

Creating Star Performers



**InfraTrain**  
**New Zealand**

# Introduction

- Merger with ESITO
- Reboot Apprenticeships
- New Zealand Apprenticeships
- TRoQ
- Questions

# The Merger

- ESITO – Electricity Supply ITO
- Lines technicians, line mechanics, electricians, cable jointers, operators
- Roughly same size as InfraTrain
- Strong on off job training – compliance driven

# The Merger

- Deed of Merger signed
- The Minister of Tertiary Education has signed it off
- Rules of the constitution of ESITO need to be changed to enable moving ahead (29 August)
- 1 October formal merger date

# The Merger

- No immediate changes
- Bringing people together first
- CEO recruitment under way
- No changes to systems, qualifications, training and assessment
- No change to contact details, person you work with etc
- Small tweaks to names on paperwork

# The Merger

- Will rebrand the organisation – will be a good 4-6 months away
- Will get all customers and trainees involved in the process
- Keep updated by visiting [www.infratrains.co.nz](http://www.infratrains.co.nz), or by talking to your local Advisor

# Reboot Apprenticeships

- Govt. initiative to grow number of people in apprenticeships
- Open to any age
- Level 4 qual, min of 120 credits OR
- Any current Modern Apprenticeship programme
- Priority trades - \$2000 to Employer, \$2000 to apprentice for off job, tools, equipment

# Reboot Apprenticeships

- Applies to:
- MA in Roadmarking
- Talk to your regional advisor – trainee needs to be in training for a minimum of 3 months.
- Only 10,000 available across all trades



# New Zealand Apprenticeships

- Launching in 2014
- Open to all age groups
- Must result in Level 4 Qualification at 120 credits or above
- Conjoint Apprenticeship programmes will be eligible only till 2015
- Good percentage of qualification must be theory based
- TRoQ will resolve some of our current issues

# Targeted Review of Qualifications (TRoQ)

- NZQA mandated review of all qualifications
- Aim: to ensure qualifications listed on the framework are:
  - fit for purpose
  - reduce proliferation

Roadmarking one of the suite of qualifications included in this process – started end 2012

# TRoQ

- Series of meetings and review workshops
- NZQA has approved development of draft qualifications
- Next steps:
  - Finalise qualification specifications
  - Submit documentation for registration
  - Working group meeting first quarter 2014
  - Contact [Amanda@infratrains.co.nz](mailto:Amanda@infratrains.co.nz)
  - <http://www.infratrains.co.nz> for updates



Thank you

Questions?

