

9 January 2018

Felipe Andres Garrido Sureda
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Christchurch 8023

Recognition Statement

NZQA Application Number: 349599-1
Name: Felipe Andres Garrido Sureda
Date of Birth: 22 January 1990

Dear Mr Garrido Sureda

Thank you for your application.

We have completed the evaluation of your qualification, which you requested for immigration purposes. Our decision is set out in this Recognition Statement.

Qualification	Certificado de Egreso (Certificate of Completion of Studies)
Subject	Automotive and Autotronic Mechanical Engineering - Professional Level
Awarding Body	Instituto Profesional Duoc UC, Santiago, Chile
Year of Award	2017 (study completed 2012)
Standard Programme Duration	4 years full time
Assessment Outcome	A qualification at Level 7 (see comments below)

Comments

The New Zealand Qualifications Authority fully recognises the learning outcomes of your qualification at this level. However, there is no comparable qualification type at Level 7 on the New Zealand Qualifications Framework.

For any queries, please contact me on at Aaron.Horrell@nzqa.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'A. Horrell', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Aaron Horrell
International Qualifications Evaluator
Qualifications Recognition Services
New Zealand Qualifications Authority

Note: This Recognition Statement sets out the outcome of NZQA's evaluation of the qualifications that you nominated for assessment. It was completed according to the criteria set out in the enclosed General information sheet, and relied on certified copies of the relevant documents and, where appropriate, verifications from the competent authorities in the countries of award. Your employment experience or English language proficiency were not taken into account.

Where relevant, any acceptability for employment, further study admission, membership of a professional body or occupational registration can only be determined by the registration body, education provider, professional authority, or industry training organisation responsible for careers or occupations utilising your qualifications within New Zealand.

General information

What we do

The New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) determines how an international qualification compares with qualifications listed on the New Zealand Qualifications Framework (NZQF).

Our recognition decisions are guided by specific criteria, including, but not limited to:

- **The status of your education provider(s):** whether the programme of study was offered by a quality assured or recognised study institution in the country in which it was awarded and at the time of award;
- **The status of your programme:** whether your programme of study was duly accredited at the time the qualification was awarded;
- **Your study programme:** whether your programme of study was complete, moderated, coherent, and comparable to a minimum of 40 NZQF credits (approximately one semester of full-time study).

We will assess your qualification to an appropriate level (from 1 to 10) on the NZQF and, where possible, to a New Zealand qualification type. Information on New Zealand qualifications and levels can be found on NZQA's website under 'Studying in New Zealand' (<http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/studying-in-new-zealand/understand-nz-quals/>).

Professional registration body or industry training organisation

If your qualification is in a professional field or in an industry training area, you should contact the relevant New Zealand registration body, professional authority, or industry training organisation (ITO) for your field.

- **Professional registration bodies:** Their contact details are available on Immigration New Zealand's website under 'Apply for a visa' > 'Tools and information for meeting criteria' > 'Work and employment' > 'Occupational registration' (<https://www.immigration.govt.nz/new-zealand-visas/apply-for-a-visa/tools-and-information/work-and-employment/occupational-registration>).
- **Industry training organisations:** A list of all ITOs is available on the Tertiary Education Commission's website under 'Working with tertiary education organisations' > 'Directory of ITOs' (<http://www.tec.govt.nz/teo/working-with-teos/itos/directory/>).

Refer your immigration queries to Immigration New Zealand

While the NZQA is authorised to recognise overseas qualifications within the New Zealand context, Immigration New Zealand (INZ) has exclusive authority to make decisions on immigration matters. You should contact INZ with any immigration queries. You may need to provide them with copies of this letter and your NZQA report.

Phone: +64 (0)9 914 4100 (outside New Zealand)
0508 55 88 55 (toll free within New Zealand)
Website: www.immigration.govt.nz

If you think the evaluation outcome is incorrect

If you believe that the evaluation outcome in your recognition statement is incorrect or that we missed some relevant information, you have the right to request a review of our decision. Please note:

- Your review request must be made in writing within 12 months of our recognition statements date of issue.
- You must identify the issue(s) and provide evidence to support your request.
- The fee for a review is NZ\$230.00 (to be refunded if the evaluation outcome is found to be incorrect).
- Your review will be completed within 35 working days, unless further information is requested by NZQA.
- Two evaluators, who were not involved in the initial assessment of your qualifications, will be assigned to carry out your review application. If your review request is not accepted we will explain why.

To request a review, please write to qrs@nzqa.govt.nz

