Field **Engineering and Technology**

Review of *Automotive Trailers* unit standard

Subfield	Domain	ID
Motor Industry	Automotive Trailers	23931

Hanga-Aro-Rau Manufacturing (H-A-R), Engineering and Logistics Workforce Development Council has completed the review of the unit standard listed above.

Date new version published **March 2024**

Planned review date **December 2028**

Summary

H-A-R carried out the review in October 2023 to better reflect the needs of the transport engineering sectors requirements for knowledge of heavy trailer systems. Industry and subject matter experts provided feedback and input into the review of this unit standards. This was achieved through online meetings and sharing documents and feedback via email.

Main changes

- Credit value was increased from 2 to 5 to accommodate the additional requirements in the learning and assessment.
- Guidance information was updated to reflect legislative requirements and link to website.
- Performance criteria 1.2, 1.3 and 1.4 for Outcome 1 were updated to include four and five trailer axle systems.
- Performance criteria 3.1, 3.2, and 3.3 were amended to reflect only coupling devices for articulated vehicles, with reference to trailer steering systems moved to new Outcome 4.
- New outcome 4 included to separate trailer steering systems which was previously incorporated in outcome 3.

The last date for assessment of superseded versions of Category B unit standards is December 2025.

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

All changes are in **bold**.

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

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ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
23931	Demonstrate knowledge of heavy trailer systems	4	2 **5**	B