

QCT Board Meeting, 18 October 2019:

Outcomes summary

At its seventh meeting for the year, the Board:

- endorsed the development of a strategy for implementing various contemporary technological tools and business tactics to improve the QCT's regulatory functions
- endorsed the proposed direction of the development of a comprehensive three-year human resources plan for the QCT, with a progress report to be provided to the November 2019 Board meeting
- endorsed actions proposed by the QCT Office to minimise the risks to the QCT of the recent High Court decision regarding registration under mutual recognition arrangements
- approved the proposed delegations of the Board's authority regarding sections 210(2) and 210A(2) of the Act (internal review)
- appointed additional members to the Internal Review Committee to assist with the increased workload due to applications for review arising from the higher-level certification process
- endorsed the conduct of a six-month trial and evaluation of a proposal to expand the QCT's Filmpond platform, with a report to be provided to the Board in early 2020
- endorsed the holding of Board professional development sessions on 13 and 14 February 2020 in conjunction with the first Board meeting of the year
- endorsed a proposed change to the date of the May 2020 Board meeting
- considered the role and work of the Suitability to Teach Committee from a strategic point of view
- noted progress on implementation of actions arising from a review of the QCT's financial systems and processes
- noted an update on the Highly Accomplished Teachers and Lead Teachers certification project
- noted reports received from the Institute for Learning Sciences and Teacher Education as part of QCT research grant arrangements for the ongoing Graduate Teacher Performance Assessment (GTPA) project
- noted updates on various other activities and aspects of the QCT's work

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