



SKILLS DEVELOPMENT

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Dear Stakeholders

**PROGRESS REPORT OF QUALIFICATIONS DEVELOPMENT AND REGISTRATIONS**

The purpose of this report is to inform the Fibre Processing and Manufacturing Sector and the public on progress of qualifications development projects funded by the FP&M SETA, and it is as follows:

**A. Occupational Qualifications Registered with the QCTO and SAQA: 4**

- 715601 - Footwear Cutting Production Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)
- 715602000 - Footwear Closing Production Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)
- 662204 - Sheetfed Offset Lithographic Technician
- 715301 - Occupational Certificate: Sewing Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)

**B. Qualifications still in the process of Registration with SAQA: 3**

- 715604 Occupational Certificate: Footwear Lasting and Making Production Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)
- 715603 Occupational Certificate: Footwear Bottomstock Production Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)

- 715602001 Occupational Certificate: Footwear Closing Production Machine Operator (Footwear Hand Lacer and Hand Inter-lacer) (NQF Level 1)

**C. Qualifications submitted to the QCTO for registrations: 19**

- 715501002 Leather Tanning, Re-tanning and Dyeing Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)
- 715605000 Footwear Finishing Production Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)
- 715501003 Leather Finishing Machine Operator (NQF Level 2)
- 662303 Mechanised Soft-Cover Bookbinding Technician
- 662305 Mechanised Hard-Cover Bookbinding Technician
- 662212 Rotary Printing and Re-reeling Flexographic Machine Technician
- 325705 Safety Inspector (SHE Officer (SHE Rep, Hazard and Risk Assessor and Incident Investigator))
- 1131103000 Production / Operations Supervisor (Forestry Supervisor)
- 1101103001 Forestry Production Foreman
- 715202000 Warping Machine Operator
- 715201000 Weaving Machine Operator
- 715401001 Textile Wet Process Dyeing Machine Operator
- 715401002 Textile Wet Process Printing Machine Operator
- 715204001 Weft Knitting Machine Operator
- 715204002 Warp Knitting Machine Operator
- 715205001 Non-Woven Tufting Machine Operator
- 715501001 Leather Processing Machine Operator (Beam House Machine Operator)
- 715501001 Leather Processing Machine Operator (Leather Tanning Machine Operator)
- 715501003 Leather Finishing Machine Operator

D. Qualifications in the process of submission to the QCTO for registrations: 28

Project Partner	Sector Served	OFO Code	Occupational Title	Specialisation	Part Qualifications	Number of Part Qualifications	Submitted to QCTO	Submission Nov 2015	Submission Feb 2016	Submission May 2016
SAFCA	Forestry	734102	Logging Plant Operator - Harvesting		Feller Buncher Operator fells and/or bunch timber and lays it down for extraction (slope and tree size)	1			1(29 February)	
					Timber Harvester Operator will fell and convert the felled tree into logs (de-branch, top and/or debark the timber and cross cut) (slope and tree size)	1			1(29 February)	
					Timber Forwarder Operator forward logs to the landing	1			1(29 February)	
					Grapple Skidder Operator skids bundles of logs or trees to the landing	1			1(29 February)	
					Cable skidder operator skid logs or trees to the landing by choking, skidding and de-choking logs or trees (different method)	1			1(29 February)	
					Cable Yarder Operator will yard (used as a verb) trees or logs to the landing	1			1(29 February)	
					Timber Hauler operator forward logs to the landing or depot	1			1(29 February)	
					Timber Processor Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Timber Loader operators	1			1(29 February)	
					Chain Flail De-limber De-barker	1			1(29 February)	
					Chipper Loader (large plant)	1			1(29 February)	
					Tractor operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Tractor Drawn Timber Trailer	1			1(29 February)	
					Tractor drawn trailer with crane operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Tractor mounted winch and A-frame	1			1(29 February)	

					Tractor driven ring de-barker	1			1(29 February)
					Tractor driven timber chipper (mobile chippers)	1			1(29 February)
2	WCFI	Furniture	682201	Furniture Maker	Prototype maker L4	1			1
					Wood Machinist L3	1			1
					Assembler L3	1			1
					Wood Finisher L3	1			1
					Wood Machinist L2	1			1
					Assembler L2	1			1
					Wood Finisher L2	1			1
3	WCFI	Furniture	683401	Upholsterer	Furniture upholsterer	1			1
					Upholstery patternmaker	1			1
					Upholstery cover fitter	1			1
					Frame preparer	1			1
4	WCFI	Furniture	216301001	Furniture Designer		1			1(29 February)
5	AMSA	Clothing	683201	Clothing, Home Textiles and General Goods Cutter	Cutter	1			1(29 February)
					Layer-up	1			1(29 February)
					Hand operations	1			1(29 February)
					Marker maker	1			1(29 February)
6	AMSA	Clothing	683202001	Apparel and related pattern maker and grader	Pattern maker	1			1
					Grader	1			1
7	AMSA	Clothing	242102001	Work Study Officer		1			1
8	AMSA	Clothing	684901	Apparel & Related Machine Mechanic		1			1(29 February)
9	SABMEO	Textiles	715203	Brading Machine Operator		1		1	
10			715103	Man-Made Fibre Machine Operator	Part Qualification 1: Man-made Fibre Extrusion Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)
					Part Qualification 2: Man-made Fibre Texturing Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)

SABMEO	Textiles	715102	Yarn Production Machine Operator		Part Qualification 1: Ring Spinning and Yarn Packaging Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Part Qualification 2: Rotor Spinning and Yarn Packaging Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Part Qualification 3: Specialty Yarn Spinning and Yarn Packaging Production Machine Operator (which includes covering and air intermingling and many others)	1			1(29 February)	
		715101	Fibre Preparation Production Machine Operator		Part Qualification 1. Textile Blow Room and Carding Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Part Qualification 2. Textile Draw Frame and Speed Frame Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Part Qualification 3. Textile Carding and Draw Frame Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Part Qualification 4 Textile Sliver Lap, Combing and Draw Frame Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
SABMEO	Textiles	715205	Non-woven Machine Operator	Non-woven Textile Production Machine Operator	Part Qualification 1: Needle Punch Carpet or Fabric Production Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
					Part Qualification 2 Thermo-Bonding Textile Production Machine Operator	1			1(29 February)	
		715205	Tufting Production Machine Operator	Tufting Machine Operator		1			1(29 February)	
SABMEO	Textiles	715401	Textile Printing Machine Operator	Textile Wet Process Printing Machine Operator		1			1(29 February)	
		715401	Textile Dyeing Machine Operator	Textile Wet Process Dyeing	Part Qualification 1: Textile Dyeing Preparation Machine Operator	1		1	1(29 February)	

					Machine Operator						
						Part Qualification 2: Textile Dyeing Machine Operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
17	SABMEO	Textiles	715401	Textile Wet Finishing Machine Operator	Textile Wet Process Finishing Machine Operator	Part Qualification 1: Textile product preparation machine operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
						Part Qualification 2: Textile product finishing machine operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
						Part Qualification 3: Textile coating machine operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
						Part Qualification 4: Textile Sliver Lap, Combing and Draw Frame Machine Operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
18	SABMEO	Textiles	715206	Textile Dry Finishing Machine Operator		Part Qualification 1: Fringing Machine Operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
						Part Qualification 2: Textile Fabric Preparation Machine Operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
						Part Qualification 3: Textile Finishing and Heat Setting Machine Operator	1		1	1(29 February)	
19	Publishing SA	Publishing	122301003	Publisher			1			1	
20	Publishing SA	Publishing	264101	Book or Script Editor			1				1
21			718304	Packaging Manufacturing Machine Setter	Carton Maker	Carton CAD Operator Carton Die Maker Die Cutting Machine Minder Carton Glue Machine Operator	1	NAMB	1	1(29 February)	

		718304	Packaging Manufacturing Machine Setter	Corrugated Board and Container Machine Minder	Corrugated Board and Container Machine CAD Operator Corrugated Board and Container Machine Die Minder Die Cutting Machine Setter Corrugated Board and Container Machine Glue Machine Operator	1	NAMB	1	1(29 February)	
		662101	Electronic Pre-press Flexo/Litho/Screen/Gravure Technician	Electronic Pre-Press Flexographic Electronic Pre-Press Lithographic Electronic Pre-Press Screen Printing Electronic Pre-Press Gravure	Lithographic Plate Maker Flexographic Plate Maker Screen Maker	1	PSA		1(29 February)	
		662210	Heatset Rotary Offset Lithography Technician	In-Line Trimmer Operator Sheeter Operator	Heatset Rotary Offset Lithography Printers Assistant Rotary offset Lithography Reel-Stand Operator Heatset Rotary Offset Lithography Stacker Operator	1	PSA		1(29 February)	
		662211	Coldset Rotary Offset Lithography Technician	In-Line Trimmer Operator Sheeter Operator	Coldset Rotary Offset Lithography Printers Assistant Rotary offset Lithography Reel-Stand Operator	1	PSA		1(29 February)	
<b>Total</b>										

**E. Successes: Qualifications Development**

- Allocated funding to the value of 58 million to the project for the development of the Occupational Qualifications.
- Successfully registered 4 qualifications, and more others are at the final scoping stages.

- The total of 26 Textiles Part Qualifications will be submitted to QCTO within the financial year 2015-2016.
- The total of 09 Printing qualifications will be submitted to QCTO within the financial year 2015-2016.
- The total target of qualifications to be submitted to QCTO within the financial year 2015-2016 is 29.
- As of the 19<sup>th</sup> February 2016, twenty three (23) of occupational qualifications are submitted for registrations to the QCTO, and four (4) of them are registered with SAQA.

**F. Pulp and Paper and Wood Products Qualifications**

- Pulp and Paper Industry is in the process of finalizing the appointment of the QDF, and they will be running the Occupational Profiling workshop within March 2016.
- Wood products Industry had an occupational profiling workshop for Saw Maker & Repairer on the 11-12<sup>th</sup> February 2016, the Occupations, Qualifications Occupational Profiling for Wet & Dry Sawmill Machine Operator will be taking place on the 22<sup>nd</sup> to the 24<sup>th</sup> February 2016 in Kwa-Zulu Natal.

**G. Workshops**

- QCTO stakeholder awareness workshops will be taking place between March and April 2016
  - AQP consultative workshops are currently taking place across all the FP&M SETA sectors (13 subsectors), the workshops in the following four sector have already took place: Forestry, Clothing, Textiles and Furniture

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Kind regards,



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