



## BOSSI Update

### Have you updated your details with BOSSI?

As advised in our March Communique BOSSI has transitioned onto the Government Licencing System (GLS). This means that you can now update your details through the Service NSW platform. Please log onto the [system](#) and review the details BOSSI has on record and update if any of them have changed.

It is particularly important to keep your email address up to date as this is what will be used to serve any formal notices including registration renewals.

### BOSSI Examination results

Results from the Land Surveying competency assessments.

March 2020	Rural	Urban	Strata	Engineering	Town Planning	Total
Competent	8	11	12	9	9	49
Conditional	1	0	5	2	3	11
Not Yet Competent	2	1	7	2	9	21
Withdrawal	1	1	0	1	2	5
<b>Total</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>86</b>

<b>Pass Rate</b>	75%	85%	70%	78%	52%
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Results from the Mining Surveying competency assessments

Feb/March 2020	Planning & Mining Approval	Design & Survey of Engineering Works	Mining Survey & Formal Mines Survey Plans	Legislation	Oral	Total
Competent			2	3	2	7
Conditional	1	1				2
Not Yet Competent				1		1
Withdrawal			1			1
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>11</b>

Note: That all conditional examination results progressed to a competent examination result.

As a result 14 candidates earned their **Certificates of Competency** (12 land and 2 Mining)

Elizabeth Anderson, Brandon Bowd, Nicholas Cassidy, Barry Dewar, Martin Elliot, Andrew Hammond, James Johnston, Eric Miller, Guy Robertson, Christopher Ryan, Peter Sergeant, Jonathan Van Wyk, Martin Wahbe, Kate Wilcox

**Congratulations** to all of the candidates that have achieved this significant milestone. The formal presentation ceremony will be held in November incorporating the successful candidates from the October assessments, the annual examination awards and the presentation of the Meritorious certificates.

### **BOSSI Kurri Kurri Workshop – Cancelled for 2020**

At the April board meeting the arrangements for the BOSSI Kurri Kurri workshop were reviewed. Given the current COVID-19 situation and physical distancing restrictions in place the Board has made the difficult decision to cancel the workshop in 2020.

Consideration was given to alternative methods of delivery, but the feedback received from previous attendees is that the most beneficial component of the workshop is the ability to review previous project submissions while discussing with examiners and other candidates. BOSSI is unable to replicate that in an online environment.

The content from the presentations component of the workshop is being reviewed with the intent to make the documents available via the BOSSI website over the coming months.

It is expected that the Kurri Kurri Workshop will run in May 2021.

### **Continuing Professional Development – COVID-19**

As a direct result of COVID-19 and the physical distancing restrictions currently in place many CPD events have either been cancelled or postponed with organisers working to provide content through alternate electronic formats.

Event organisers are confident that relevant professional development content can be delivered through webinars or online seminars/conferences and surveyors are encouraged to make use of these services to meet their annual CPD obligations.

As per previous [BOSSI communications](#) you are reminded that the limits on webinar delivered CPD content have been removed for the current CPD year (ending 30 June 2020). BOSSI will continue to monitor this situation and if necessary provide additional updates.

Registered surveyors unable to meet their CPD obligations, in accordance with section 8.3 of the [BOSSI CPD Determination](#) will be required to submit an application for conditional compliance. The [CPD Conditional Compliance Form](#) is available on the BOSSI website on the forms page.

It is important for surveyors to note that a conditional compliance requires them to obtain any shortfall in CPD points in the following year. BOSSI therefore recommends that surveyors attempt to gain the required points and submit a conditional compliance application at the end of June.

A request for conditional compliance must be received by BOSSI no later than 31 July 2020. Please refer to the determination for further details.

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