (Ref)	С
qualification	The existing qualification will expire	
The qualification is no	The qualification will expire with no replacement	D
longer required by industry		

Transition information

Ref:	Version	Qualification Title (Level)	Last date of	Last date of
			entry*	assessment
2392	2	New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Introduction) (Level 3)	N/A	31 May 2026
2394	2	New Zealand Certificate in Intelligence (Level 5) with strands in Collection, and Collation	31 December 2024	31 May 2026
2396	2	New Zealand Diploma in Intelligence Analysis (Level 6)	N/A	31 May 2026

*only required for outcome category C or D

Any additional information

It is not intended that any existing candidate be disadvantaged by these transition arrangements; however, anyone who feels they have been disadvantaged may appeal to:

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