



Operators Briefing cum Specialists Appointment Ceremony 2017

Launch of Consultation on Review of Accreditation Standards

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Research Activities

**Desktop
Research**

**Focus Group
Meetings**

Case Studies

**Quality
Management
System**



The Consultation Document

Part A – Issues Paper

- Broad issues for consideration
- Proposed directions of change
- Philosophy of the Four-stage QA Process
- The new structure

Part B – Draft Revisions

- Domain of competence
- A new structure
 - Accreditation standard
 - Why the standard is important
 - Criteria for consideration
 - Possible sources of evidence



Consultation Arrangements

- Consultation Period: **May – July 2017**
- Channels:
 - Online survey
 - Consultation forums
 - Written submission



Online Survey

Purpose

- To collect views and comments using structured questions

Targets

- HKCAAVQ accredited operators and specialists
- Other interested parties

Format

- Part I – Issues Paper
- Part II – Draft Revisions
- Part III – Profiling for Analysis (optional)

Note: Invited operators will be provided with basic profile data compiled from QR



Consultation Forum

Purpose

- To collect views and comments via face-to-face sessions

Invitation Targets

- All current accredited operators
- All current HKCAAVQ specialists
- Relevant staff members of HKCAAVQ
- Other relevant parties or organisations on a need-basis



Written Submission

Purpose

- To collect free format feedback

Targets

- All interested parties or relevant organisations, e.g. ITACs, professional bodies, UGC/QAC etc.



Way Forward

❑ Consultation and Deliberation Phase

Consultation with stakeholders on proposed directions of change.

❑ Finalisation Phase

Finalisation of refinements to accreditation standards.



❑ Transitioning to Revised Accreditation Standards

After approval by HKCAAVQ's Council for adoption, there will be transition arrangements for the revised accreditation standards to take effect.



Comments/Enquiries

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